



COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM
2021-2022



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JULY 2021

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--------------------|--------|---------------|---|--|--------|----------------|
| | | | | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4 Independence Day | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Pioneer Day |
| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 First Day Back Intern/New Counselor 8:00 - 4:00 C121 | 29 Counselor Institute Granite Connection High | 30 | 31 |
| | | Notes: | | | | |

Some things are just...

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I've said it before and I'm saying it again. We are BETTER TOGETHER. We need to lift each other up, not put each other down. We need to listen to understand, not to respond. We need collaboration not competition. We are on the same team. TOGETHER WE ARE BETTER.

- Brian Aspinall



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Individual
Planning

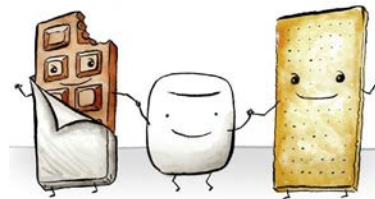
Counseling
Curriculum

Responsive
Services

System
Support



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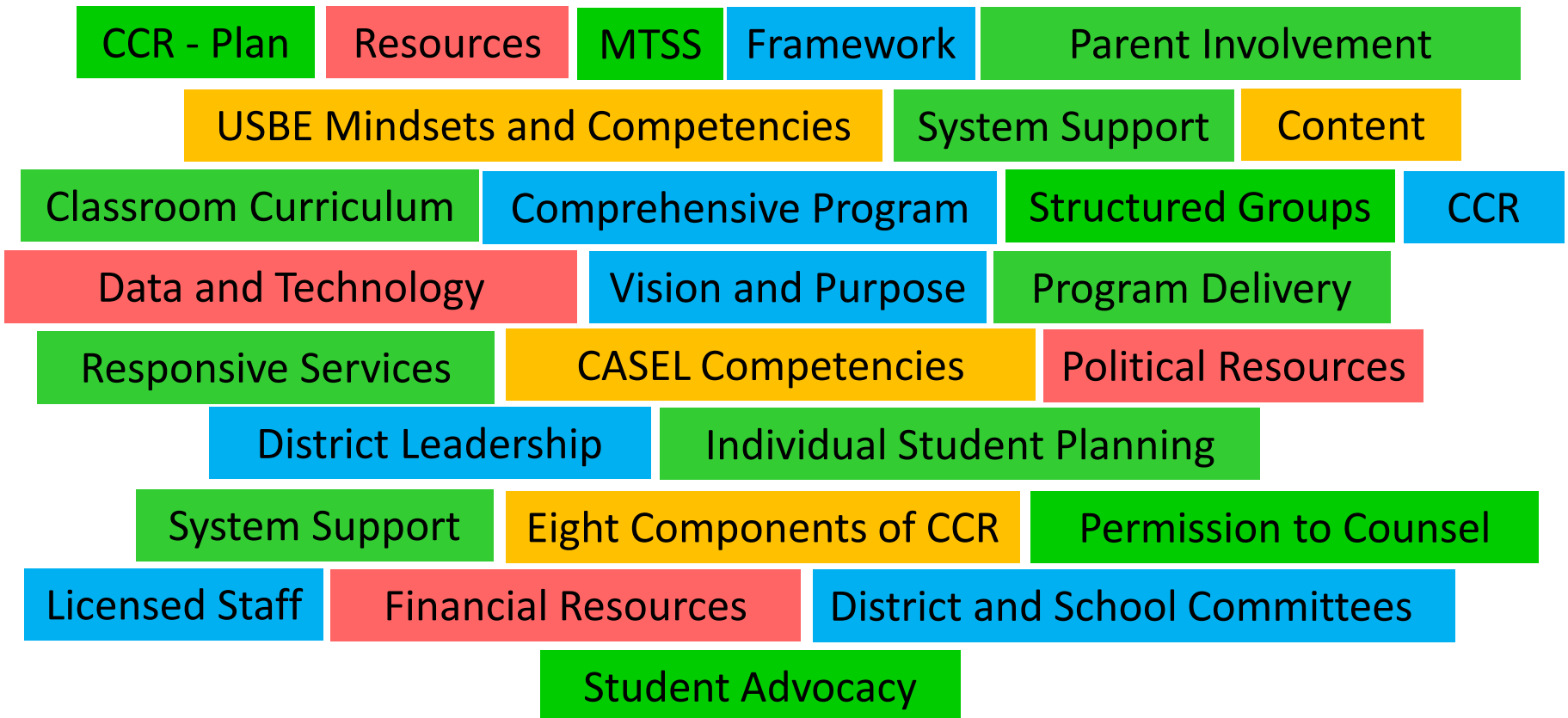
AUGUST 2021

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 New Hire Training Olympus High School | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 Teachers Back FAFSA Bootcamp C121 8:00 am -12:00 pm | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 Network Crisis Team Training 9:00-11:00 a.m. Aud B/C | 14 |
| 15 | 16 First Day of School | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | |
| | | Notes: | | | | |

FOCUS ON FUNDAMENTALS

Get the fundamentals down and the level of everything you do will rise.

- Michael Jordan



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SEPTEMBER 2021

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|--------------------|--|---|-----------|---|-----------------------|
| | | | 1 | 2 | 3 Counseling Clerk Training 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. C121 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 Labor Day | 7 | 8 Steering Committee 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Aud. D/E | 9 | 10 GSCA Social 8:30 a.m. Jones Center | 11 Patriot Day |
| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 Professional Learning 9:30-11:30 or 12:30-2:30 Aud A | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 Counselor PLC 2:30 -3:30 p.m. D202 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 | 27 | 28 New Counselor and Intern Training 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. D202 | 29 | 30 | | |
| Parent Teacher Conference Week (HS/JHS 27, 28, 29) | | | | | | |
| | | Notes: | | | | |

FOCUS ON FUNDAMENTALS

Vision

All students will successfully navigate their school experience and graduate from high school with the knowledge, skills, and disposition necessary for lifelong success in a changing world.

Mission

Students will leave Granite School District ready for college, career, and life in the 21st century world.

Role

Serve every student through the components of a comprehensive school counseling program and provide timely response to students and families with critical needs.

Task

Ensure that each student is equipped to navigate the school system successfully with the best educational plan; knowledge of individual interests and abilities; the ability to set and work toward goals; parent involvement; and the ability to plan for school success today and for the future.

If you take what you do to the next level, it is not producing new ideas but executing well on what you already know?

– Karin Hurt



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OCTOBER 2021

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---------------------------|---|---|--|----------|----------------------------|----------|
| | | | | | 1 Comp Day No School | 2 |
| College Application Month | | | | | | |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| College Application Month | | | | | | |
| 10 | 11 Columbus Day | 12 | 13 Steering Committee 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Aud. D/E | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| College Application Month | | | | | | |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 Professional Learning 9:30-11:30 or 12:30-2:30 Aud A | 21 | 22 | 23 |
| College Application Month | | | | | | |
| 24 | 25 Student Recess Day End of Term | 26 New Counselor and Intern Training 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. D202 | 27 Counselor PLC 2:30 -3:30 p.m. D202 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| College Application Month | | | | | | |
| 31 Halloween | | Notes: | | | | |

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FOUR COMPONENTS OF PROGRAM DELIVERY

| Individual Planning | Collaborative Classroom Instruction | Responsive Services and SEL Supports | System Support |
|---|--|--|---|
| <p><i>Assists students in monitoring and understanding their own development.</i></p> | <p><i>Provides curriculum and instruction in a systematic way to all students (comprehensive in scope, preventative in nature, developmental in design).</i></p> | <p><i>Addresses the immediate concerns and needs of students and their families.</i></p> | <p><i>Includes program management activities that establish the counseling program in a school and ensure advocacy for equity and access.</i></p> |
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NOVEMBER 2021

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|-----------|--|---|------------------------|---|-----------|
| GTI Counselor Class Audits/Lunches Interim Reviews | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 Counseling Clerk Training 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. C121 | 6 |
| 7 Daylight Saving | 8 | 9 | 10 Steering Committee 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Aud. D/E | 11 Veterans Day | 12 | 13 |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 Professional Learning 9:30-11:30 or 12:30-2:30 Aud A | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Thanksgiving | 26 | 27 |
| | | | Thanksgiving Recess | | | |
| 28 | 29 | 30 New Counselor and Intern Training 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. D202 | | | | |
| | | Notes: | | | | |

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Responsive Services and SEL Supports

Address the immediate concerns and needs of students and their families

| <i>Possible Areas of Focus</i> | | <i>Resources</i> |
|---|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Academic concerns• Attendance• Behavior• Relationships and family issues• Substance use• Anxiety and depression• Grief, loss, death | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Transition• Study skills• Dropout prevention• Equity and culture• Coping skills• Suicide prevention• Crisis response | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• GSD Staff, Programs, and Services• MTSS Process• MTSS Pink Form• Permission to Counsel Form• SAFE UT• GSD Mental Health Consortium |

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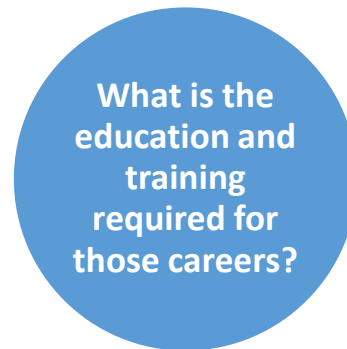
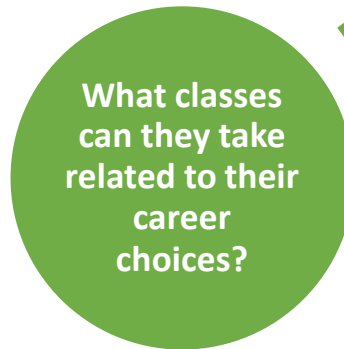
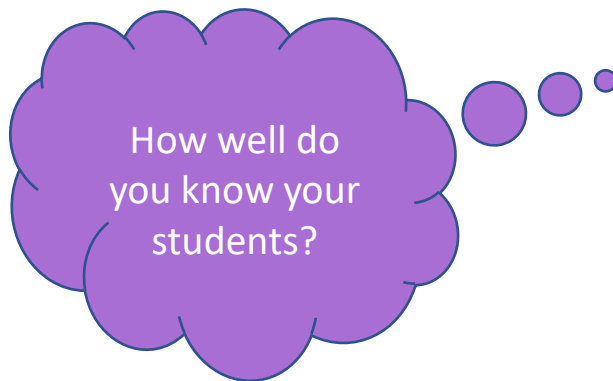
DECEMBER 2021

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| Interim Reviews | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 Steering Committee 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Aud. D/E | 9 GSCA Social 11:30 a.m. Jones Center | 10 |
| 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Christmas Eve | 25 Christmas Day |
| Winter Recess | | | | | | |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 New Year's Eve | |
| Winter Recess | | | | | | |
| Notes: | | | | | | |
| ACTE Vision Conference - December 1-4, 2021, New Orleans, LA | | | | | | |

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Individual Planning

How can you improve what you do to assist your students in understanding their academic, career, and social/emotional development?



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JANUARY 2022

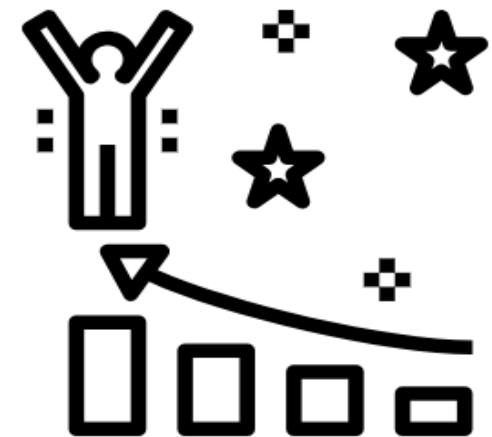
| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|-----------|-----------------------|--|---|-----------|--|-------------------------|
| | | | | | | 1 New Year's Day |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 Steering Committee 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Aud. D/E | 13 | 14 Student Recess Day End of Term | 15 |
| 16 | 17 ML King Day | 18 | 19 Professional Learning 9:30-11:30 or 12:30-2:30 Aud A | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 New Counselor and Intern Training 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. D202 | 26 Counselor PLC 2:30 -3:30 p.m. D202 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | 31 | Notes: | | | | |

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Individual Planning

How can you improve and better document the CCR-Planning process?



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FEBRUARY 2022

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|---------------------------|--|---|---|---|-----------|
| | | 1 | 2 Groundhog Day | 3 | 4 Counseling Clerk Training 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. C121 | 5 |
| | | Pathways to Professions | | | | |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 Steering Committee 1:30-2:30 Virtual | 10 | 11 Comp Day No School | 12 |
| National School Counseling Week | | | | | | |
| Parent Teacher Conference Week (HS/JHS 8, 9, 10) | | | | | | |
| 13 | 14 Valentine's Day | 15 | 16 Professional Learning 9:30-11:30 or 12:30-2:30 Aud A | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 20 | 21 Presidents' Day | 22 TCD New Counselor and Intern Training 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. D202 | 23 Counselor PLC 2:30 -3:30 p.m. D202 | 24 Wasatch Front Counselor Fair GEC | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | | | | | |
| | | Notes: | | | | |

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Collaborative Classroom Instruction

Provides curriculum and instruction in a systematic way to all students that is comprehensive in scope, preventative in nature, and developmental in design.



6th Grade
IMAGINE

7th Grade
EXPLORE

8th Grade
EXPAND

9th Grade
PLAN

10th Grade
Set Goals

11th Grade
Decide

12th Grade
Apply

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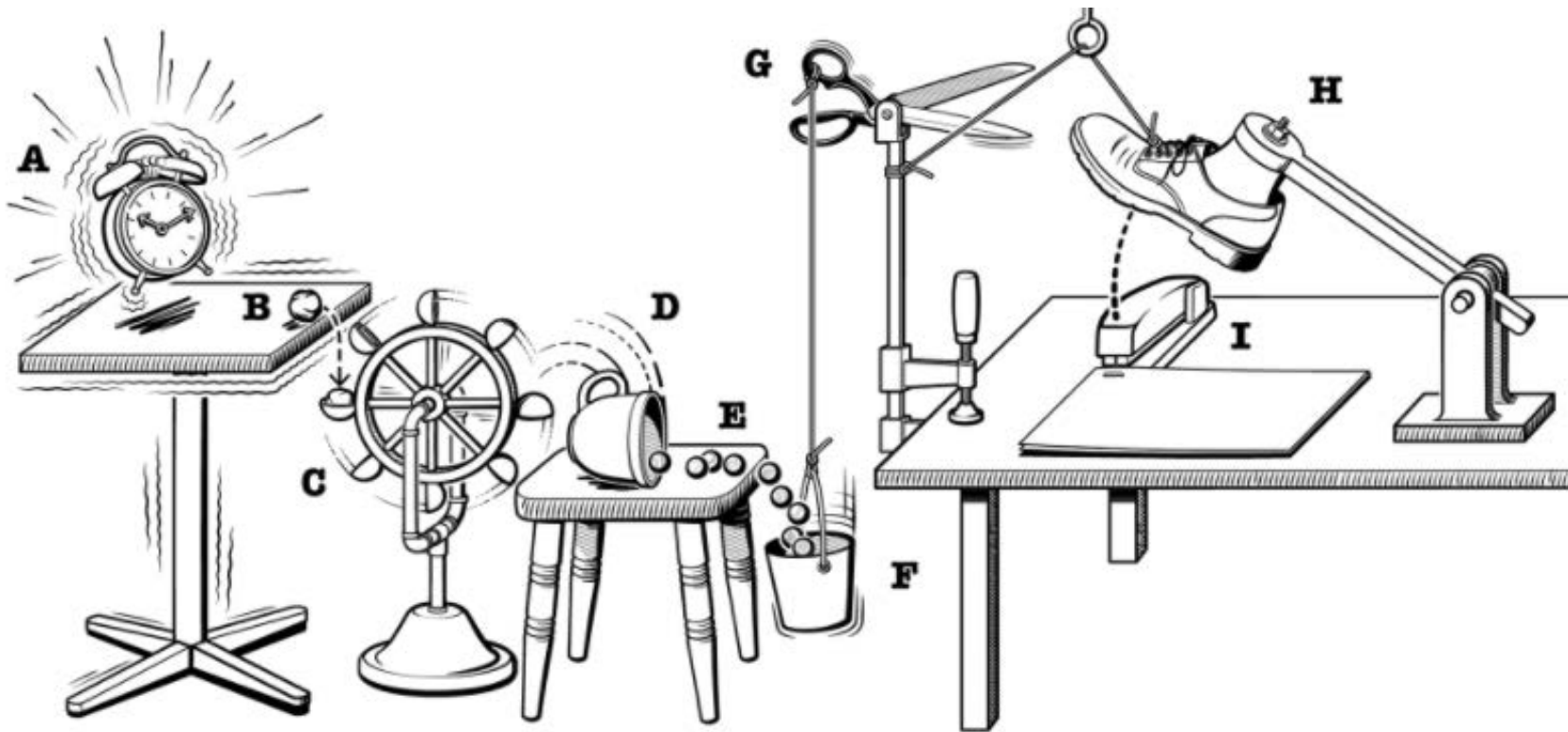
MARCH 2022

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|---------------------------|-----------|--|--|------------------------------|--|-----------|
| | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 Steering Committee 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Aud. D/E | 10 USCA Conference | 11 Budget Spending Deadline | 12 |
| 13 Daylight Saving | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 St. Patrick's Day | 18 | 19 |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 Professional Learning 9:30-11:30 or 12:30-2:30 D102-106 | 24 | 25 Student Recess Day End of Term | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 New Counselor and Intern Training 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. D202 | 30 Counselor PLC 2:30 -3:30 p.m. D202 | 31 | | |
| | | Notes: | | | | |

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System Support

Includes program management activities that establish the counseling program in a school (and district) and ensure advocacy for equity and access.



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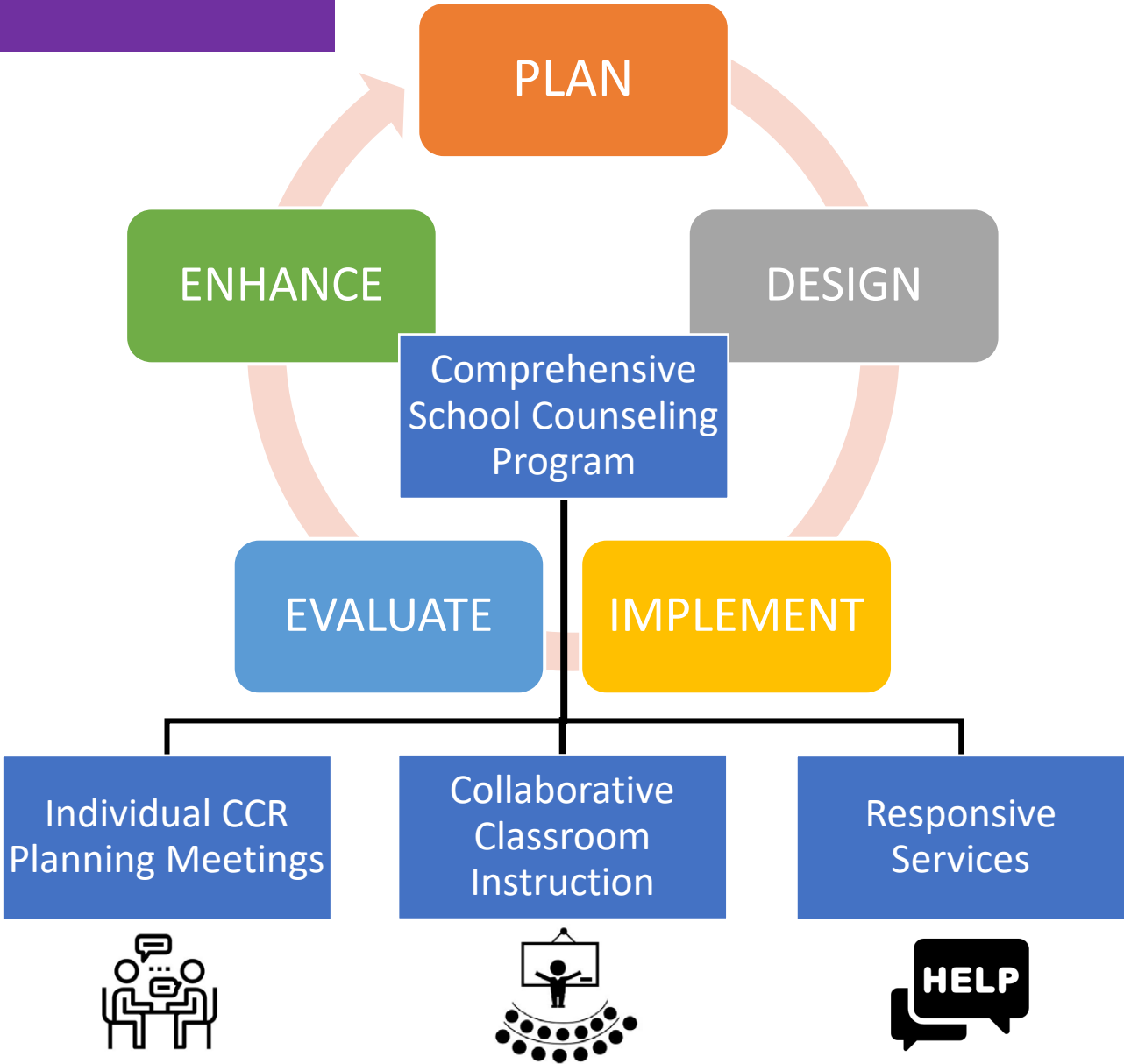
APRIL 2022

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | | | | 1 April Fool's Day Counseling Clerk Training 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. C121 | 2 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| | Spring Break | | | | | |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 Steering Committee 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Aud. D/E | 14 | 15 | 16 |
| 17 Easter | 18 Taxes Due | 19 | 20 | 21 Professional Learning 9:30-11:30 or 12:30-2:30 D102-106 | 22 GSCA Social 11:30 a.m. Jones Center | 23 |
| 24 | 25 | 26 New Counselor and Intern Training 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. D202 | 27 Admin Assist Day Counselor PLC 2:30 -3:30 p.m. D202 | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| | | Notes: | | | | |

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What do GSD school counselors do?

All students benefit from a structured and dynamic comprehensive program.



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MAY 2022

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|----------------|-----------------|---------------|--|----------|--------|----------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| | | AP Testing | | | | |
| 8 Mother's Day | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| | AP Testing | | | | | |
| | | | Steering Committee 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Aud. D/E | | | |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 Memorial Day | 31 | | | | |
| | | Notes: | | | | |

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Effective school counselors convey the expectation that all students, regardless of their background or economic status, can become college and career ready.

- College Board



- Imagine a school system in which every student graduates ready for college and career [and life].
- In this system, all students want to succeed, and they have the tools they need to achieve now and in the future.
- Every person in every school community helps students develop the skills and aspirations that are critical to preparing for college and career [and life].

- College Board

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JUNE 2022

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|--|-----------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------|--|
| | | | 1 | 2 Last Day of School | 3 EC Make-Up Day | 4 | |
| 5 | 6 Counselor Last Day | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | |
| 12 | 13 | 14 Flag Day | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | |
| 19 Father's Day | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | |
| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | | |
| | | Notes: ASCA Conference - July 9-12, Austin, TX | | | | | |



EQUALITY

Equality is the condition under which all individuals receive uniform treatment, resources, and opportunities.

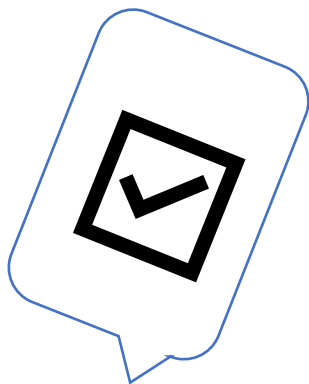
EQUITY

Equity is the proportionate distribution of and access to resources.

JUSTICE

Justice combats historic inequality and inequity while dismantling the systemic and structural barriers that are responsible for those inequities.

NOW MORE THAN EVER COUNSELORS ARE “YEASAYERS” WHO EMBRACE POSSIBILITY!



YES opens doors and potential that saying no shuts down. Saying **yes** opens opportunities that would otherwise remain closed.



No is an easy response – it allows us to get on with our day, it shuts down possibility and potential quickly and turns students away.

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