

Counselor's Corner

September 2022

Welcome to the 2022-2023 School Year

WELCOME BACK SCHOLARS, PARENTS AND TEACHERS

Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Rose welcome you back to Wendell Smith this school year. We have been around introducing the support team to classrooms and want to let you know who we are and how you can contact us.



Mrs. Coleman, School Counselor Mrs. Rose, School Counselor (M-F)

Ms. Matthews, Social Worker (M-W)

Ms. Madison, School Counselor Intern (Tu,W,TH)

Our School Counseling Program

Our School Counseling team will provide systemic support through multidimensional interventions, including 1:1 counseling to address social/emotional issues at school. School counselors provide individual, group, and classroom counseling sessions which are short term and solution-focused in a typical school year.

Tier 1 Services

Success Bound - 6th - 8th grade students will participate in weekly lessons to support their successful transition to high school and post secondary options. Some lessons are integrated with [Naviance](#).

SEL - Students in Prek-5th grade will participate in SEL lessons.

School Wide Activities - [Red Ribbon Week](#), [Career Fair](#), [High School Fair](#), [Bullying Prevention](#)

Tier 2 Services

All Groups are Research Based

[Bounce Back](#) - Students in 1st-5th grade with trauma exposure

[CICO](#) - Check in Check out

[CSBY](#) - Celebrating The Strengths Of Black Youth

[Rainbows](#) - Students experiencing grief and loss

[SPARCS](#) - Students in 6th-8th grade with trauma exposure

[SS Grin](#) - Social skills and friendship support

Tier 3 Services

Outside counseling through CRT services, Metropolitan services

To request student services from the counseling team use the link below:

[BHT REFERRAL FORM.](#)



College Field Trip

Our first college field trip sponsored by TRIO will take place on Tuesday August 30, 2022 7:30-4:00 pm to explore Indiana Universities.



Success Bound

We will support Success Bound facilitation in grades 6th-8th on Tuesday and Thursday.

Tuesday - 6th and 7th grade
Thursday - 8th grade



Classroom SEL lessons

Our SEL class lessons will take place on Thursdays for grades PK-5. We will begin with preventive safety lessons for 1st-3rd grade. We will have our small groups on Wednesday and Friday.

[Please use this link below to sign up for monthly sessions](#)

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