

Types of Support

Life Skills

Life Skills Support includes those students who demonstrate a greater degree of need for special education services due to more significant developmental delays. Students typically spend a portion of their school day outside the regular education classroom with emphasis on practical application of daily living skills. Students are

most often identified as having a moderate to significant degree of cognitive disability, autism, or multiple disabilities. Life Skills Support classes are located in Asbury Elementary School, Walnut Creek Middle School, McDowell Intermediate and McDowell High School. All students are included in regular education classes to the greatest extent appropriate as determined by their IEP teams.

Additionally, MTSD operates the Millcreek Independent Living (MIL) House program for students who have completed four years of high school, typically in Life Skills or Autistic Support classes. The MIL House offers practical application of real life skills in a home-like setting. Students may participate in this program through age 22. The community component of the MIL House program provides students with opportunities to increase independence in travel, self-advocacy and job related experiences.



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