

Parents: Choose the Right SES Provider for Your Child

Some Helpful Questions to Ask When Talking to a SES Provider!

- Where are the services provided?
 - At the school?
 - In your home?
 - At another building or by computer?
 - If the services are provided by computer, do I need my own computer and internet access?
- Is the transportation to the services provided?
 - The school district is not required to provide transportation.
- How many sessions of services will my child receive and how long will each session last?
 - If you want your child to receive more sessions than the district can pay for, you will need to pay for those sessions on your own.
- How much will it cost me if I want to continue tutoring?
- How often will the provider report my child's progress to me and to my child's teacher?
 - Will these reports be phone calls, written reports or meetings? Will I have the opportunity to ask questions about the report?
- What is the student-to-tutor ratio?
 - One-to-one tutoring is best. For group instruction, there should be one teacher for every three children.
- Will my child work with the same tutor each time?
- What kind of materials will the provider send home with my child so I can continue to work with him at home?
- What kind of evidence does the provider have that her program has helped other students?
 - Will the tutor provide references from other parents?
- For children learning English: Can the instructors communicate with my child?
 - Can my child understand the materials?

My Notes:

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