

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

Student v. Cheshire Board of Education

Appearing on behalf of the Parent: Attorney Andrew Feinstein
Attorney at Law, LLC
86 Denison Avenue
Mystic, CT 06355

Appearing on behalf of the Board Attorney Marsha Belman Moses
Berchem, Moses & Devlin
75 Broad Street
Milford, CT 06460

Appearing before: Hearing Officer Elisabeth Borrino

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ISSUES:

1. Whether the Board should reimburse the Parents for the cost of the Lindamood-Bell Learning Center from June 20, 2011 to the present;
2. Whether the Board should provide an intensive reading program for the 2010-2011 school year;
3. Whether the Board failed to evaluate the Student for the past two years;
4. Whether the Board denied FAPE to the Student.

SUMMARY:

On January 21, 2011, the Board received the Request for Due Process. A Prehearing Conference was held on February 4, 2011 and Hearing Dates were scheduled. On March 23, 2011, the parties appeared for the Hearing as scheduled. At that time, the parties advised the Hearing Officer that they were near reaching a settlement. The parties were afforded an opportunity to explore settlement before commencing the Hearing and were in fact successful in this effort. The Parent withdrew the Request for Due Process with prejudice.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER:

The matter is **DISMISSED**, with prejudice.