



# LET'S TALK

## UNDERSTANDING AN IEP

### JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

### SEPAG MEETING

**\*Special Education Parent Advisory Group\***

The Jefferson Township SEPAG is excited to resume meetings **in person** at the Jefferson Township Board of Education Building! Additionally, while we are now in person, we received a lot of feedback from the community that a virtual option would continue to be beneficial. To attend virtually, please use the URL on this flyer to register. At this month's meeting, we will be reviewing all the components of the IEP. Learn how to navigate your document through the guidance of members of the Jefferson Township Child Study Team.

**Join us on Thursday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm at the BOE Building or on ZOOM along with presenters Kira Arnold and Katlyn VanHorn from Jefferson Township School District to learn more about understanding your child's IEP. Bring a copy of your child's IEP to follow along with as well as all your questions about Individualized Education Plans.**

#### **What is SEPAG?**

The SEPAG is an advisory group that is state-mandated, district-level, and parent driven charged with providing input to the local school district on system-level challenges in special education and related services. It is a collaboration and partnership with the district to better improve services in special education.

#### **What SEPAG is not...**

It is not an advocacy assistance group, a support group, or a special education parent teacher organization.



#### **When:**

Thursday, October 20th  
6:30-8:00pm

#### **Where:**

This event will be held **IN PERSON** at the **Jefferson Township Board of Education Building** (31 Rt. 181, Lake Hopatcong) as well as virtually. A virtual ZOOM link will be sent out upon registering for this event.

**To register to attend in person OR virtually, please click here:**

<https://tinyurl.com/UnderstandingAnIEP>

#### **What:**

An Opportunity to...

- ✓ Ask questions.
- ✓ Learn about the different components of the IEP.
- ✓ Navigate your child's IEP.

#### **Presenters:**

- *Kira Arnold, Social Worker, Jefferson Township Public Schools*
- *Katlyn VanHorn, Social Worker, Jefferson Township Public Schools*

If you are interested in helping and/or becoming a parent volunteer, please contact [JTSEPAG@gmail.com](mailto:JTSEPAG@gmail.com) or visit the **Jefferson Township Special Education Parent Advisory Group** and **JTSEPAG Facebook** pages at [facebook.com/JTSEPAG](https://www.facebook.com/JTSEPAG).