

FDLRS Child Find Most Frequently Asked Questions

- **Who attends the screening?**
Both child and legal guardian(s) participate in the screening. With written parental consent another caregiver may accompany the child.
- **How long will it take?**
The screening, conference with the parent, and the paper work will usually last from 45 minutes to 90 minutes.
- **How much will it cost?**
It is a **free service**.
- **What happens during the screening?**
You will be greeted in the school's front office by the Child Find Specialist. A full developmental screening including speech, hearing and vision is conducted using a play format. Parents take part in the screening by answering questions and sharing information about their child.
- **When will I get the results?**
The results of the screening are discussed with the guardian/parent immediately following the screening.
- **What happens if my child does not pass the screening?**
If your child does not pass the screening, referrals to the school district for more in-depth evaluations may be recommended. Referral for further testing is only done with parental consent. Once the evaluation has been completed, you will be contacted to attend an eligibility meeting. If you need information on other community resources, you will be provided with those as well.