

Visually Impaired in Left Eye Recommendations:

Large print is not necessarily needed, double-spacing would help though.

1. Place materials on a slant board (depth perception) and centrally or on right side.
2. Have student sit on left side of room, to allow student to scan with their right eye.
3. In group settings, have student sit in the middle or on left side, with peers on the right. This is to promote better socialization, better eye contact, and avoid bumping into peers.
4. Note taking from board to paper can take more time for student. If possible, provide student with notes from board.
5. Pair student with walking buddy during transitions, especially for a new environment. This is especially true for field trips.
6. There are no limitations in gym. However, depth perception may interfere with some ball sports. Student may struggle with catching and throwing accurately. Student should also be cautious with stairwells and transitions from outside to inside, until they are used to the environment.
7. Encourage student to scan their environment and/ or materials when viewing. This involves moving the head (not just eyes) from top to bottom, left to right.