

***Our Faculty and Staff
Are Made up of a Variety of
Highly Qualified Teachers and
Related Service Providers:***

Special Education Teachers

Board Certified Behavior Analysts

Occupational Therapists

Speech Language Pathologists

Physical Therapists

Social Workers

School Psychologists

Team Chairs

School Nurses

Paraprofessionals



Consultation Services:

We offer weekly consultation between the social worker, special education teacher, board certified behavior analyst (BCBA), school psychologist, and team chair.

In addition, a monthly psychiatric consultation by a child psychiatrist is provided to the team of educators working with the student.

The social worker and special education teacher consult and collaborate with general education and other schools' staff regularly to provide continuity of support. Parent/guardian input, support and consultation is an integral part of our program. Communication with parents/guardians to discuss progress occurs regularly throughout the school year.

Consultation from related service providers occupational therapists, speech-language pathologists, physical therapists is available as needed.

**RISE Middle School
Program**

**Reaching Individual
Student Excellence**

***Florence Sawyer
School***



Successful Inclusion is Our Goal:

The program is designed with the flexibility to meet the changing needs of our students.

Students are integrated into the general education setting as demonstrated by their ability to regulate their feelings and behaviors.

Successful integration may require support from staff to help students transition to and participate successfully in a less restrictive environment.



Key Goals of Our Program:

This therapeutic program serves the needs of students who have social and emotional needs that significantly impact their ability to access the curriculum.

The program provides a therapeutic milieu to assist students in the development of healthy coping skills, social problem-solving techniques, and prosocial behaviors. Services are uniquely tailored to the changing needs of the individual student.

Services We Provide:

The special education teacher and staff provide specialized instruction in the therapeutic milieu. In addition, the special education teacher consults with general education teachers and co-teaches lessons. Paraprofessionals provide support in the general education classroom.

The school social worker provides individual, and group counseling. Crisis counseling is also available as needed.

