

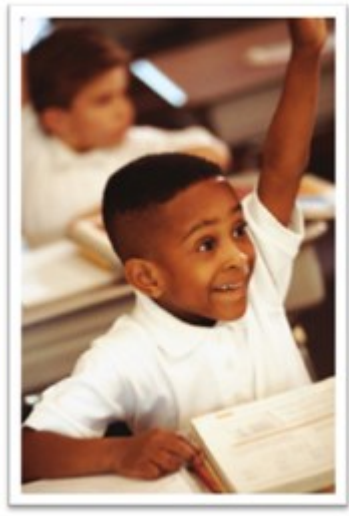
What is Act 89?

Riverview Intermediate Unit 6 is the designated agency for providing Act 89 services. RIU6 selects and administers the delivery of services to nonpublic schools. RIU6 Act 89 services may include reading, math, speech and language, and special needs consultation services.

These services are not special education or tutoring. Services are aligned with classroom instruction to maximize student growth.

All Act 89 Services may include:

- screenings
- evaluations
- consultation
- progress monitoring



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Act 89

**Providing auxiliary services to
nonpublic school students**



Statement of Nondiscrimination
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READING

Teachers provide supplemental remedial services to school age children whose skills fall below expectancy. Remedial reading support focuses on building reading skills through:

- Phonemic Awareness
- Phonological Awareness
- Vocabulary
- Fluency
- Comprehension

MATH

Supplemental math instruction provides additional practice in math procedures and concepts in small groups or individually. Supplementary math instruction focuses on building math skills through:

- Fact fluency
- Math concepts



Riverview Intermediate Unit #6 provides Math, Reading, Speech/Language and special needs consultant services for students in nonpublic schools in Clarion, Forest, Jefferson, and Venango Counties.

Auxiliary services include: guidance, counseling and testing services, psychological services, services for exceptional children, remedial services, speech and hearing services, and services for the improvement of the educationally disadvantaged (such as, but not limited to, teaching English as a second language).

SPEECH and LANGUAGE

Speech and language services are provided at no cost to the family for any child attending a nonpublic school. Services include:

- Articulation therapy
- Language therapy
- Fluency (stuttering) therapy
- Voice therapy

SPECIAL NEEDS CONSULTATION

Consultative Services are provided to teachers in nonpublic schools to assist in educating students with special needs. Evidence that a student meets disability criteria must be presented. The consultant works with teachers to design appropriate accommodations for each student. The accommodations and/or specific strategies can focus on issues that are:

- Academic
- Social
- Behavioral

