

GUIDANCE PROGRAM

The guidance services program of Laramie County School District No. 2 should be a major support component of each school's overall function. The recommended guidance program designed to serve all students, K-12, consists of the following major functions:

- A. Counseling individual and small groups of students. Diagnostic testing results along with other pertinent information may be used as aids in the counseling program.
- B. Consultation with school staff and with parents relative to the general welfare of students as individuals in the classroom and in the total school environment.
- C. Coordination of guidance services within, between and among schools, between school and community, and between school and referral agencies in the community.
- D. Inservice for building or district staff in areas of understanding student behavior and intervention strategies to assist students to practice self-fulfilling behavior.
- E. Parent education to work with individual parents or small groups of parents to help them better understand child behavior and learn of methods to enhance their child's development.

A minimum guidance program would include services in areas as listed but could be conducted through contracted personnel from outside agencies to serve students, staff, and parents exhibiting the greatest need for these services.

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