

Committed to Resolution....

Santa Barbara County SELPA is committed to helping families and schools collaborate, and build bridges between different and diverging perspectives and expectations.

How to Schedule an ADR Meeting

1. Call the SBCSELPA at: (805) 683-1424
2. SBCSELPA completes 'Intake' Form gathering areas of concern and personal information of the caller.
3. SBCSELPA Administrator to reach out to parent(s) and district Administration to seek interest in an ADR Meeting.
4. ADR Cadre assigned by SBCSELPA Administrator to facilitate communication with parent(s) and district.

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Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR)



Student-Centered, and Goal-Oriented...

The ultimate goal of ADR is to build positive relationships that serve students' highest interests and needs, and to foster communication, collaboration, and compromise within our community of friends, family, learners, and agencies.

As part of this commitment SBCSELPA offers the following services:

- **ADR 'Cadre' Facilitators:** Trained Professionals in Conflict Mediation and the IEP process.
- **Non- IEP Conference or Facilitated IEPs:** A neutral facilitator organizes the topics of concern for an agenda and presents agenda to parent(s) and school, attends and assists in documentation during the meeting, supports collaboration and identifies consensus.
- **Staff and Parent trainings:** A variety of trainings offered related to ADR, legal updates, and the IEP process.



- **Teamwork**
- **Student Focused**
- **Outcome-Based Meetings**
- **Confidential**
- **No Cost**