

MCSD School Counseling Program Philosophy

Mission Statement

The mission of the Mediapolis Community School District school counseling program is to provide a comprehensive, developmental, counseling program that addresses the academic, career and personal/social development of ALL students. In partnership with administrators, teachers and staff, parents/guardians, and community members, school counselors facilitate the support system to ensure that ALL students in MCSD are prepared with the knowledge and skills to strive for excellence and to become lifelong learners.

The school counselors in MCSD believe our school counseling program:

Is an integral part of the total educational program for ALL students and the students' success	Is planned and coordinated with the involvement of school counselors, administrators, teachers and staff, parents/guardians and community members
Provides an articulated and sequential guidance curriculum that is preventative in design and based on the developmental and educational needs of every student	Is data driven
Is aligned with the ASCA National Model and ASCA Ethical Guidelines	Shall be evaluated by counselors and administrators on stated objectives and related student achievement
Has a delivery system that includes school guidance curriculum, individual planning, responsive services and system support	Is managed by credentialed school counselors

The ASCA National Model

