

Procedural Update

30-30 Rule

Essential Information:

This rule applies to **Initial IEP requests**: The 30-30 rule states that “if a referral for assessment is made less than 30 days prior to the end of a school year, the evaluation must be done and IEP meeting held within 30 days after the new school year starts.”

SEAS is currently set to calculate the 30/30 rule. If you feel it is not working correctly, contact smoore5@sandi.net.

Important Dates for the 2018-2019 School Year:

Traditional Calendars:

The last day of school is June 11, 2019. 30 calendar days back from this last day of school is May 14, 2018. Assessment referral requests received on or after May 12, 2019 will require that an IEP is developed and the meeting held by **Tuesday, September 23, 2019.**

Year Round Calendars:

The last day of school for year-round is July 19, 2019. 30 calendars back from this last day of school is Thursday, June 20, 2019. Assessment referral requests received on or after June 20, 2019 will require that an IEP is developed and the meeting held by **Tuesday, September 23, 2019.**

This does not apply to Triennial Assessments- Triennial due dates are based on the original IEPs in the student’s special education container. The next Triennial is due 3 years after the previous assessment. SEAS is set up to give you reminders as to when the Triennial Assessment Plan should be sent out, however, the Triennial Review due date is **not** based on when the Assessment Plan is signed and returned, it is based on the previous Triennial due date.

- ★ When a Triennial or Annual is due on a weekend or over a vacation, the IEP must be held and locked **prior to** the due date. IEPs can always be held earlier, but must not be held after the due date.

California State Education Code can be found at:

<http://law.onecle.com/california/education/56344.html>

<http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/cgi-bin/displaycode?section=edc&group=56001-57000&file=56340-56347>