

# Program Highlights

- *Public school program*
- *Designed for students with disabilities, grades 2 through 12*
- *A small, quiet and academically challenging setting*
- *Intensive therapeutic supports*
- *Assistance with learning, social, behavioral and emotional challenges*
- *Positive Behavior Supports*
- *Individual and Social Skills group counseling*
- *Transition services from middle to high school*

Each class is staffed with:

- *Highly Qualified Special Education Teacher*
- *Teacher Assistant*

Program Interventionists:

- *Board Certified Behavior Analyst*
- *Learning Disabilities Teacher Consultant*
- *Mental Health Clinicians*
- *Related Services providers as needed*

Enrichment services are provided by:

- *Art Teacher*
- *Music Therapist*
- *Physical Education Teacher*
- *Tae-Kwon Do Instructor*
- *Mindfulness/Yoga Instructor*



## **PARK ACADEMY**

A Sponsored Program of Pascack Valley  
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## A Public School Mission

Our mission is to create a supportive environment where students receive personalized guidance in developing executive functioning and coping skills. We are committed to reinforcing students' academic strengths while addressing any areas of need to promote growth and success.

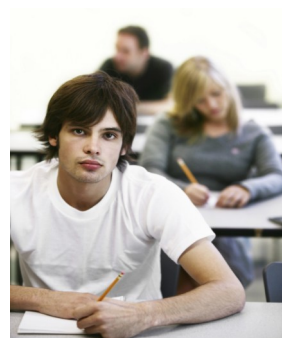
Our program is designed to model the structure of a mainstream educational environment, with the ultimate goal of facilitating students' reintegration into their home district.

We acknowledge that each student has a unique learning style. At Park Academy, we employ differentiated instruction and proactive clinical interventions to foster an optimal learning environment tailored to the individual needs of our students.

The administration and staff of Park Academy are dedicated to offering a therapeutic, student-centered program that incorporates a robust and enriched curriculum. Our goal is to support each student in reaching their full academic potential while promoting emotional well-being, all within a setting that is in close proximity to their home community.

## Academics....

- Grade-level instruction aligned to the New Jersey Student Learning Standards (NJSL)
- Small group instruction with a low student-to-staff ratio
- Cooperative learning activities
- Structured project-based learning opportunities
- Each student is provided with an individual laptop
- Community service initiatives
- Individualized learning plans to meet advanced and remedial learning needs
- Focus on executive functioning and self-regulation strategies
- Preparation for Statewide assessments
- Customized homework, organization and attendance strategies
- Homework support sessions



## Clinical Interventions

- Positive behavior support strategies encourage students to make constructive behavioral choices, fostering their development as capable, connected, and contributing members of the school community.
- Individual Counseling
- Social Skills Group Counseling
- Partnership with InSite Health
- Structured and Supervised Socialization Activities
- School Wide Behavioral Support Plan



- Conflict Resolution Counseling
- Problem Solving Counseling
- Behavior Intervention Plans (BIPs)
- On-going Communication between school and home
- Outreach and Collaboration with community based mental health providers
- Transition Services from middle to high school