

Special Education District Profile

The Special Education District Profiles have a new format and location. The Profiles are available through the Missouri Comprehensive Data System (MCDS) Portal on the DESE website.

To access the secured Profile, go to DESE's home page (dese.mo.gov), click on School Data and MCDS Portal. On the MCDS Portal's home page, click on "Secured Content" on the top blue banner. You will then be taken to the DESE Web Application Logon screen. This web page provides restricted access based upon User ID and Password validation. Once you have entered in a valid user ID and password you will be returned to the MCDS Portal's home page. An alternate way to access the report is to log in to the DESE web applications and then click on Missouri Comprehensive Data System (MCDS) link.

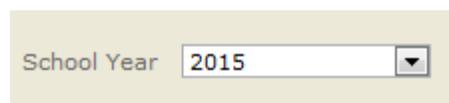
Click on the Special Education button and Guided Inquiry, and then on "Special Education Profile Report" (see below). If you are not able to access to the report, contact your district's User Manager and request access to the Special Education Profile. The "Special Education Profile Report" is only available via secured access and contains unsuppressed data. The "Special Education Profile Report – Public" version will be available to the public after districts' preliminary review period. The public report will suppress small numbers in order to protect student confidentiality.



The screenshot shows a web interface for "Special Education Guided Inquiry". It features a header with the text "Special Education" and "Special Education Guided Inquiry". Below this is a table with two columns: "Type" and "Name". The table lists three report options, each with a document icon to its left:

Type	Name
	Special Education Child Count Verification
	Special Education Profile Report - Public
	Special Education Profile Report

Select School Year 2015 and View Report.



The screenshot shows a form element with the label "School Year" and a dropdown menu. The dropdown menu is currently set to "2015".

There are twelve pages in the Profile. To view the pages, use the page arrows as shown here:



To view or print all pages of the report, use the export function shown below. The report is most easily viewed, saved and shared by exporting to PDF.

