



Common Acronyms

ABA- **A**ppplied **B**ehavior **A**nalysis

ABC- **A**ntecedent, **B**ehavior,
Consequence

ADAAA- **A**mericans with **D**isabilities **A**ct
Amendment **A**ct (formerly ADA)

ADD/ADHD- **A**ttention **D**eficit
Disorder/**A**ttention **D**eficit **H**yperactivity
Disorder

APD- **A**uditory **P**rocessing **D**isorder

APE- **A**daptive **P**hysical **E**ducation

ASD- **A**utism **S**pectrum **D**isorder

AT- **A**ssistive **T**echnology

BCBA- **B**oard **C**ertified **B**ehavior **A**nalyst

BIP- **B**ehavior **I**ntervention **P**lan

CBI- **C**ommunity **B**ased **I**nstruction

CEC- **C**ouncil for **E**xceptional **C**hildren

CTI- **C**areer **T**echnical **I**nstructor

D/B- **D**eaf **B**lind

D/HH- **D**eaf and **H**ard of **H**earing

DOE -**D**epartment **o**f **E**ducation

EBD- **E**motional **B**ehavioral **D**isorder

ECP- **E**arly **C**hildhood **P**rogram

ECSE - **E**arly **C**hildhood **S**pecial
Education

ED- **E**ducation **D**epartment (US)

ESY- **E**xtended **S**chool **Y**ear

FA- **F**unctional **A**ssessment

FAPE- **F**ree **A**ppropriate **P**ublic **E**ducation

FBA- **F**unctional **B**ehavior **A**ssessment

FERPA- **F**amily **E**ducational **R**ights and
Privacy **A**ct

FTE- **F**ull **T**ime **E**quivalency

FVE-**F**unctional **V**ision **E**valuation

GAA- **G**eorgia **A**lternative **A**ssessment

GDOE- **G**eorgia **D**epartment **o**f
Education

GIMC- **G**eorgia **I**nstructional **M**aterials
Center

GPAT-**G**eorgia **P**roject for **A**ssistive
Technology

HB- **H**ome **B**ased

H/H- **H**ospital/ **H**omebound

HLP- **H**igh **L**everage **P**ractices

HIPAA- **H**ealth **I**nsurance **P**ortability and
Accountability **A**ct



Common Acronyms

IDEA- Individuals with **D**isabilities
Education **A**ct

IDEIA- Individuals with **D**isabilities
Education **I**mprovement **A**ct

IEP- Individualized **E**ducation **P**rogram

IEE - Independent **E**ducational
Evaluation

LEA- **L**ocal **E**ducation **A**gency

LMA- **L**earning **M**edia **A**ssessment

LRE- **L**east **R**estrictive **E**nvironment

LSS- **L**ocal **S**chool **S**ystem

LVE- **L**ow **V**ision **E**valuation

MiID- **M**ild-Intellectually **D**isabled

MoID- **M**oderate-Intellectually **D**isabled

NOM- **N**otice **o**f **M**eeting

OCD- **O**bsessive **C**ompulsive **D**isorder

OCR- **O**ffice of **C**ivil **R**ights

ODD- **O**ppositional **D**efiant **D**isorder

OHI- **O**ther **H**ealth **I**mpairment

OI- **O**rthopedic **I**mpairment
Discapacidad ortopédica

O&M- **O**rientation and **M**obility

OSEP- **O**ffice of **S**pecial **E**ducation
Programs (US)

OSAH- **O**ffice of **S**tate **A**dministrative
Hearing

OSERS- **O**ffice of **S**pecial **E**ducation
Rehabilitation **S**ervices

OT- **O**ccupational **T**herapy/ **T**herapist
Terapia Ocupacional / Terapeuta

PA- **P**reparatory **A**ctivity

PDD- **P**ervasive **D**evelopmental **D**isorder

PECS- **P**icture **E**xchange **C**ommunication
System

PID- **P**rofound **I**ntellectual **D**isability

PLAAFP –**P**resent **L**evel of **A**cademic
Achievement and **F**unctional
Performance

PT- **P**hysical **T**herapy/ **T**herapist

PWN- **P**rior **W**ritten **N**otice

RTI- **R**esponse **t**o **I**ntervention

RVI- **R**elated **V**ocational **I**nstruction

SDD- **S**ignificant **D**evelopmental **D**elay

SDI- **S**pecially **D**esigned **I**nstruction

SEA- **S**tate **E**ducational **A**gency

SED- **S**everely **E**motionally **D**isturbed



Common Acronyms

SLI (or SI)- **S**peech **L**anguage
Impairment

SID- **S**evere **I**ntellectual **D**isability
Discapacidad Intelectual Severa

SLD- **S**pecific **L**earning **D**isability

SLP- **S**peech-**L**anguage **P**athologist

SOP- **S**tate **O**perated **P**rogram

SPP- **S**tate **P**erformance **P**lan

SST- **S**tudent **S**upport **T**eam

SWD- **S**tudents **W**ith **D**isabilities

TBI- **T**raumatic **B**rain **I**njury

V/H Tech- **V**ision/ **H**earing **T**echnician

VI- **V**isual **I**mpairments