

Memorandum of Agreement  
Bellevue Independent Schools and Southgate Independent Schools Teacher Agreement 2026-  
2027 School Year

The following agreement between Bellevue Independent Schools and Southgate Independent Schools for the 2026-2027 School Year will become active upon signatures from each Superintendent:

- Bellevue Independent Schools agrees to post, interview, and hire a qualified candidate to fill a special education teacher position at Bellevue High School.
- Bellevue Independent Schools agrees to give enrollment preference to Southgate students with identified disabilities submitted with their application.
- Bellevue Independent Schools agrees to pay 50% of salary and fringe expenses.
- Bellevue Independent Schools agrees to supply students with services in accordance with all IDEA and KDE regulations.
- Southgate Independent Schools agrees to supply Bellevue Independent Schools with all necessary special education paperwork with the application for Bellevue High School to appropriately prepare for the 2026-2027 school year.
- Southgate Independent Schools agrees to fund 50% of salary and fringe expenses - to be paid quarterly for a qualified candidate to work for Bellevue Independent Schools at Bellevue High School.
- Southgate Independent School District agrees that, in the event a student from Southgate presents with such needs that cannot be accommodated with the resources at BIS, Southgate will be responsible for any travel and/or tuition expenses needed with the Regional Schools Program (or other facility) and placement.

This agreement will remain in effect for the entirety of the 2026-2027 school year and will be evaluated yearly to determine continued need.

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Superintendent - Bellevue Independent  
Misty Middleton

  
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Superintendent - Southgate Independent  
Greg Duty

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