



Special Education Add-On Weights for FY 2024*

State aid calculations are based on specific criterion, including the add-on weights based on disability categories. All questions related to state aid should be directed to SchoolFinance@azed.gov.

| Disability | Weight |
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| Multiple Disabilities Severe Sensory Impairment | 7.947 |
| Orthopedic Impairment (Self-Contained) | 6.773 |
| MD-R, A-R, and SID-R | 6.024 |
| MD-SC, A-SC, and SID-SC | 5.988 |
| Emotionally Disabled (Private) | 4.822 |
| Visual Impairment | 4.806 |
| Hearing Impairment | 4.771 |
| Moderate Intellectual Disability | 4.421 |
| Preschool Severe Delay | 3.595 |
| Orthopedic Impairment (Resource) | 3.158 |
| DD, ED, MIID, SLD, SLI, and OHI | 0.292 |

- ❖ For funding purposes, a student with TBI must be recorded in the Arizona Educational Data Standards (AzEDS) with another disability, as TBI is not a state funded disability.

SPED Need Codes (Disability Categories)

| Group A | | Group B | |
|---------|------------------------------|---------|---|
| Code | Description | Code | Description |
| DD | Developmental Delay | A | Autism |
| ED | Emotionally Disabled | EDP | Emotionally Disabled - Private |
| MIID | Mild Intellectual Disability | HI | Hearing Impairment |
| OHI | Other Health Impairment | MD | Multiple Disabilities |
| SLD | Specific Learning Disabled | MDSSI | Multiple Disabilities - Severe Sensory Impairment |
| SLI | Speech/Language Impairment | MOID | Moderate Intellectual Disability |
| | | OI | Orthopedic Impairment |
| | | PSD | Preschool Severe Delay |
| | | SID | Severe Intellectual Disability |
| | | VI | Visual Impairment |

Sources: [ARS § 15-943](#), [ARS § 15-901\(B\)\(13\)\(14\)](#)

