

Middle School Learning Support

Overview of Program Components

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Supports for Academics

Students have access to a full continuum of services through a flexible scheduling process. Based on the needs of the student as identified by the IEP team, students have opportunities to participate in the following types of classes:

- general education classes with appropriate accommodations and special education teacher consults
- general education classes with in-class support from a paraprofessional
- general education co-taught Math classes
- general education classes with reduced size and modified pace
- special education classes
- enrichment classes for Language Arts & Math
- intervention classes for Reading and Math

The range of support available extends from Full Time (receiving special education services for 80% or more of the school day), Supplemental (receiving special education services for more than 20% and less than 80% of the school day) to Itinerant (Supplemental (receiving special education services for 20% or less of the school day)).

Learning Support Classes

Learning Support classes are offered five days a week and have two key components.

1. Direct Instruction in Executive Functioning Skills which Encompasses

- Basic Organization skills
- Assignments Management
- Materials Management
- Time Management
- Planning/Goal setting

2. Direct Support for Academics

- Extra Help with Assignments
- Extra Time for Tests/Quizzes
- Homework Support
- Assessment of Learning Styles
- Development of Strategies for Success

Additional Resources and Supplementary Supports & Activities

Research-Based Reading Interventions:

- *Reading Mastery*
- *Read to Achieve*
- *Reading A to Z*
- *I-Ready Literacy*

Research-Based Math Interventions:

- *Connecting Math Concepts*
- *AbleNet Equals*
- *IXL Math*
- *I-Ready Mathematics*

Executive Functioning Interventions:

- *In Command*
- *In Command Pro*

Full Range of Related Services

- Occupational Therapy
- Speech & Language Therapy
- Physical Therapy
- Vision & Hearing Supports
- Assistive Technology Consultation
- Reading Specialist Services