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ESCNJ EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

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- PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/
CONFERENCE CENTER

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BRIGHT BEGINNINGS LEARNING CENTER



NADIA ROMANO,
SUPERINTENDENT

GARY MOLENAAR,
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Based on the principles of Applied Behavior Analysis, an intensive and individualized program in a 2:1 student to classroom staff ratio for students with autism, and a 3:1 ratio for students with multiple disabilities.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- Data-Based Instruction
- Functional Academic Skills
- Integrated Related Services
- Small and Large Group Instruction
- Medical Monitoring
- Seizure Management
- Parent Collaboration and Training
- Behavior Management and Intervention
- Picture Exchange Communication (PECS)
- Behavior Management Training including FBAs and FAs
- Sign Language
- Augmentative Communication Evaluation
- Augmentative Devices Training
- Music Program
- Art Program
- Technology Infused Instruction
- Nursing Services
- Community Field Trips

RELATED SERVICES

- Speech/Language Therapy
- Occupational Therapy (OT)
- Physical Therapy (PT)
- Nursing Services

BRIGHT BEGINNINGS LEARNING CENTER

1660 Stelton Road, Piscataway, NJ 08854
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Bright Beginnings Learning Center is a school for students ages 3-10 with autism and students ages 3-13 with multiple disabilities.

MISSION

The Bright Beginnings Learning Center provides specialized instruction to students with autism or multiple disabilities in order to develop functional, independent skills at school, home, and in the community.



CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS

- ESCNJ Curricula aligned to NJSLS
- Social Skills
- Speech/ Language
- Consumer, Family, and Life Skills
- Adaptive Physical Education
- Swimming/ Aquatics
- Assessment Driven Instruction (VB-MAPP, PEAK, ABLLS, AFLS, Functional Skills Assessment)
- Direct Instruction

FACILITY FEATURES

- 16 Classrooms
- Observation Rooms
- State-of-the-Art Technology in all Classrooms
- Spacious Gym
- Cafeteria
- Therapy Rooms
- Activities of Daily Living (ADL) Room
- Sensory Room
- Two New Redesigned Age-Appropriate Playgrounds
- Outdoor Garden/ Classroom

REFERRAL PROCESS

For more information about the programs offered by the Bright Beginnings Learning Center, please contact the school's representative at (732) 339-9331 ext. 3500. Student referrals and intakes are coordinated with the local school district child study team.

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