

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Mansfield Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Parents: Attorney Walter Keenan, 156 Coventry Rd.,
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Appearing on behalf of the Board: Attorney Michael McKeon, Sullivan, Schoen,
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Appearing before: Attorney Mary Elizabeth Oppenheim, Hearing Officer

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Whether the Board's program for the Student for the 2008-09 school year has provided the Student with a free appropriate public education
2. If not, whether the Parents' proposed placement of the Student at Ben Bronz is appropriate.

SUMMARY:

The Board received this request for hearing on October 27, and prior to the prehearing conference both parties waived the resolution meeting and mediation. At the prehearing conference three hearing dates were scheduled.

Subsequent to the prehearing conference, the Parents' attorney submitted notification that the Parents were not proceeding with the matter.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED**, without prejudice.