

“Once you see a child’s self-image begin to improve, you will see significant gains in achievement areas, but even more important, you will see a child who is beginning to enjoy life more.”

Wayne Dyer



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WHAT’S GOING ON IN THE LEARNING LAB?

We will be keeping the student’s work products. If you would like to see work samples for your student, please contact your case manager with your request.

GREEN YEAR-ROUND CCR PROGRAM

WELCOME TO THE LEARNING LAB



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WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE LEARNING LAB?

We are pleased that we will continue to have four teachers in CCR this year. The number of students that we have in the CCR program allows us to have 3 full time assistant teachers.

The CCR teachers this year are LuElla Smith, Sandi Vanderbeek, Laura Burke, and Rebecca Bowman. We will be running the CCR program as a Learning Lab. All CCR teachers and teacher assistants will be responsible for teaching the students in the learning lab. Your student will be receiving instruction in the areas dictated by their IEP with other students who are in the same grade and have needs in the same areas. We have asked your child's teacher not to teach core academic areas (reading, writing, and math) during this pullout time.

We will be managing the students' IEP on caseloads. Each student will be assigned to a case manager. The case manager will be responsible for the annual review, revisions to the IEP, progress reports, communication to the regular education teacher and home. If a concern arises about your child's educational program, please contact your student's individual case manager. LuElla Smith & Laura Burke will case manage all students on tracks 1 and 2. Sandi Vanderbeek & Rebecca Bowman will case manage all students on tracks 3 and 4.

HOW TO GET IN TOUCH WITH US

Consistent communication throughout the year can be an important factor in some students' academic success. As the year gets more and more hectic, communication can be a challenge. The best way to contact us is to send a message either through a note or an email message. Our email addresses are lpsmith@wcpss.net, rbowman@wcpss.net, swvanderbeek@wcpss.net, and lburke1@wcpss.net

If you need to speak with us, please call the school office (881-1390) and leave a message. We will return your call as soon as possible. We have a phone in our classroom for emergency use only. Please do not call this number as it distracts the students who are working.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We will continue the reading program "Great Leaps". This is a research based reading program that increases a student's reading fluency. We will need volunteers to read with students during the morning (7:15-8:45). Many parents who have volunteered for this program in the past have enjoyed it a great deal. The progress that the students make is amazing. If you are interested, or know someone who is interested, please contact Catherine Cooper..

*"You cannot teach people anything.
You can only help them discover it
within themselves."*

Galileo

IEP MEETINGS

We are currently in the process of scheduling all of the IEP meetings for this school year. Our goal is to give everyone involved in the IEP meetings early notification for maximum participation. You should look for a letter with your scheduled IEP time within the next couple of weeks. If the time scheduled is not convenient for you, please let your case manager know so that the meeting can be rescheduled. We will try to send a reminder to you as the scheduled date nears.

