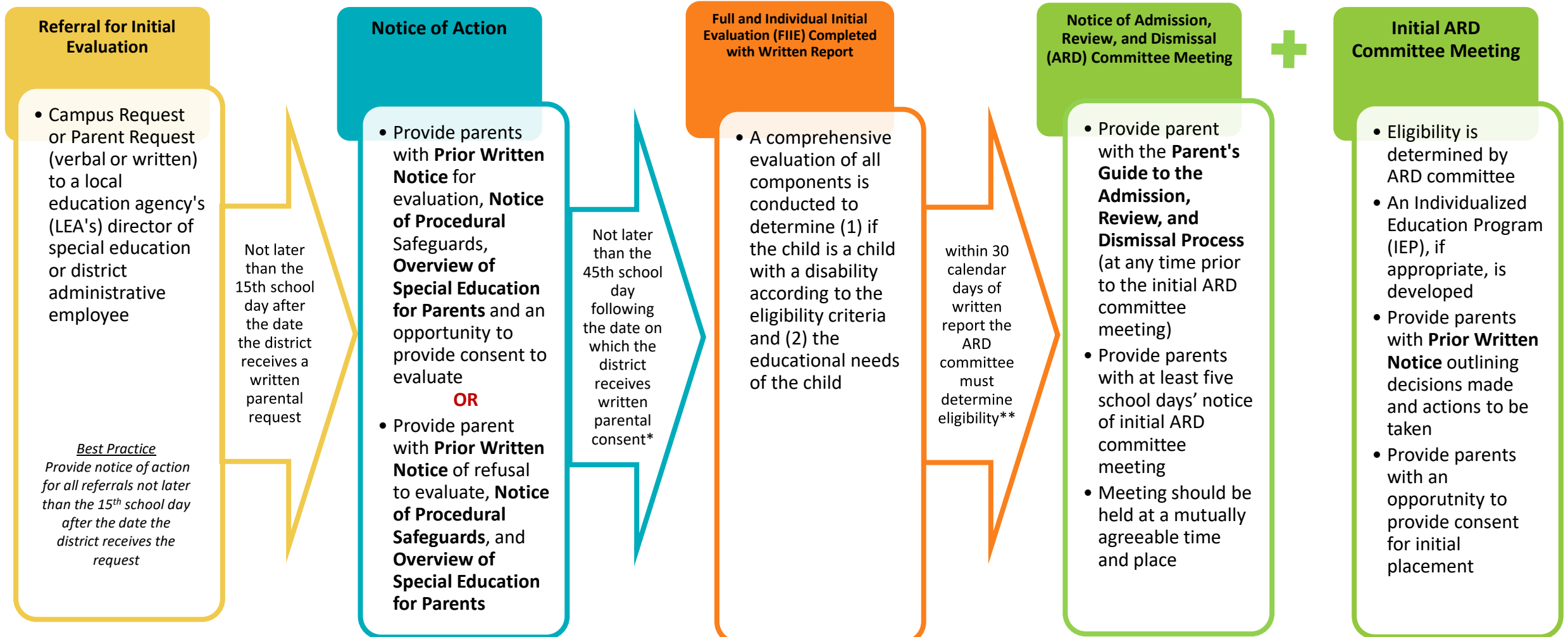


Special Education Initial Referral Timeline



*If the student is absent three or more days during the evaluation period, then the evaluation timeline is extended by the number of days absent.

*If consent is obtained at least 35 but less than 45 school days before the last instructional school day, then the evaluation must be completed and the written report must be provided to parent not later than June 30 of that year.

**If the 30th calendar day falls within the summer when school is not in session, then the initial ARD committee meeting must determine eligibility by the first school day of the following school year. If consent is received at least 35 but less than 45 school days prior to the last instructional day of the school year, then the initial ARD committee must determine eligibility by the 15th school day of the following school year.

**Unless the initial evaluation indicates that the student will need extended school year services that summer, then the ARD committee must determine eligibility as promptly as possible.