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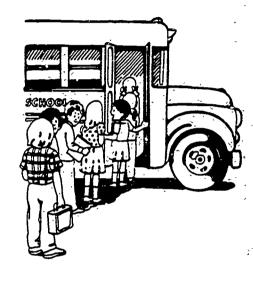
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INTRODUCTION

An Overview

Chapter I of the Education Consolidation and Improvement Act of 1981 is a part of the Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1981. This Act covers the five year period beginning October 1, 1982 and ending September 30, 1987.

Basic provisions of Chapter I are founded on the premise that areas with high concentrations of low-income families also have high concentrations of children who are educationally disadvantaged. Public school districts are allocated funds to provide supplemental instruction for such students.

Special provisions of Chapter I recognize a federal responsibility to improve the educational opportunities for children of migratory workers. School districts that host large numbers of migrant children receive funds and develop programs for these children.

Special provisions of Chapter I also recognize the need for supplemental instruction to help handicapped and neglected or delinquent children who attend school in local schools or in State agencies. Funding for these programs nationally is 3.5 billion dellars.

<u>In Delaware</u>

Over 12 million dollars was allocated to Delaware to fund the above mentioned programs during school year 1986-87. This money was distributed to 19 school districts, and three State Agencies. Ninety-two schools actually received services funded by Chapter I Part A although 105 were eligible.



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PROGRAMS

CHAPTER I PART A

The following school districts had Chapter I projects in the 1986-87 school year:

DISTRICT	# OF STUDENTS	LEVEL OF FUNDING
Appoquinimink Brandywine Caesar Rodney Cape Henlopen Capital Christina Colonial Delmar Indian River Lake Forest Laurel Milford New Castle County Vo-Tech. Red Clay Consolidated Seaford Smyrna	# OF STUDENTS 91 750 555 379 741 1,593 1,403 46 998 531 293 659 267 1,074 195 159	\$ 112,226. 946,492. 374,249. 333,291. 844,896. 1,861,989. 1,211,560. 45,040. 562,992. 374,249. 261,228. 375,966. 162,909. 1,734,075. 292,756. 178,251.
Woodbr i dge	504 TOTAL 10,238	252,801. \$ 9,927,070.

Supplemental services in reading and mathematics are offered to program participants.

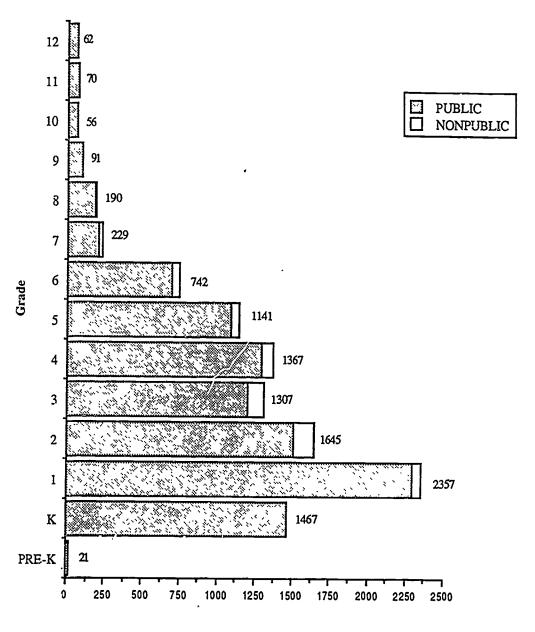
Five LEAs offer educational services to 507 students attending non-public schools.



NUMBER OF CHAPTER 1 STUDENTS BY GRADE

IN PUBLIC AND NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS

School Year 1986-87

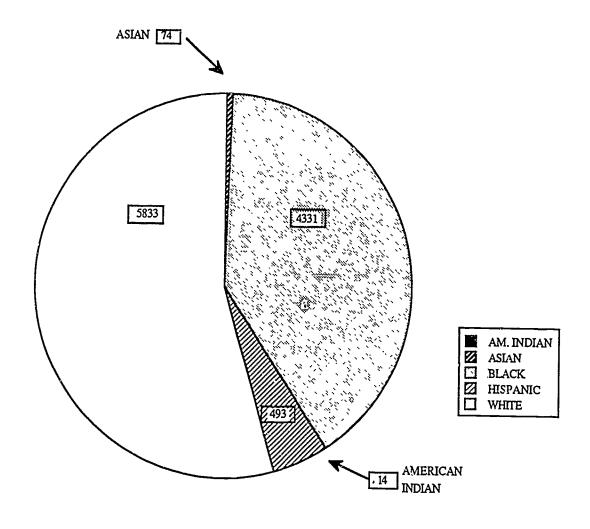


Students

NUMBER OF STUDENTS BY RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP

STATEWIDE CHAPTER 1 PROGRAM

School Year 1986-87

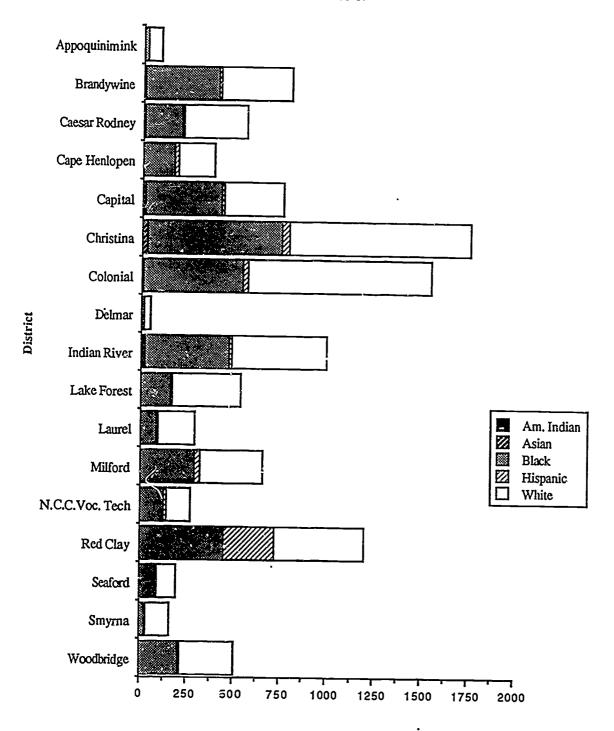




NUMBER OF STUDENTS BY RACIAL/ETHNIC GROUP

CHAPTER 1 PROGRAM - SCHOOL DISTRICTS

School Year 1986-87

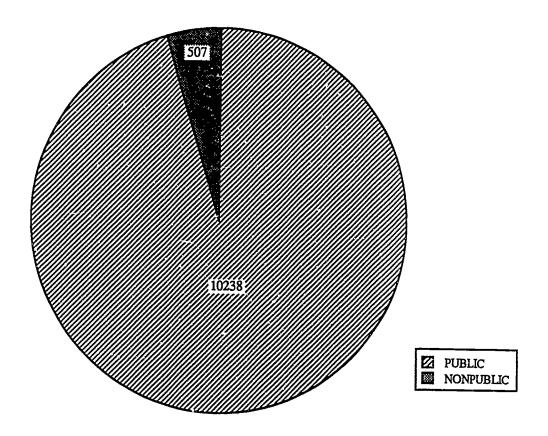


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NUMBER OF STUDENTS BY SCHOOL TYPE

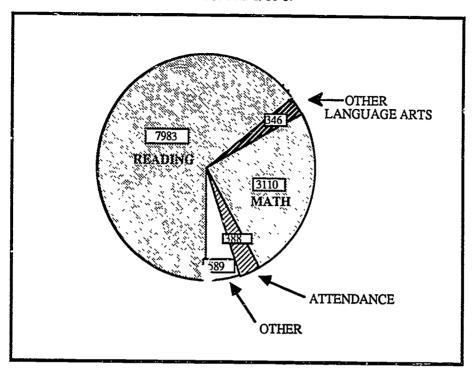
STATEWIDE CHAPTER 1 PROGRAM School Year 1986-87



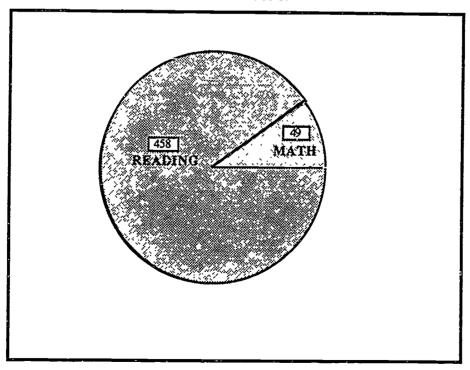


NUMBER OF STUDENTS BY SERVICE AREA

CHAPTER 1 PROGRAMS - PUBLIC SCHOOLS
School Year 1986-87



NUMBER OF STUDENTS BY SERVICE AREA CHAPTER 1 PROGRAMS - NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS School Year 1986-87

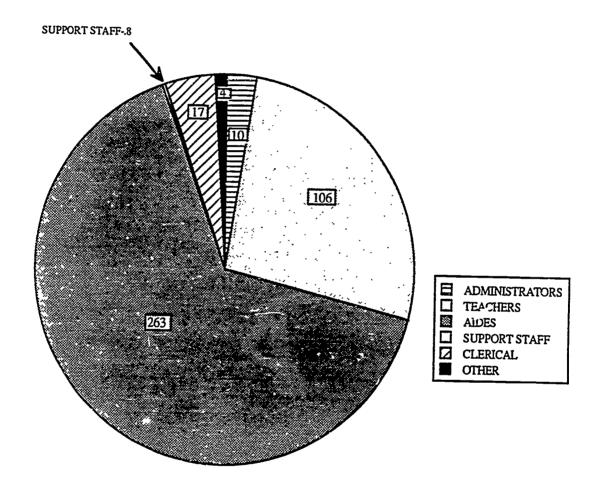




CHAPTER 1 STAFF IN FULL-TIME EQUIVALENTS

BY JOB CLASSIFICATION

School Year 1986-87



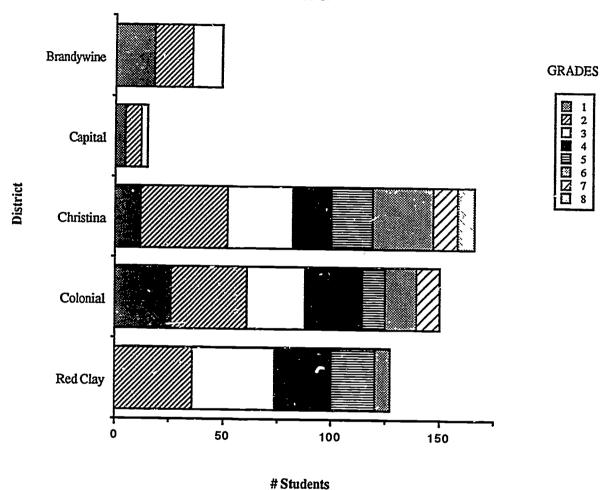


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NUMBER OF STUDENTS BY DISTRICT & GRADE

CHAPTER 1 PROGRAMS - NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS

School Year 1986-87

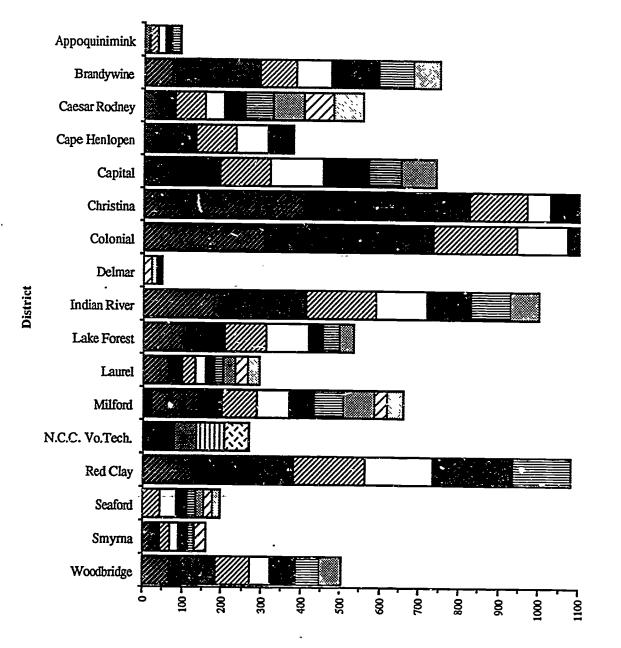


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NUMBER OF STUDENTS BY DISTRICT & GRADE

CHAPTER 1 PROGRAMS -PUBLIC SCHOOLS

School Year 1986-87





Students

ACHIEVEMENT DATA

(In NCE's)

SPRING TO SPRING 1986-1987

MATH

STATEWIDE AVERAGES

GRADE	N	PRE	POST	SAIN
2	146 175	47 48	61 49	14
4 5	268 322	47 42	49 50	2
6 7	180 43	43 36	50 50 39	8 7
8	30	32	40	3 8
	1164	44	50	6

FALL TO SPRING 1986-1987

MATH

STATEMIDE AVERAGES

GAIN	POST	PRE	N	GRADE
10	53	43	63	2
23	55	32	54	3
23 13	46	33	97	4
	46	34	105	5
12	43	36	21	4 5 6
/	50	44	20	7
6	45	33	20	8
12		38	14	ġ
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2	30		12	11
1	34	33	_	12
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12	47	3£	426.	====

SPRING TO SPRING 1986-1987

READING

STATEWIDE AVERAGES

GRADE	N	PRE	POST	GAIN
2	775	44 -	48	A
3	596	45	45	ŏ
4	583	45	47	2
5	402	42	41	-1
6	303	38	40	-1
7	51	36	39	3
8	38	34	35	1
	2748	43	45	2

FALL TO SPRING 1986-1987

READING

STATEWIDE AVERAGES

GRADE	N	PRE	POST	GAIN
2	213	40	50	10
3	175	32	44	12
4	132	33	41	8
5	143	36	43	9
6	50	32	35	3
7	82	37	41	3
8	56	35	39	T A
9	43	36	36	Ö
10	13	26	30 30	4
11	19	26	31	7
12	19	24	20	- 4
	945	35	42	7

FALL TO SPRING 1986-1987

OTHER LANGUAGE ARTS

STATEWIDE AVERAGES

GRADE	N	PRE	POST	GAIN
2	44	40	49	
3	41	47	47	7
4	25		58	11
Ś		33	39	6
6	24	34	40	ő
ğ	21	32	39	ž
7	20	43	47	
8	20	34	45	
9	27	39		11
10	25		36	-3
11	24	. 37	3 5	-5
12		33	33	ğ
16	12	33	33	Ŏ
	280	38	43	5

FALL TO SPRING 1985-1986 and 1985-1987

OTHER LANGUAGE ARTS

STATEWIDE AVERAGES

GRADE	N	PRE	POST	GAIN
2	78	37	54	
3	66 .	41	61	17
4	56	35		20
5	47		42	7
6		33	37	4
	48	30	41	11
7	41	42	48	6
8	· 40	35	45	
9	78	34		10
70	46		36	2
11	38	38	39	1
12		30	37	7
16	25	28	34	6
	563	35	44	9

MIGRANT PROGRAMS

A State Plan for Migrant Education is prepared annually as authorized by Section 554(a) of Chapter I, ECIÁ (Public Law 97-35) and in response to notification from the United States Department of Education, Migrant Office, that funds are available through ECIA Chapter I, migrant education. Delaware has received notification that its allocation for FY'1987 may amount to approximately \$804,149. This allocation is based on the number of migrant students identified and served as indicated on the data bank in Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Delaware State Plan is based on evaluation of the preceding year's program as well as the projected student enrollments derived from information available from other agencies serving the migrant population. The projected year-round program of basic skills instruction will serve approximately one thousand five hundred (1,500) students through a three-phase program. During the regular school year, four local district programs will serve the major areas of concentration of eligible migrant student. The areas are New Castle County School District, Capital School District serving Kent County, and Indian River School District and the Laurel School District serving Sussex County. Each ten-month project employs itinerant teachers and aides that provide small group and one-to-one remedial instruction in the basic skills to improve students in their various project areas. In addition, to materials centers, one each in the Lake Forest and Cape Henlopen School District, will complement the Capital and indian River migrant projects.

It is projected that approximately eight hundred (800) pupils, grades K-12, will be served during the regular school year. In the summer, three six-week programs will be in operation in the Laurel, Indian River, and Capital School Districts to serve migrant children who come into Delaware with their parents who "follow the crops". The total student population of the summer programs will number approximately five hundred and fifty students (550). In addition, through an interagency agreement involving the Department of Public Instruction, East Coast Migrant Head Start, and Sussex County Community Action Agency, migrant youngsters, age 0-4, will be served. This group of youngsters, one hundred fifty (150), receive day care and preschool services in various day care centers in Kent and Sussex County. The migrant program provides, in addition to supplementary instructional services, medical, dental, nutritional and transportation services.

The instructional program in all projects is based on a diagnostic-prescriptive, individualized system of instruction. The curriculum is geared to the attainment of basic skills competency. As a result of Delaware's thrust in the basic skills, and because the majority of migrant students served are Belaware students, the six-week summer programs are an extension of the regular school year. In addition, the regular school year migrant program supplements the instruction of the classroom teacher and also works toward basic skills attainment.



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ECIA CHAPTER I MIGRANT LEA STAFFING

NEW CASTLE COUNTY

Red Clay Consolidated School District

1 Professional
1 Non-Professional

KENT COUNTY

Capital School District

1. Six Week Summer
15 Professionals
12 Non-Professionals

2. <u>Ten Month Program</u> 7 Professionals 9 Non-Professionals

SUSSEX COUNTY

Indian River School District

1. Six Week Summer
16 Professionals
19 FTE Non-Professionals

2. <u>Ten Month Program</u> 4 Professionals 0 Non-Professionals

Laurel School District

1. Six Week Summer
3 Professionals
3 Non-Professionals

SUPPORT PROJECTS (MATERIALS CENTER)

Lake Forest School District
No Personnel

Total Staff = 91*

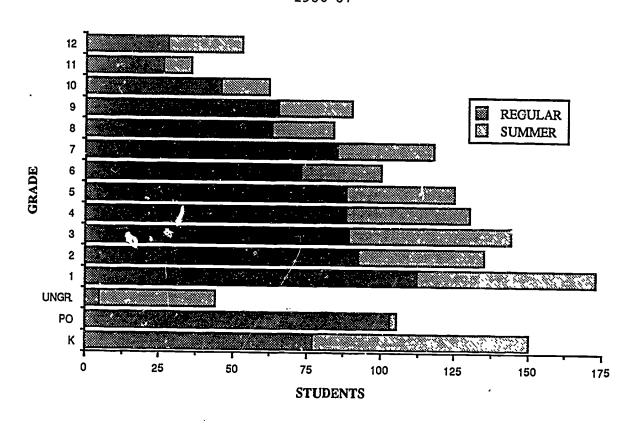
* Staff positions are all personnel employed, part-time and full-time - \underline{NOT} FULL \underline{TIME} EQUIVALENT.



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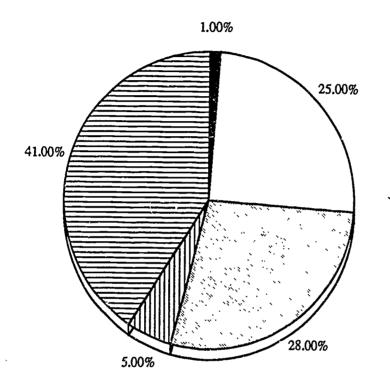
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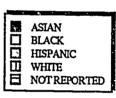




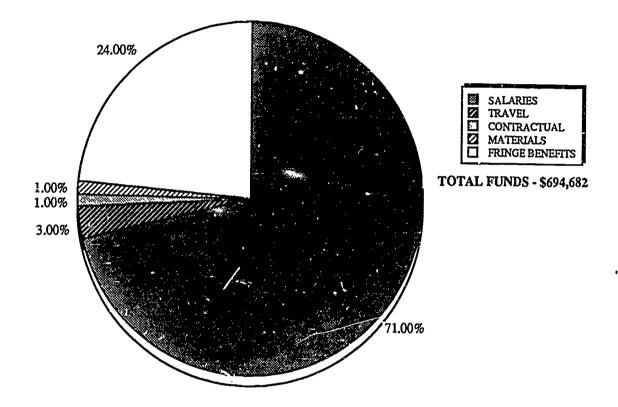
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BY RACIAL GROUP 1986-87

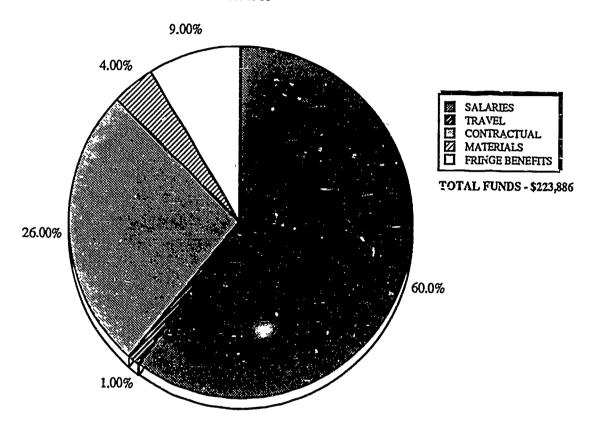




CHAPTER 1 MIGRANT PROGRAM REGULAR SCI!OOL YEAR 1986-87



CHAPTER 1 MIGRANT PROGRAM SUMMER 1986





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ECIA CHAPTER I HANDICAPPED STATE OPERATED/STATE SUPPORTED PROGRAMS

The State of Delaware funds a network of State Operated and State Supported programs for handicapped children providing educational and supportive services designed to meet the individual needs of children and youth identified as needing intensive instructional and related services. Services are provided to over 3,856 students under all handicapping conditions.

Traditionally federal funds have supported creative and innovative efforts. For example, although operating in more than one site, statewide interagency educational programs exist for the deaf-blind, the hearing impaired, the visually impaired and the autistic. Such firm state funded arrangements utilize federal funds in a highly cost-effective manner, especially when a variety of agencies make up the service system for such children.

With the exception of agency programs, all other listed programs are administered for the State by local school districts with many designed to encourage integration and mainstreaming activities.



ECIA CHAPTER I HANDICAPPED PROGRAMS FISCAL YEAR 1987

SCHOOL/PROGRAM

AMOUNT OF FUNDING

ENROLLMENT

A. I. DU PONT

25,000

48

This program provides for othopedically handicapped students.

BUSH

29.500

59

This program serves Trainable Mentally Handicapped and Severely Mentally handicapped.

SPRINGER INTENSIVE LEARNING CENTER

149.500

299

This ILC serves students with severe Learning Disabilities, Social/ Emotional Problems and Educable Mentally Handicapped.

CHARLTON 48,00

96

This program serves Trainable Mentally Handicapped and Severely Mentally Handicapped.

CAESAR RODNEY ELEMENTARY INTENSIVE LEARNING CENTER

33.663

51

This ILC serves students with severe Learning Disabilities, Social/Emotional Problems and Educable Mentally Handicapped.

CHILDREN'S BEACH HOUSE

15.035

This is a nonprofit program that is partially supported by ECIA funds. It provides all handicapped students who wish to participate scientific studies information as it relates to the coastal environment.

SUSSEX ELEMENTARY
INTENSIVE LEARNING CENTER

69.960

106

This ILC serves students with severe Learning Disabilities, Social/Emotional Problems and Educable Mentally Handicapped.

KENT ORTHOPEDIC CENTER

30,000

60

This program serves students in the Kent County who exhibit orthopedic handicapping conditions requiring special programming.

DOUGLASS 32,000

64

This program serves Trainable Mentally Handicapped and Severely Mentally Handicapped.



SCHOOL/PROGRAM -

AMOUNT OF FUNDING

ENROLLMENT

STERCK HEARING IMPAIRED

90.000

180

This program supports those students with hearing impairment throughout the State.

CHRISTINA INTENSIVE LEARNING CENTER

252,500

505

This ILC supports students with severe Learning Disabilities, Social/Emotional Problems and Educable Mentally Handicapped.

STATEWIDE AUTISTIC PROGRAM

36,000

49

This is a statewide program providing services to school sites serving autistic children.

TRANSITION PROJECT

300,000

This is a project designated to create a model providing for transition services for (1) those students moving from more restrictive programs to a less restrictive program and (2) those who eligible, by need, for services assisting in the transition from school to work. It provides for pilot sites located throughout the State.

WALLACE WALLIN

47.974

96

This program services those students classified as Trainable Mentally Handicapped and/or Severely Mentally Handicapped.

LEACH

51,000

102

This program serves the New Castle County Orthopedically Handicapped population.

STUDENTS WORKING IN SAVI/SELPH (SCIENCE ACTIVITIES FOR THE VISUAOLLY IMPAIRED/SCIENCE ENRICHMENT FOR LEARNERS WITH PHYSICAL HANDICAPS 59,993

This is a statewide program which provides science kits which are distributed throughout the state providing science instruction for handicapped students. The kits are produced by handicapped students for handicapped students. Inservicing for teachers is also provided through this project.

ENNIS/STOCKLEY

77.500

155

This program provides services to the Sussex County Trainable and Severely Mentally Handicapped population.



SCHOOL/PROGRAM

AMOUNT OF FUNDING

ENROLLMENT -

KENT HIGH SCHOOL INTENSIVE LEARNING CENTER

30,500

31

This ILC serves students who have severe Learning Disabilities, Social/Emotional Problems and Educable Mentally Handicapped.

DELAWARE EARLY CHILDHOOD

83.500

This program provides services to those children residing in Kent and Sussex Counties. It assists in evaluations and referrals of preschool children to appropriate school and/or agency programs.

DELAWARE STATE HOSPTIAL REENTRY PROGRAM

10.752

22

This program is designed to assist those youth, who have been placed at the Delaware State Hospital, with their educational needs until they may return to their regular school programs.

MARSHALLTON

43,487

83

This is a vocational/educational program designed to provide learning disabled, socially/emotionally disturbed and educable mentally handicapped students with academic and vocational programming.

CORRECTIONS

75.202

64

This program provides incarcerated youth with academic and vocational programming. These handicapped youth are ages 18-21.

EASTER SEALS

15.000

30

This is a cooperative agreement between the New Castle County Vo Tech School District and Easter Seals to provide those severely handicapped students attending Marshailton with in-depth vocational assessments and, for some, sheltered workshop type experience basesd on their assessed abilities.

CONRAD/RICHARDSON PARK
INTENSIVE LEARNING CENTER

188,500

377

This ILC serves students who have severe Learning Disabilities, Social/Emotional Problems and Educable Mentally Handicapped.

MEADOWOOD

50.000

100

This program services those students classified as Trainable Mentally Handicapped and/or Severely Mentally Handicapped.



SCHOOL/PROGRAM AMOUNT OF FUNDING **ENROLLMENT** SUSSEX ORTHOPEDICALLY 15.000 30 HANDICAPPED This program serves the Sussex County Orthopedically Handicapped population. SUSSEX HIGH SCHOOL 35.824 34 INTENSIVE LEARNING CENTER This ILC serves students who have severe Learning Disabilities, Social/Emotional Problems and Educable Mentally Handicapped. LEARNING RESOURCE CENTERS CAPITAL 32.552 RICHARDSON PARK 48.621 UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE 32,000 DELAWARE TECHNICAL COMMUNITY 30.000 COLLEGE (Georgetown) These programs provide teachers statewide resource materials, inservicing and equipment access to support instruction in the classroom. They also provide access to information regarding teacher needs for personnel development. PRESCHOOL READINESS 94.000 188 FOR EDUCATION PROJECT This program run by the Department of Health and Social Services provides speech and language therapy to preschool children as a statewide service. VISUALLY IMPAIRED 58.827 98 This is a statewide program providing services to the visually impaired. RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT 15,000 30 **CENTERS** This program supports educational needs of those handicapped students placed in the DSCYF's residential programs. TERRY CENTER

This program provides support to public-agency educational programs designed to aide preschool children identified as handicapped.

This program is supported to provide educational services to those identified as handicapped who are placed at the Terry Center.



ISSUES

31.000

18,000

62

261

SCHOOL/PROGRAM

AMOUNT OF FUNDING

ENROLLMENT

PARENT ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING

141,758

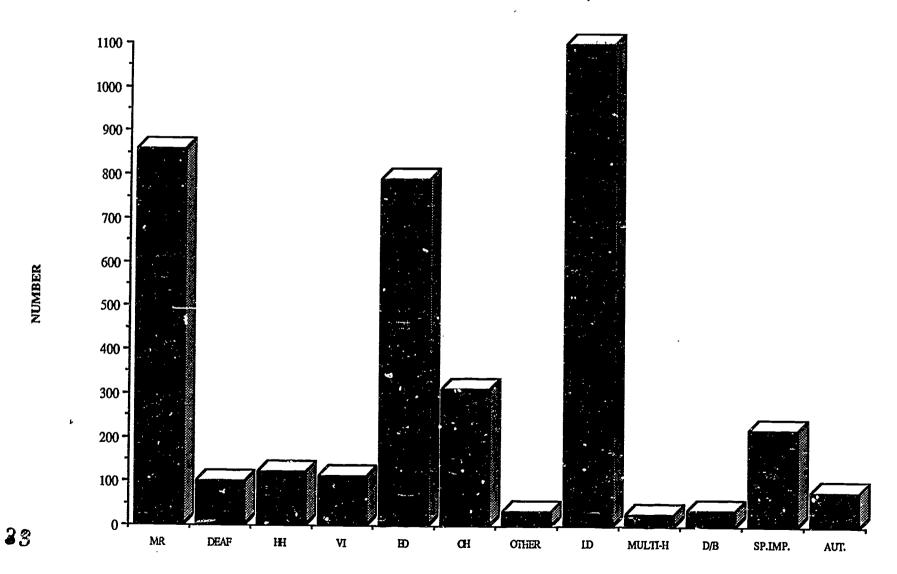
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This project is designed to assist parents regarding their rights regarding PL 94-142 and to provide training to assist those parents. It also aides in the process of private placement and general supervision of ECIA Chapter I Handicapped for those handicapped receiving services in state supported/state operated schools/programs.



E.C.I.A. Chapter I(H)

ADA COUNT OCTOBER 1, 1985





HANDICAP

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NEGLECTED DELIQUENT PROGRAMS

AGENCY	# OF STUDENTS	LEVEL OF FUNDING
Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families	96	\$ 135,021.
Department of Corrections	171	20,207.

These programs offer supplemental services in the curriculum areas of reading and mathematics to incarcerated students up to age 21. Projects are located at the Ferris School for Boys, Delaware Correctional Center, and Sussex Correction Institution.



IN SUMMARY

The information in this report was provided through reports from Local Education Agencies (LEAs) and State Applicant Agencies (SAAs).

It is evident after reading this report that the Chapter I program has had a tremendous impact on education in the State. The program is now looked upon as an integral part of the whole education process in each individual school system. Thousands of students who are in need of supplemental educational services are receiving these services through the help of the Chapter I program. Although it is not evident in this report parents play a large part in the success of the program. The State Parent Advisory Council is the driving force behind parent involvement.

