

Counselor Corner Connection



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Please contact me with questions or concerns!

4th Quarter Classroom Guidance Topics

- Personal Success: Self-Control & Emotions
- Personal Success: Personal Responsibility & Test-Taking Strategies

- Personal Success: Stress & Coping
- Personal Success: Strengths
- Personal Success: Safe and Unsafe Touch

Announcements

Students wishing to speak to the school counselor individually may complete passes to do so. The school counselor does not provide therapy to students, but is a listening ear to support school success.

Plans for the FIS school counselor to visit the 4th graders is underway for May.

Role of the School Counselor

1. School counselors support the academic, career, social/emotional development of ALL students in the school building.
2. School counselors see students through classroom guidance, small groups settings, and individual counseling.
3. School counselors provide intervention and prevention services to ALL students and are the first line of defense for social/emotional concerns, including crisis situations and counseling services.
4. School counselors provide parents with referral information for children with deeper social/emotional or mental health concerns.
5. School counselors encourage positive child-parent communication but will contact parents if a student shares something of concern with the counselor.