

Why School Counselors? And why they are different from other staff members in the building.

School Counselors have a masters degree in counseling and education so they can address all student needs in an educational environment.

School Counselors manage and deliver a program for all students in the school.

Programs include:

- Classroom lessons in such areas as study skills, reducing bullying, setting goals, making decisions, understanding diversity, managing anger, and getting along with others.
- Provide support to parents and families.
- Crisis intervention and response.
- Facilitate conflict resolution.
- Counseling individual students.
- Advocate for the academic achievement of all students.
- Support classroom teachers in classroom management.
- Support teachers and families in understanding and addressing difficult behaviors.