

**Division of Elementary and Secondary Education - Special Education Unit
Advisory Council for the Education of Children with Disabilities
Monitoring and Program Effectiveness, July 2020**

Monitoring Activities

- SEA supervisors completed monitoring reviews for districts and sent Letters of Findings to districts.
- Team is reviewing procedures and processes for 2020-21 school year.
- Working on inter-rater reliability for each of our tools and processes to ensure that we all use the tools and interpret items on the tools in the same way.

Program Effectiveness

- SEA supervisors attended the Arkansas Association of Special Education Administrators (AASEA) virtual conference.
- SEA supervisors attended the DESE Summit.
- SEA supervisors are supporting the English Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) training this summer.
- Supporting districts as they implement remote learning during the COVID-19 pandemic, including facilitating virtual discussion groups.
- Developing mini-training sessions to post on the web. These will be 10 minutes or less and will be on frequently asked topics such as Extended School Year (ESY) services and transfer student processes.