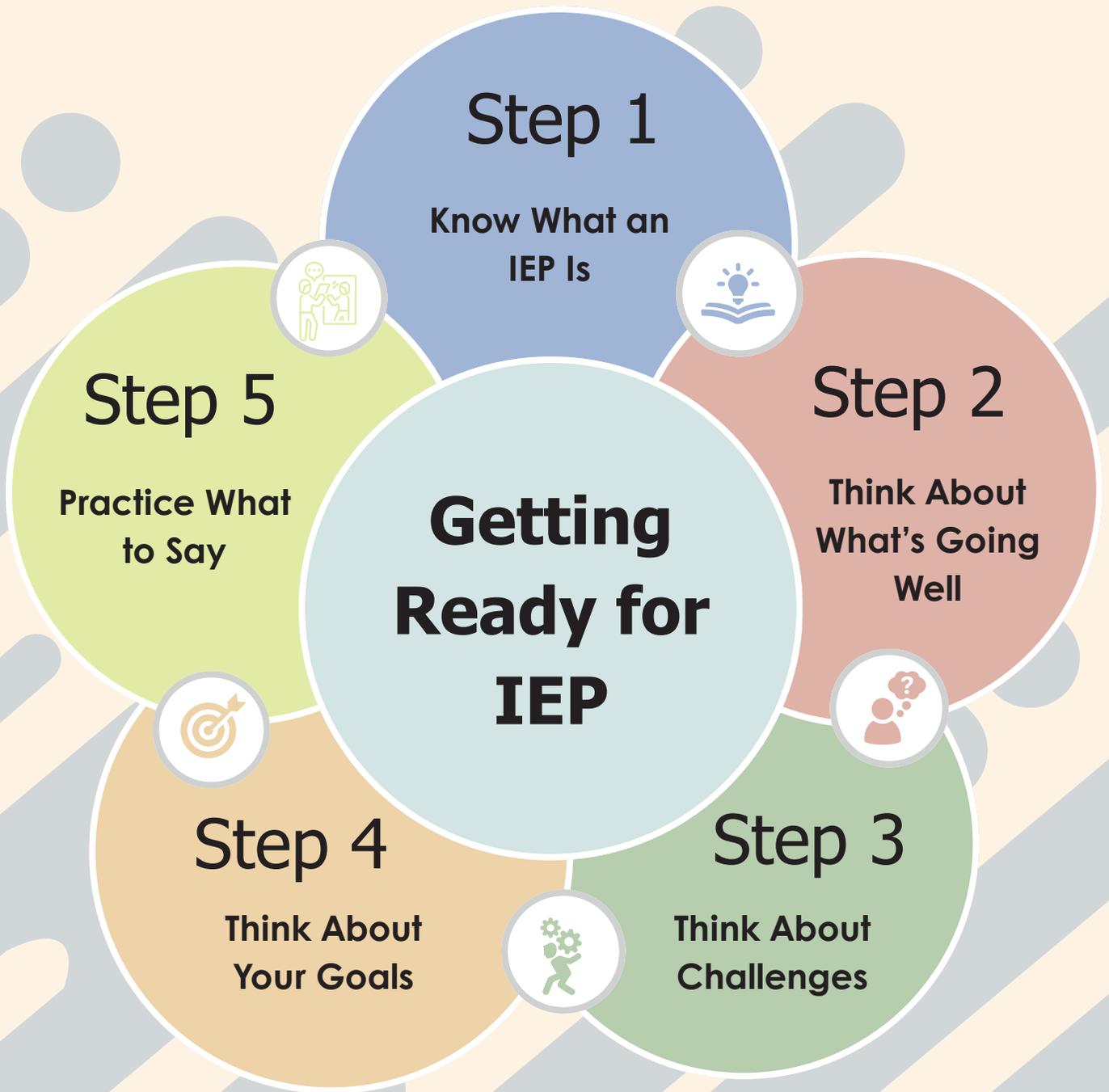


Getting Ready for Your IEP Meeting



An IEP meeting is a time for you, your family, teachers, and school staff to talk about your education and how to help you succeed. Your ideas and opinions are important!



Step 1: Know What an IEP Is



Directions: Check the boxes when you understand what each sentence below means.

IEP stands for Individualized Education Program

An IEP is a legal document that lists your learning goals and support services

You have the right to attend your IEP meeting and invite guests

You can speak up and share your thoughts and goals

Step 2: Think About What's Going Well



Directions: Write or draw things that are going well in school right now. What are you proud of?

Example: "I'm doing great in science class" or "I work well with my job coach."

Step 3: Think About Challenges



Directions: Write or draw what is hard for you at school?
What do you need help with?

Example: "I have trouble staying organized" or "I get nervous reading out loud."

Step 4: Think About Your Goals



Directions: Check the boxes of goals that are important to you. Add your own if you want!

Learn job skills

Get a driver's license or ID

Practice cooking or laundry

Take a class I enjoy

Learn how to manage money

Plan for life after high school

Make friends

