



SCHOOL COUNSELORS

School counselors provide comprehensive school counseling programs to address students' academic, college and career, and personal-social developmental needs.

They serve a vital role in maximizing student success and well-being. Through leadership, advocacy, and collaboration, school counselors promote equity and access to rigorous educational experiences for all students.

LCPS School Counselors are licensed educators with a minimum of a master's degree in school counseling. They are uniquely qualified to address all student's academic, career, and personal-social developmental needs as outlined through the ASCA National Model.



*Empowering all students to
make meaningful
contributions to the world.*

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Loudoun County
Public Schools



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MISSION

The mission of school counseling services is to ensure all schools provide a comprehensive, inclusive, and culturally responsive counseling program that assesses the strengths and needs of all students, staff, and community.

VISION

Students will be empowered through an academic, college and career, and personal-social multi-tiered system of support that ensures all students are prepared and have access to the knowledge and skills necessary to be resilient, critical thinkers, communicators, collaborators, creators, and contributors to the world.



SCHOOL COUNSELORS PROVIDE SERVICES AT ALL LEVELS THROUGH A COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM:

Direct Services (80% of the time)

- School Counseling Core Curriculum
- Individual Planning
- Responsive Services
- Consultation
- Collaboration
- Referrals

Indirect Services (20% of the time)

- Program definition, planning, managing, assessment
- Review data, goals, and action plans

BELIEF STATEMENT

- The School Counselors' primary purpose is to advocate for the student;
- School Counselors adhere to the standards for school counseling programs in Virginia Public Schools and to the American School Counselor Association's Code of Ethics and Standards of Practice;
- The School Counseling Program is a critical component within the school system and is integral to the academic, personal/social, and career development and progress of each student;
- The School Counseling Program helps build a positive school environment by encouraging collaboration among counselors, teachers, administrators, parents/guardians, and the community to further student achievement;
- The School Counseling program is inclusive, culturally competent, and developmentally appropriate to help support all students;
- The School Counseling Program is in alignment with the American School Counselor Association Model (ASCA);
- The comprehensive School Counseling Program is continuously refined and improved through systemic review and data evaluation.