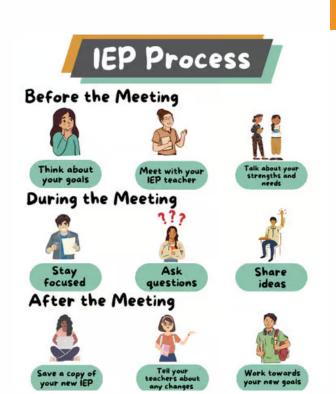
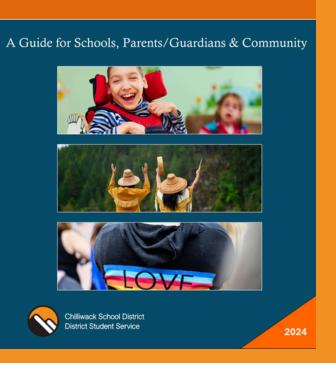
#### What is a CBIEP?

A Competency-Based Individual Education Plan (CBIEP) is designed for students who require ongoing support in relation to the goals of the BC curriculum.

- Include student's strengths and support needs
- Use Core and Curricular Competencies as a foundation
- Are flexible and responsive to student growth
- Includes input from the student, family, and school team



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## **QUESTIONS?**

Speak with your child's case manager, classroom teacher, or school administrator.

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This brochure is intended as a parent-friendly introduction to CBIEPs in BC.



#### **Why CBIEPs Matter**

CBIEPs help ensure that your child:

- Receives individualized, meaningful learning goals
- Has supports and accommodations that match their unique needs
- Is assessed in ways that reflect their current learning profile
- Has their voice and agency respected in the learning process





#### What Will I See in a CBIEP?

**Student Profile**: strengths, interests, identity, and learning needs

**Goals**: focused on developing key competencies

**Supports & Services:** accommodations, adaptations, and who provides them

**Progress Updates:** written 2–3 times per year as part of the reporting process in the report card

Parent & Student Input: vital to planning and progress

#### **Working Together**

You are an essential partner in your child's education.

#### You can:

- Share your insights, hopes, and observations
- Help set meaningful goals with the team
- Attend school meetings to review and revise the plan
- Celebrate your child's progress and efforts
- Include community partners

• Provide any previous assessments (SLP, PSYCH Ed, Paediatrician)



#### <u>If you feel overwhelmed by the meeting</u>

- · Ask school staff to keep the meeting small
- If unsure of the process feel free to bring a support person. Let the school team know to ensure space.
- Find out who is expected to attend the meeting and what each person's purpose is for attending.
- Request a whiteboard, laptop, etc write down goals and strategies clearly, to avoid misunderstandings.
- Verify the time limits for the meeting
- Talk about ongoing communication methods
- It's OK to be nervous, and it's even better if you can share your feelings.
- Ask school staff to stick to a few goals, (three to five)
- Success looks different for everyone. People learn at different rates; not meeting a goal is ok
- Ask questions, Give some feedback

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