

## How and why parents would contact the school counselor?

- Concerns over student achievement
- Family health problems
- New school registration and orientation
- Test interpretation
- Discussing special needs of their child
- Early discussion of potential crises
- Family difficulties or concerns



Parents can call the school counselor at any time for a phone conference or to set up a school visit.

## How does a student see a counselor?

- Self-referral
- Request of a counselor
- Parent referral
- Administrative referral
- Teacher or other staff referral
- Referral by friend(s)

## MEET THE COUNSELOR

Greetings!

My name is Courtney Sanders and I am so excited to be a part of your elementary life experience!! I have been in the field of education for 22 years; 10 of which have been as a School Counselor. I obtained by Bachelor's Degree from Prairie View A&M University and a Master's Degree in Counseling from U of H Victoria.

I am elated to be of service helping the students, staff, parents, and the Alcott Elementary community. My passion is helping others and I will do my due diligence to support all students socially, emotionally, and academically to be the best students that they can possibly be while becoming life-long learners!

As a school counselor, I help create an environment that is conducive to learning. One of my roles as a counselor is to assist students and teachers by addressing immediate concerns which may hinder learning opportunities by providing guidance lessons, individual and small group counseling.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns, I will be more than happy to assist you!

Here to help~

*Courtney Carr-Sanders*



## all about: SCHOOL COUNSELING



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Crisis Lifeline- 988

# the Comprehensive Developmental Guidance Program

- **Guidance Curriculum** - in an effort to help students develop competence in essential life skills
- **Responsive Services** - to provide intervention for immediate personal/social/emotional concerns
- **Individual Planning** - providing insight to help students plan, monitor, and manage their personal, educational and career goals, and facilitate transition activities for post-secondary education and/or training
- **System Support** - to actively support campus staff, parents, and the community to promote the educational, career, personal, and social development of students, as well as the Developmental Guidance Program



## SCHOOL COUNSELORS HELP STUDENTS BY:

- Promoting positive attitudes among students toward self, family, peers and community
- Assisting students in learning how school performance relates to future opportunities
- Developing and delivering classroom guidance lessons that teach skills such as; healthy decision making, conflict resolution and respecting others
- Working collaboratively with students, parents and teachers to identify and remove barriers to learning
- Supporting students by teaching skills for achieving success
- Helping students to recognize and make the best of their abilities
- Counseling with students individually and in groups
- Providing support during personal crisis



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