

### Atlantic County

Y.A.L.E. School East, Inc.

### Bergen County

Alpine Learning Group, Inc.  
Bergen Center for Child Development, Inc.  
Children's Therapy Center  
Community High School  
Community School, Inc.  
David Gregory School  
ECLC of New Jersey Ho-Ho-Kus  
Educational Partnership for Instructing Children EPIC  
Felician School for Exceptional Children, Inc.  
Forum School  
High Point School of Bergen County  
Holmstead School  
Institute for Educational Achievement  
JCC on the Palisades Therapeutic Nursery  
Learning Center for Exceptional Children, Inc.  
Palisades Learning Center  
REED Academy  
YCS - Fort Lee Education Center  
YCS - George Washington School  
YCS - Sawtelle Learning Center - Paramus Annex Ridge Ranch School - Paramus High School  
YCS - Sawtelle Learning Center - Ridgewood Annex Ben Franklin School

### Burlington County

Children's Home - Mary A. Dobbins School  
Garfield Park Academy  
Githens Center (Burlington County Cerebral Palsy Association)  
Kingsway Learning Center Moorestown Campus  
Y.A.L.E. School North Inc. c/o Nokomis School

### Camden County

Bancroft NeuroHealth Early Intervention Program  
Bancroft Pre-School of Haddon Heights  
Bancroft Pre-School of Washington Township  
Bancroft School  
Bancroft School at Voorhees Pediatric Facility  
Brookfield Schools  
Crescent Hill Academy  
Kingsway Learning Center Haddonfield Campus  
Larc School, Inc.  
Y.A.L.E. School Cherry Hill Campus  
Y.A.L.E. School Southeast, Inc.  
YCS - Sawtelle Learning Center South

### Cumberland County

Devereux New Jersey Comprehensive Community Resources  
Pineland Learning Center, Inc.

### Essex County

ARC of Essex County Stepping Stones School  
Banyan School  
Child Development Center  
Children's Institute  
Deron School of New Jersey, Inc. (II)  
Essex Valley School  
Horizon High School Cerebral Palsy of North Jersey  
Horizon School Cerebral Palsy of North Jersey  
Mt. Carmel Guild Academy  
Mt. Carmel Guild Middle School  
Mt. Carmel Guild School and Preschool Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Newark

Northwest Essex Community Healthcare Network Therapeutic School & Preschool  
Phoenix Center, Inc.  
YCS - Independence High School  
YCS - Sawtelle Learning Center North  
YCS - Therapeutic Learning Center

### Gloucester County

Durand Academy and Community Services  
HollyDELL School  
St. John of God Community Services Archbishop Damiano School  
St. John of God Community Services Early Intervention Program  
St. John of God Community Services Vocational Rehabilitation/Adult Services  
Y.A.L.E. School Williamstown Campus

### Hudson County

Concordia Learning Center at St. Joseph's School for the Blind  
Mt. Carmel Guild High School  
YCS - Ernest M. May Academy  
YCS - Sawtelle Learning Center - Kearny Annex Franklin School

### Hunterdon County

Hunterdon Learning Center  
Spring Run School Center for Educational Advancement

### Mercer County

Bridge Academy  
Children's Day School of Family Guidance Center  
Eden A.C.R.E.s  
Eden Institute, Inc.  
Eden W.E.R.C.s  
Newgrange Education Center  
Newgrange School  
Princeton Child Development Institute  
Titusville Academy

### Middlesex County

Center School  
Lakeview School Cerebral Palsy Association of Middlesex County  
New Road School  
Newmark High School  
Pediatric Rehabilitation Department JFK Johnson Rehabilitation Institute  
You & Me School

### Monmouth County

ARC - Dorothy B. Hersh High School  
Children's Center of Monmouth County  
Coastal Learning Center - North  
Coastal Learning Center - South  
Collier Youth Services - Collier Group Home  
Collier Youth Services - Collier High School  
Collier Youth Services - Kateri Day Camp  
Collier Youth Services - Kateri Environmental Education Center  
Collier Youth Services - Project Eco  
CPC Behavioral Healthcare High Point Adolescent School  
CPC Behavioral Healthcare High Point Elementary School  
LADACIN Network Schroth School & Technical Education Center  
Oakwood School  
Rugby School at Woodfield  
School for Children  
SEARCH Day Program, Inc.

### Morris County

Allegro School, Inc.  
Calais School  
Celebrate the Children

Chapel Hill Academy  
Daytop Preparatory School  
ECLC of New Jersey Chatham  
Montgomery Academy  
P.G. Chambers School

### Ocean County

Coastal Learning Center - Tuckerton Campus  
Education Academy  
LADACIN Network Lehmann School and Technical Education Center  
New Road School of Ocean County  
School for Children with Hidden Intelligence (SCHI)

### Passaic County

Banyan Upper School  
Passaic County Elks Cerebral Palsy Elementary School  
Passaic County Elks Cerebral Palsy High School

### Salem County

HollyDELL School  
Ranch Hope/Strang School  
St. John of God Community Services The Damian O'Shea Children's Center

### Somerset County

Bonnie Brae School  
East Mountain School Carrier Clinic  
Green Brook Academy  
Lord Stirling School  
Matheny School at the Matheny Medical and Educational Center  
McAuley School for Exceptional Children  
Midland School  
New Road School of Somerset  
Rock Brook School  
Somerset Hills Learning Institute  
Somerset Hills School

### Sussex County

Willowglen Academy - NJ, Inc.

### Union County

Arc Kohler School  
Cerebral Palsy League Come Play and Learn Early Childhood Center  
Cerebral Palsy League CPL Adult Services  
Cerebral Palsy League Jardine Academy-Cranford Campus  
Cerebral Palsy League Jardine Academy-Union Campus  
Cerebral Palsy League Kaleidoscope Early Intervention Program  
Children's Specialized Hospital Preschool/Primary/Early Intervention Programs  
Deron School of New Jersey, Inc. (I)  
Newmark School  
Summit Speech School at the F.M. Kirby Center

### Warren County

Stepping Stone School Elnorah, Inc.



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## ASAH – Serving the Private Special Education Community Since 1974

ASAH is a not-for-profit organization of private schools and agencies in New Jersey that provide highly specialized services to more than 11,000 infants, children and young adults. Our members serve students with a full range of educational disabilities, including autism, intellectual disabilities, dyslexia and other learning disabilities, physical and medical disabilities, social and emotional disabilities, and significant multiple disabilities. Founded in 1974 by thirteen private schools, ASAH now serves more than 130 school locations.

For more than 35 years, ASAH has advocated for legislative and regulatory changes that improve the quality of life for children with special needs and their families.

## Highest Standards for Quality & Accountability

ASAH and its members ensure high standards of excellence in private schools and agencies serving students and youth with disabilities. Many have accreditation from Middle States and The National Commission for the Accreditation of Special Education Services. Our member schools:

- are monitored and approved by the New Jersey Department of Education;
- meet or exceed public school standards in every area, including curriculum, staffing and facilities; and,
- have professional staff who are fully credentialed for the positions they hold.

We believe in accountability. Our schools use instructional strategies and interventions based on research and best practice. ASAH's ongoing outcomes studies show that students who attend ASAH member schools go on to find meaningful employment and live as independently as possible in the community.



ASAH also sponsors New Jersey's largest and most comprehensive conference on special education, and proudly recognizes the accomplishments of special educators.

## Partnerships with Families

ASAH serves as a source of information and referral for anyone seeking appropriate placement of students with special needs.



### ASAH provides:

- ASAH's *Parents' Connection* newsletter to 10,000 parents twice a year
- *A Statewide Directory of Private Special Education Programs In New Jersey*
- *Transition from School to Adult Life\**
- *A Guide for Parents Considering Special Education Placement\**
- ASAH's toll-free Parents' Assistance Line (PAL)
- A speaker's bureau for parent groups
- An informative website with resources and advocacy tools

Students are referred by local school districts. If the program is appropriate and can fulfill the student's Individualized Education Program (IEP), he or she is served at no cost to families.

(\* available in both English and Spanish)

## Partnerships with School Districts

ASAH schools offer highly specialized, cost effective options for districts looking to serve students for whom in-district services are not appropriate. We work to ensure that students are served in the least restrictive setting, with an emphasis on returning students to public school settings whenever possible. Nearly 45% of the students who exit ASAH member private schools do so to return to local public programs. Most students remain at ASAH member schools for less than five years.

Our members can help public schools enhance the scope and quality of their special education services through training, on-site support and curriculum development. Many offer consultative services to facilitate students' transition back to the public school setting, or to develop new services and programs.

Since 1985, ASAH has partnered with the New Jersey School Boards Association to sponsor Special Education Week in New Jersey.

