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Indiana has passed new legislation (SEA 217) surrounding the identification of students who may exhibit characteristics of dyslexia.

Characteristics of Dyslexia: Dyslexia is a specific learning disability that is neurobiological in origin. It is characterized by difficulties with accurate and/or fluent word recognition and by poor spelling and decoding abilities. These difficulties typically result from a deficit in the phonological component of language that is often unexpected in relation to other cognitive abilities and the provision of effective classroom instruction. Secondary consequences may include problems in reading comprehension and reduced reading experience that can impede growth of vocabulary and background knowledge.

As part of this legislation, each year schools are asked to report information surrounding their service to these specific students. Below is that information:

Interventions Used During the 2018-2019 School Year:

- Orton Gillingham

Number of students identified as being at risk for dyslexia during the 2018-2019 school year:

- 0 (Screening process had not yet been implemented. Students received support in the area of reading, but were not specifically screened for this identification.)