

TOPIC: NSSRS Special Education Reporting – Non-Public School Students

Question: *How are Non-Public students in Special Education reported on NSSRS Special Education Templates?*

Non-Public School students who are served by the public school regardless of where they are served should be reported as being Parentally Placed in a Non-Public (private) school. There has been some confusion when the Non-Public student is being served at the public school. Even in that instance, the student should be reported as being Parentally Placed in a Non-Public (private) school. There are also some instances where the Non-Public students are being reported as attending a Separate School. The category of Separate School is reserved for schools designed specifically for students with disabilities, or students attending a Residential Facility on a Day Program basis and do not live at the facility.