

KEARNS HIGH SCHOOL

MEMO 63

August 2009

SUBJECT: Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973

Section 504 states: "No otherwise qualified individual with a disability ... shall, solely by reason of her or his disability, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to any discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance."

If a student is disabled under Section 504, the district must make reasonable accommodations to ensure that the student receives a commensurate education, that is, the student must be served as adequately as non-disabled students.

Teachers are expected to follow the written 504 accommodation plan of any student enrolled at Kearns High School.