

## RHODE ISLAND MATERIALS ACCESS CENTER @ TechACCESS OF RI

## Focus: Acquiring Accessible Instructional Materials in a Timely Manner Who Is Eligible?

Eligibility	Qualified under the Copyright Act, (NIMAC) as Amended (IEP)	Qualified under the Copyright Act, (NIMAC) as Amended (Section 504 Plan)	Does not qualify under the Copyright Act, (NIMAC) as Amended (IEP)	Does not qualify under the Copyright Act, (NIMAC) as Amended (Section 504 Plan)
Definition	Who have a print disability based on blindness, or visual impairment, or physical disability, or have a reading disability based upon an organic dysfunction.	Students who have a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities but are not in need of specially designed instruction. These students would fall into the following categories:  Blind Visually Impaired Physically Disabled Reading Disabled based upon an organic dysfunction	Students who do not qualify under the Copyright Act as Amended, but whose print disability still requires the use of accessible instructional materials in order for them to progress in the general education curriculum, as determined by their IEP	Students who do not qualify under the Copyright Act as Amended have a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities but are not in need of specially designed instruction and do not fall into the four categories listed for Copyright eligibility as determine by their 504 Plan
Specialized Formats	Braille, Large Print, Audio, and Digital Text	Braille, Large Print, Audio, Digital Text	Large Print, Audio, Digital Text	Large Print, Audio, Digital Text
Where to Acquire Specialized Formats?	Publishers     Rhode Island Materials     Access Center (can use     NIMAC as well as other     sources such as APH     Louis, Bookshare,     Accessible Book     Collection, Web Braille,     Learning Ally, etc.)	<ul> <li>Publishers</li> <li>Rhode Island Materials     Access Center (can use     other sources but cannot     use NIMAC)</li> <li>APH Louis, Bookshare,     Accessible Book Collection,     Web Braille, Learning Ally, etc.)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Publishers</li> <li>Rhode Island Materials Access Center</li> <li>LEA Produced</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Publishers</li> <li>Rhode Island Materials     Access Center</li> <li>LEA Produced</li> </ul>





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