

Psychological Services

Whenever possible, psychological services will be provided by the district to assist students in reaching their greatest potential. All persons directly or indirectly concerned with any case referred for these services shall handle all information and personal relationships in a confidential and professional manner.

These services are provided because we believe that:

1. Children learn best when their emotional needs are met. The first and most important responsibility of the school is to educate, - to teach children the necessary attitudes and skills to enable them to live successfully in our community and country.
2. Anything that hinders the teaching-learning process is the concern of the school.

To accomplish the above purposes, the following psychological services will be provided by the school district:

1. Counseling or discussing problems with students, parents or guardian, or school staff.
2. Administering intelligence, achievement, attitudinal, personality and other tests for diagnosis of learning and psychological problems.
3. Recommending instructional or behavioral techniques or procedures to school personnel or parents or guardian

The district will assist instructional personnel and parents or guardians in locating psychologists or psychiatrists who can provide therapy or treatment services.

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