

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 60th Legislature (2025)

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

4 FOR

HOUSE BILL NO. 2247

By: Waldron

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8 An Act relating to special education; requiring State
9 Department of Education develop certain standards;
10 providing for codification; and providing an
11 effective date.

12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

13 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
14 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 13-101A of Title 70, unless
15 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

16 The State Department of Education shall develop standards to
17 implement the least restrictive environment requirements in the
18 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) to ensure
19 students with special needs are not unnecessarily excluded from the
20 classroom.

21 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2025.

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