Navigating children’s needs and the solutions that will truly help them can be challenging and, at times, overwhelming for many parents. Islands of Brilliance understands the many questions that may be on parents’ minds, and very likely, have answered them over the last eight years.

IOB has grown and learned so much about our students, their needs, and how our programming can help them achieve new goals and reach new heights. We leveraged this information and experience to launch our largest initiative yet in Fall 2020—our Concierge Approach to learning.

The Concierge Approach: How it Works

**STEP 1: Complete the Connect Form**
Head to islandsofbrilliance.com/programming, click on the “Connect with us” link and fill in and submit the Connect Form. Once completed, a member of our Education Team will contact you to develop a full understanding of your child’s strengths, needs, and interests. We may also want to discover the learning objectives that have been identified for your child at school as well as your vision for their future.

**STEP 2: Find the right fit**
By leveraging our multi-layer programming opportunities—AKA The Program Pyramid—we are able to provide a learning path recommendation that is in alignment with your child's individual needs, goals, and desires. Whether that plan focuses on IEP goals or simply finds a “happy place” for a student, different program options exist to meet objectives.

**STEP 3: Prepping your student**
Getting your student ready to go on day #1 is mission critical for future success. Whether that be conducting virtual staff introductions, walking through technical applications, jumping on a Zoom call to answer any student questions, or creating a social story that helps a student learn more about walking into an unfamiliar situation, IOB will work with parents to identify any preparation needed to ensure their student is ready.

**STEP 4: Ready. Set. Enroll!**
Program registration is easy. Head over to Eventbrite to enroll your child at islandsofbrilliance.eventbrite.com. If applicable, now is also the time to work with your child’s case manager to determine if programming can be covered.

**STEP 5: Watch your child grow!**
It’s program time! Students will find a place that is familiar, welcoming, and lets them think and create in an outcome-focused environment. We hope they get excited to participate and are proud to share their accomplishments. And for parents, we hope you’re just as excited too!

Rather than expect students to adapt to the environment, we create the ideal environment.

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