

Special Education

The Greenspire School provides services in the least restrictive environment (LRE) that will meet the individual's educational needs. The determination of the setting, services and programs is made in collaborative effort with the student's Individual Educational Planning Team.

Following an evaluation, a student's planning team will recommend how and where to best meet the student's educational needs. The child's parent/guardian is an integral part of the team throughout the evaluation and educational planning process.

Traverse Bay Area Intermediate School District (TBAISD) provides many of the services that students may be eligible for within our school buildings. Services such as Speech and Language, Occupational Therapy, Schools Social Work, Teacher Consultants for students with visual impairments, hearing impairments and physical impairments are provided within Greenspire's building through the TBAISD.

When a child's team determines there is a need for an increased service model, TBAISD operates many categorical classrooms. These classrooms are currently located in Traverse City. Should a child's team determine a more restrictive placement is needed for educational purposes, The Greenspire School will work with the TBAISD along with MDE to assist in meeting the student's needs.