ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA SPEECH OR LANGUAGE IMPAIRMENT

Student	Name: Date:
Definition: Speech or language impairment means a communication disorder, such as stuttering, impaired articulation, a language impairment, or a voice impairment that adversely affects a child's educational performance.	
Checklist for Determining Eligibility:	
1.	Identification of Disability
	Documentation of student deficits in one or more of the following areas that are not developmentally or environmentally appropriate:
	Articulation/Phonology
	Fluency
	Language
	Voice
2.	Documentation of adverse effect on educational performance
3.	Determination of need for special education and related services

Yes

No

The student meets criteria for Speech and/or Language Impairment: