



# Special Education in New York City

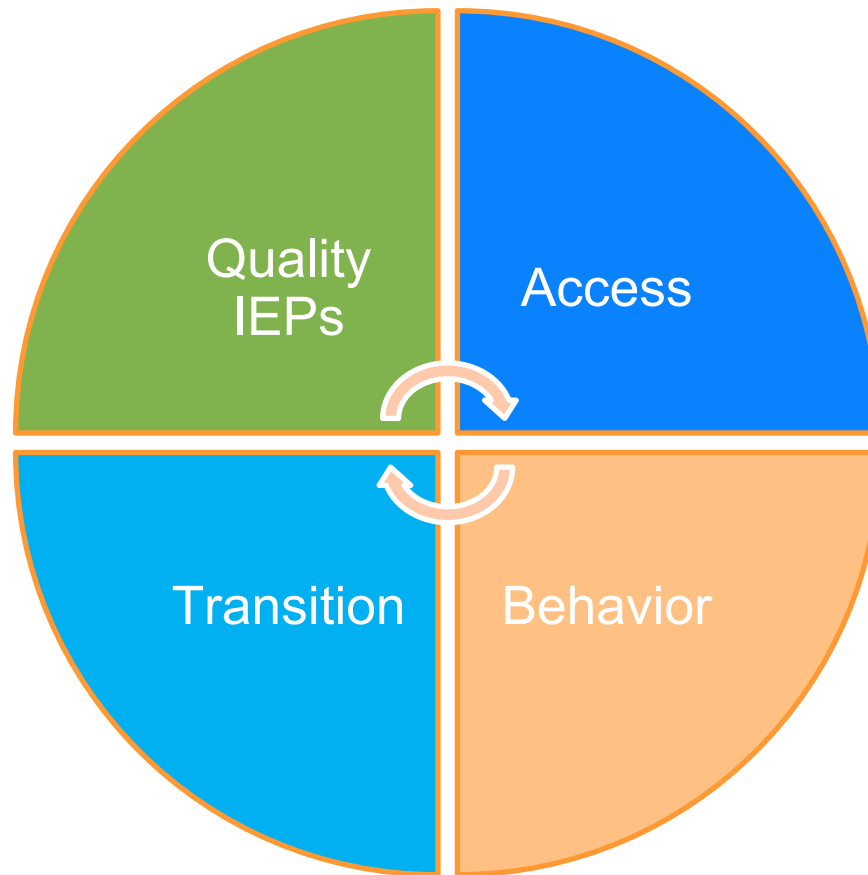
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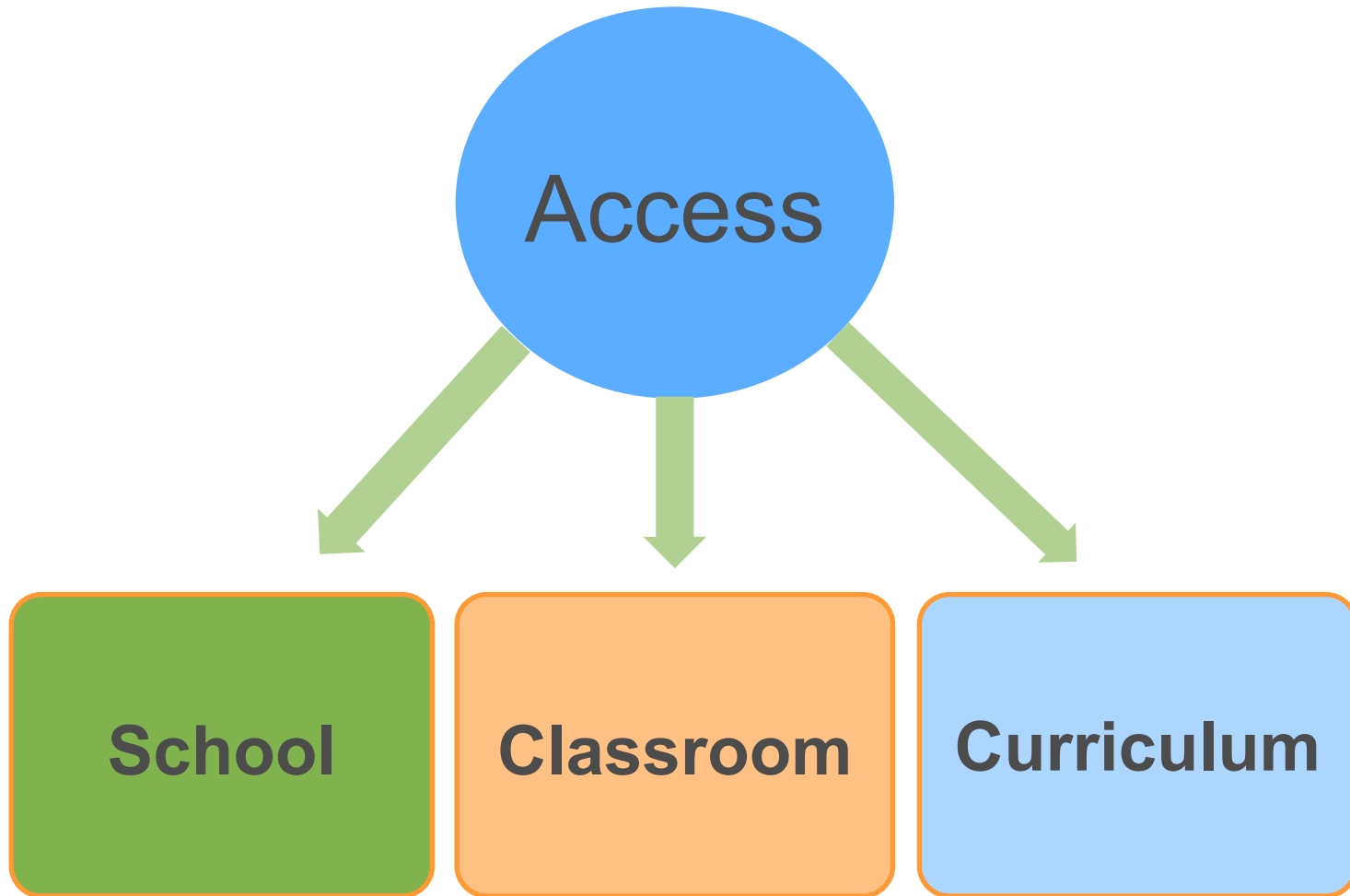
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# Agenda

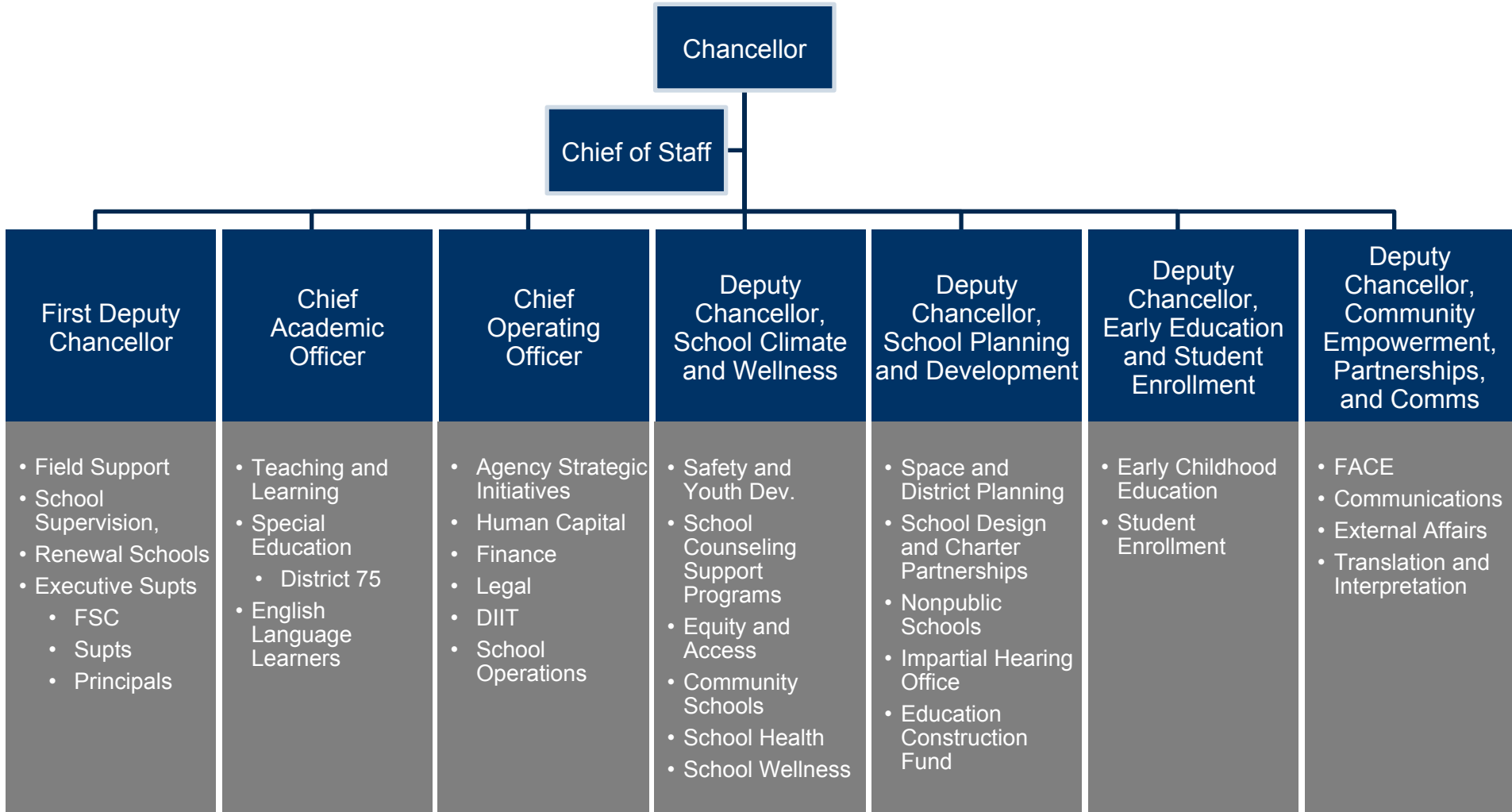
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# NYC DOE Organization

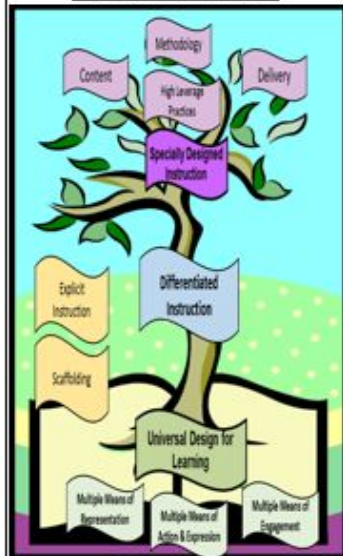


**Building Inclusive Communities & Expanding the Portfolio of Inclusion Initiatives**

Reducing over-referrals to special education



Strengthening knowledge of Specially Designed Instruction (SDI) and launching lab sites



Expanding specialized programs and ensuring impact

Bilingual Special Education

**ACCESS!**



ACES

Expanding the transition planning process and work-based learning



WORK BASED LEARNING



Growing the preschool continuum

PRE-K FOR ALL

3-K FOR ALL

Improving Autism supports across the continuum



Building a bench of inclusive school leaders and teacher leaders & Refining strategy with and for charter and non-public schools as needed

# Specialized Programs

- Academic, Career, and Essential Skills Program (ACES)
- Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) Nest and ASD Horizon
- Bilingual Special Education (BSE)

For more information about these programs and how to apply, visit

[www.schools.nyc.gov/special-education/school-settings/specialized-programs](http://www.schools.nyc.gov/special-education/school-settings/specialized-programs)

# Resources for Schools and Families

- NY DOE Special Education Website and InfoHub
  - <http://schools.nyc.gov/specialeducation> and <https://infohub.nyced.org>
  
- If you have any questions, please feel free to email:
  - [SpecialEducation@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:SpecialEducation@schools.nyc.gov) and [D75info@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:D75info@schools.nyc.gov)
  
- If you have any questions, please feel free to call:
  - Special Education Hotline at **718-935-2007** or **311**
  
- If you have any questions specific to Specialized Programs, email:
  - [SpecializedPrograms@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:SpecializedPrograms@schools.nyc.gov)
  
- If you want to attend a parent workshop, visit a parent center:
  - Brooklyn, Manhattan, Queens, Bronx: INCLUDEnyc - [www.includenyc.org](http://www.includenyc.org)
  - Staten Island: Parent to Parent NY- [www.parenttoparentnyinc.org](http://www.parenttoparentnyinc.org)



# Transition & College Access Centers

## Mission

In collaboration with various stakeholders, the Transition and College Access Centers will support schools and families with facilitating a seamless transition for students from school to adult life, in preparation to be productive, fulfilled members of society.



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# Questions

