

Dear Principal, Assistant Principal(s), and 504 Liaison,

I am the Parent/Legal Guardian/Foster Parent/Educational Decision Maker of child at your school (my child).

My child is struggling in school and I am hoping you can help me. I am respectfully requesting a 504 Plan for my child. My child has a disability/impairment and I believe my child may need the supports that a 504 Plan provides. My child's birthday is

My child has been diagnosed with

I am attaching proof of this diagnosis/impairment from a professional

I will bring in proof of the disability when we meet.

I believe my child may need a 504 Plan because my child's diagnosis/impairment affects their major life activity of doing well in school. Specifically, my child is struggling in school because my child is/has:

Low grades

Low test scores

Struggling according to a teacher

Not turning in work; Struggling with homework

Getting in trouble at school

Crying or showing anxiety at home about school

Not going/wanting to go to school

Needs special help due the disability or needs some flexibility of school rules based on the effects of the disability

Struggles in navigating the school campus and getting to classes on-time

Other:

I would also like to discuss at our meeting what other school supports and interventions are available for my child generally and how I can help my child do well in school. I have heard there are interventions and plans that may be available for my child to be put into to help my child

engage in school outside of the 504 Plan, while the 504 Plan is being put into place, or as a part of the 504 Plan.

If you do not believe my child needs a 504 Plan and/or other services would benefit or be better for my child, I know I will hear from you in writing about of your denial of the 504 Plan. I understand you have a right to deny my request if you feel my child does not need a 504 Plan or if you feel something else might be better for my child. I know I will receive the reasons for your denial and what the next steps are from you if I disagree with your denial. If you do deny the 504 Plan for any reason, I hope you will suggest other supports my child may need or benefit from instead.

I believe my child can succeed at your school if given the proper supports. I hope we can work together to support my child through the 504 Plan and/or through other supports you suggest.

Thank you for your time and effort in considering my request. Please contact me within 5 school days to discuss my request or to set up a meeting to create a 504 Plan for my child via phone at

and/or via email at

Respectfully,