

INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM DIPLOMAS

Students who have completed the goals of their Individualized Educational Program (IEP) during the school year in which their twenty-first birthday occurs shall be awarded an IEP diploma.

Students who have completed at least twelve (12) years of school beyond Kindergarten and have achieved the educational goals in the current IEP may, upon application of a student or his/her parent or guardian, be awarded an IEP diploma.

Students receiving an IEP diploma prior to 21 years of age are eligible to continue to attend the public schools of the District until the student has earned a High School diploma, or until the end of the school year in which the student's twenty-first birthday occurs, whichever is earlier.

The IEP diploma will be clearly annotated on the front cover to indicate that the award is based on the student's successful achievement of the educational goals specified in the student's current Individualized Education Program as recommended by the Committee on Special Education.

Reference: 8 NYCRR §§ 100.3; 100.6; 100.9