

THE FAMILY CENTER

*Approved by the
Brownsville Independent
School District School
Board on January 14,
2014, the Family Center
was established to create
an avenue for parents to
receive vital information
based on their child's
individual needs and
concerns.*

*The Family Center is
available to parents/
guardians with special
needs students ages 3-21
years of age.*



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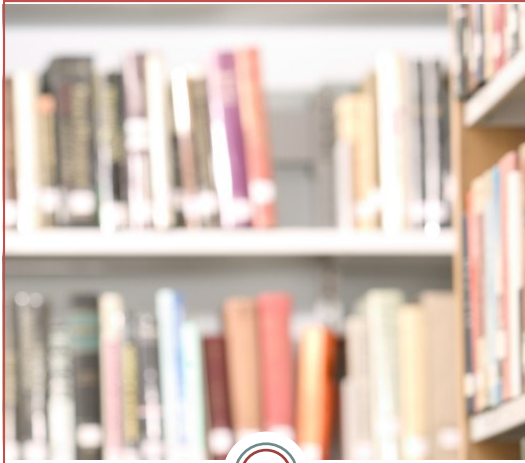
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Special Services Mission Statement

The Brownsville Independent School District's Special Services Department Personnel along with their knowledgeable and dedicated staff will work collaboratively with families, campuses, and community, to provide supports and services for students with exceptional needs to ensure equitable access to general education curriculum in the least restricted environment to maximize student's independence academically and socially to become productive and responsible citizens.

FAMILY CENTER GOALS

- ◇ **Strong partnerships between schools and families**
- ◇ **Emotional and educational support**
- ◇ **Connections with community resources**
- ◇ **Transition Planning**
- ◇ **Opportunity for self-care and coping strategies**



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Services Provided

- ◇ Guidance in resolving concerns
- ◇ Training in educational processes, effective parenting and parent involvement
- ◇ Information about disabilities, related issues and community resources
- ◇ Transition Planning
- ◇ Parent Support
- ◇ Case Management

