

Guidance/Counseling Services Offered

- Individual student counseling
- Large and small group counseling
- Parent/Teacher or individual parent conferences
- Classroom Guidance Lessons
- Information on community resources for families



Individual & Small Group Counseling Topics

- Study Skills
- Academic Success
- Orienting New Students
- School Success for Retainees
- Positive Peer Interaction
- Making Choices for Appropriate Behavior
- Positive Self-Esteem
- Family Issues—Grief, Divorce, Military Service

Classroom Guidance Lessons Calendar

August

Orientation to Counseling Program
School Success:
Listening/following directions
Growth Mindset

September

Understanding and Respecting Self and Others (Bullying, Harassment, and Respect)

October

Making Healthy Choices:
Medicine Safety
Healthy Living Week
Erin's Law

November

Understanding Diversity:
Accepting differences in Culture, families, and learning

December

Understanding the Importance of Relationships:
Family relationships
Peer/social relationships

January

Goal Setting:
Growth Mindset
The Power of Yet

February

Conflict Management:
Anger management

March

Conflict Management:
Anger management
Conflict resolution

April

Career Awareness:
Forming a career identity
Analyzing skills and interests

May

Summer Safety Awareness/Transition to next grade level

DEAN ROAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Counseling Program 2018-2019



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**A Comprehensive,
Developmental, Standards-based
Program Promoting Student
Competence and Well-Being**

Counseling and Guidance Program Mission Statement

Educate the whole child—
academically, socially, and
emotionally.

Inspire all children to
understand and appreciate self
and others.

Empower all students to
explore opportunities and lead
productive, healthful, lives.



Counseling Program Goals

- Maintain high expectations for all students
- Promote Student Academic Achievement by working with teachers, students, and parents to help create the best learning environment for each individual student

- Prepare students for life changes that might occur
- Promote student emotional well-being and physical / mental development
- Help students develop the skills needed for successful peer, family, and community relationships
- Help students develop the skills needed for academic success and life-long learning
- Advocate for the rights of all students within the school
- Provide for the needs of diverse students and encourage understanding of diversity
- Help students begin exploration of future educational and occupational choices



Please contact your school counselor, Mrs. Reid, if you have any questions or concerns about your child including:

- Classroom performance
- Academic success
- Family changes (moving, separation, divorce, or death)
- Parenting tips
- Classroom behavior
- Peer relationships
- Developing responsibility
- Sudden change in child's behavior
- Community resources

Please visit the counselor link on the DRES website for more information.