



Child Find
The Ohio County School District (OCSD) keeps educational records in a secure location in each school and Board office.

The OCSD obtains written consent from a parent or eligible student (age 18 or who is attending a postsecondary institution), before disclosing personally identifiable information to an entity or individual not authorized to receive it under FERPA.

For students who have been determined eligible for Special Education, educational records will be destroyed at the request of the parents when they are no longer needed to provide educational programs or services. The OCSD may destroy the educational records of a child without parent request three years after they are no longer needed to provide educational programs or services. Parents are advised that data contained in the records may later be needed for Social Security benefits or other purposes. The OCSD may retain, for an indefinite period of time, a record of the student's name, address, telephone number, grades, attendance records, classes attended, grade level completed, and year completed.

Children eligible for Special Education include those children with disabilities who have autism, deaf-blindness, developmental delay, emotional-behavior disability, hearing impairment, mental disability, multiple disabilities, orthopedic impairment, other health impairment, specific learning disability, speech or language impairment, traumatic brain injury, or visual impairment and who because of such an impairment need Special Education services.

Children eligible for Section 504 services include those children in a public elementary and secondary education program who have a current physical or mental impairment that currently substantially limits some major life activity which causes the student's ability to access the school environment or school activities to be substantially limited.

Children eligible for the State-Funded Preschool program include three- and four-yearold children identified with disabilities and four-year-old children who are at-risk, as defined by federal poverty levels up to 160%. Preschool children eligible for special education must have an Individual Education Program (IEP) instead of a 504 Accommodation Plan to receive State-Funded Preschool program services.

The OCSD has an ongoing "Child Find" system, which is designed to locate, identify and age three (3) to twenty-one (21) years, who may have a disability and be in need of Special Education or 504 services. This includes children who are not in school; those who are in public, private, or home school; those who are highly mobile such as children who are migrant or homeless; and those who are advancing from grade to grade, who may need but are not receiving Special Education or 504 services.

The district's "Child Find" system includes children with disabilities attending private or home schools within the school district boundaries who may need special education services.

The OCSD will make sure any child enrolled in its district who qualifies for Special Education or Section 504 services, regardless of how severe the disability, is provided appropriate Special Education or 504 services at no cost to the parents of the child.

Parents, relatives, public and private agency employees, and concerned citizens are urged to help the OCSD find any child who may have a disability and need Special Education or Section 504 services. The OCSD needs to know the name and age, or date of birth of the child; the name, address, and phone number(s) of the parents or guardian; the possible disability; and other information to determine if Special Education or Section 504 services are needed.

Letters and phone calls are some of the ways the OCSD collects the information needed. The information the OCSD collects will be used to contact the parents of the child and find out if the child needs to be evaluated or referred for Special Education or Section 504 services.

If you know of a child who lives within the boundaries of the OCSD, who may have a disability, and may need but is not receiving Special Education or Section 504 services, please call 270-298-3249 or send the information to:

Braidy Vance
Director of Special Education/Section 504 Coordinator
Ohio County School District
315 East Union Street
Hartford, KY42347
270-298-3249

If you know of a child who attends a private or home school within the boundaries of the OCSD, who may have a disability, and may need, but is not receiving Special Education services, please call 270-298-3249 or send the information to:

Braidy Vance
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"Child Find" activities will continue throughout the school year. As part of these efforts the OCSD will use screening information, student records, and basic assessment information it collects on all children in the OCSD to help locate those children who have a disability and need Special Education or Sections 504 services. Any information the OCSD collects through "Child Find" is maintained confidentially.

Written Policies and Procedures have been developed which describe the District's requirements regarding the confidentiality of personally identifiable information and "Child Find" activities. There are copies in the Principal's office of each school, and in the Board of Education office. Copies of these Policies and Procedures may be obtained by contacting:

Cheston Hoover
Assistant Superintendent
Ohio County School District
315 East Union Street
Hartford, KY42347
270-298-3249

The OCSD office is open Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The OCSD provides a public notice in the native language or other mode of communication of the various populations in the geographical boundaries of the District to the extent feasible.

If you know of someone who may need this notice translated to another language, given orally, or delivered in some other manner or mode of communication, please contact the Assistant Superintendent, the Director of Special Education, or the Section 504 Coordinator at the address or phone number listed above for the Ohio County Schools.

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ORDINANCE 25-1

Ordinance adopting the City of Centertown, Kentucky annual budget for the fiscal year of July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027 by estimating revenue and resources and appropriating funds for the operation of city government.

Whereas, an annual budget proposal and message has been prepared and delivered to the City Commission, and

Whereas, the City Commission has reviewed such budget proposal and made necessary modifications.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF CENTERTOWN, KENTUCKY:

Section I: That the annual budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026 and ending June 30, 2027 is hereby adopted as follows:

Resources:	General Fund	Road Aid	LGEA	Water	Sewer	Fire Dept.
Balance	\$44,642	\$36,482	\$1,897.53	\$260,289	\$13,387	\$27,410
Property Tax	\$26,800					
Insurance Tax	\$42,000					
Motor Vehicle Tax	\$5,900					
Franchise & Telecomm.	\$13,000					
Administrative Fee	\$184,228					
Charge for Services				\$781,350		
Water Deposits				\$3,000		
Rental Income				\$1,000		
Business License						
Interest Income				\$3,836		
Fire Dues						\$4,100
Donations						\$500
Intergovernmental Revenue		\$7,975				\$18,000
Sewer Sales					\$87,300	
Revenues		\$7,550				
TOTAL	\$279,478	\$52,000	\$0	\$787,625	\$87,300	\$22,600
Expenses:						
Payroll	\$141,328					
Utilities						
Water Purchase				\$233,750		
Utilities				\$18,600	\$18,600	
Supplies	\$6,000			\$22,200		\$13,600
Vehicle Gas				\$10,200		
School/Sales Tax				\$17,700		
Advertising				\$2,000		
Office Supplies / Postage				\$6,900		
Repairs / Main.				\$42,660	\$15,130	
Computer services				\$7,100		
Professional Fees						
Legal/Accounting						
Water loan (KIA)	\$21,840			\$66,000		
Sewage Treatment					\$45,000	
Public Safety						
Street repairs	\$21,840					
Dues Expense						\$150
Equipment Contract Labor	\$36,000					
Misc.						
TOTAL	\$227,008	\$	\$0	\$800,285	\$78,730	\$13,750

Section II: This Ordinance shall be of effect July 1, 2026.

First Public Reading: June 1, 2026

Second Public Reading: June 30, 2026

Mike Aldridge, Mayor

ATTEST: Tamra Robey, Clerk

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