



# New Jersey Association for Gifted Children

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**NJ Administrative Code (law)** <http://www.state.nj.us/education/code/current/title6a/chap8.pdf>

**6A:8-1.3 Definitions** “Gifted and talented students” means students who possess or demonstrate high levels of ability in one or more content areas when compared to their chronological peers in the local school district and who require modifications of their educational program if they are to achieve in accordance with their capabilities.

**Frequently Asked Questions** [http://www.state.nj.us/education/genfo/faq/faq\\_gandt.htm](http://www.state.nj.us/education/genfo/faq/faq_gandt.htm)  
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5. District boards of education shall be responsible for identifying gifted and talented students and shall provide them with appropriate instructional adaptations and services.

- i. District boards of education shall make provisions for an ongoing K-12 identification process for gifted and talented students that includes multiple measures.
- ii. District boards of education shall provide appropriate kindergarten- through-grade-12 (K-12) educational services for gifted and talented students.
- iii. District boards of education shall develop appropriate curricular and instructional modifications used for gifted and talented students indicating content, process, products, and learning environment.
- iv. District boards of education shall take into consideration the Pre-K–Grade 12 Gifted Programming Standards of the National Association for Gifted Children in developing programs for gifted and talented students.

## **Professional Development:**

**NJAGC Annual Conference:** March 22, 2019 [www.njagc.org](http://www.njagc.org) Jeff Danielian keynote  
(see awards, events, mini-grants, student contests, scholarships, resources, publications)

**POST** Professional Online Supports for Teachers monthly e-zine, tab for gifted  
<http://www.nj.gov/education/cccs/resources/educators/post/>

**Rider University** G & T Symposium: (free) each August, [graduate courses in gifted](https://www.rider.edu/events/gifted-education-and-creativity-symposium)  
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**Rutgers University** free webinars, annual Nov.conference, courses, endorsement in G & T  
<http://gifteded.rutgers.edu>

**Montclair State University** online graduate Gifted and Talented certificate [http://](http://www.montclair.edu/graduate/programs-of-study/gifted-and-talented-education-online-certificate/)  
[www.montclair.edu/graduate/programs-of-study/gifted-and-talented-education-online-certificate/](http://www.montclair.edu/graduate/programs-of-study/gifted-and-talented-education-online-certificate/)

**University of Connecticut** (online courses, summer workshops, research, resources) [https://](https://gifted.uconn.edu/)  
[gifted.uconn.edu/](https://gifted.uconn.edu/)

## **Free online information for educators and parents:**

National Association for Gifted Children [www.nagc.org](http://www.nagc.org)

New Jersey Association for Gifted Children [www.njagc.org](http://www.njagc.org) (state affiliate of NAGC)  
[www.hoagiesgifted.org](http://www.hoagiesgifted.org) great information about acceleration, enrichment, testing and more

<http://www.byrdseed.com/> (see free subscription to Puzzlements)

Supporting Emotional Needs of the Gifted <http://sengifted.org> free e-zine newsletter

2e newsletter (Twice Exceptional) [www.2enewsletter.com](http://www.2enewsletter.com) [understood.org](http://understood.org) 2e support

Davidson Institute for Talent Development [www.davidsongifted.org](http://www.davidsongifted.org) see database

Council for Exceptional Children, The Association for Gifted [cectag.org](http://cectag.org) see free Updates

**March is Gifted Students Month in NJ** (see <https://www.njagc.org/gifted-month.html>)  
Legislature’s Resolution, article with ideas to celebrate and learn more!