

Support services available to students at the C.O.O.R. Educational Center include:

- Occupational Therapy
- Physical Therapy
- Speech Therapy
- School Social Work Services
- School Psychological Services
- Consultant Services for Visual Impairments
- Consultant Services for Autism
- Consultant Services for Physical or Other Health Impairments
- Consultant Services and Support Services to CEC students participating in inclusionary programming in their home schools.
- Referral of adult students to public service providers, such as Michigan Rehabilitation Services and Community Mental Health.



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# C.O.O.R. ISD

C.O.O.R. Intermediate School District includes the counties of Crawford, Oscoda, Ogemaw and Roscommon, an area covering 2400 square miles. Within this area, C.O.O.R. serves six local public school districts, Crawford AuSable, Mio AuSable, Fairview, Houghton Lake, West Branch/Rose City and Gerrish-Higgins.

The I.S.D. acts as a link between the Michigan Department of Education and local school districts. The I.S.D. provides Special Education, Vocational Education and General Education programs on request that single local districts find difficult or impossible to provide: it collects and monitors data that is required by the Michigan Department of Education and works with local districts to insure that the type and nature of services needed within our area are properly represented at the state level.

The services that the I.S.D. provides allow local school districts, regardless of size, to have access to quality personnel, services and programs that they could not afford individually. This prevents unnecessary duplication and better use of state and local money through the sharing of resources.

# C.O.O.R. Educational Center

The C.O.O.R. Educational Center (CEC) is an educational institution providing specialized services to Moderately Cognitively Impaired, Severely Multiply Impaired, Autistic and Severely Cognitively Impaired students in the C.O.O.R. ISD service area. The CEC provides services for 82 to 87 students per year through seven different programs.

Programs for Severely Cognitively Impaired and Multiply Impaired students are divided into two classes: Primary, ages 4 to 15 and Secondary, ages 16 to 26. Programs for the Moderately Cognitively Impaired are divided into five classes: Primary Programs, ages 4 to 11, Intermediate, ages 11 to 13, Secondary, ages 14 to 19 and adult ages 19 to 26. The Primary and Secondary programs are housed in the Center while the adult students are based in a classroom located in downtown Roscommon.

Students attending the centralized programs at the CEC participate in educational programming based on a functional skills curriculum. In keeping with the functional skills curriculum concept, the purpose of the educational process at the Center is to facilitate the students' success in the larger community. The CEC experience provides an extensive set of age appropriate community based education experiences focusing on hands-on participation.

Classroom programming includes the development of communication skills, socialization skills, physical education, pre-vocational education and vocation education.

Students in the Adult Transition Program, based in Roscommon, are provided with a very intense set of community based training experiences designed to provide a coordinated set of activities between the school and adult service providers. These activities include pre-vocational training, work study, integration of community skills, assistance in developing an adult living plan, referral to agencies such as Michigan Rehabilitation Services, Community Mental Health and other public or private agencies that assist the student.

