

Supports for Struggling Students

Poynette High School

Universal Options:

- Strong network with Columbia County and other outside agencies
- Frequent parent/teacher communication
- Parent/ Teacher Conferences (scheduled and as requested)
- School nurse
- Gifted and Talented (*Educational Excellence*) programming, activities and support
- School Safety Plan outlining preventative and early intervention activities
- “Parent Portal” (Our district provides a web-based system that parents can access from home. Parents can review such things as attendance, grades, assignments completion and upcoming tests and assignments.)
- Collaboration among Counselors to become familiar with needs of students (what approaches have been successful) as students transition to (and from) the high school.
- Post-secondary planning for Seniors
- *Connections Conferences* at Freshman and Junior year
- Three and six week progress reports
- Youth Apprenticeships
- Close attendance monitoring
- Alcohol and other drug prevention curriculum
- School-to-Work programming

- Clubs, organizations, athletics, other activities
- Library of self-help materials for parents and students
- Career exploration software and other resources
- After-school teacher help and support

Selected Options:

- School psychologist (consultation and evaluation)
- More intensive parent/teacher communication
- Identification and frequent review/support of students at risk
- More individualized Gifted and Talented (*Educational Excellence*) programming, activities and support
- More intensive supports such as curriculum modification/ adaptation
- After-school teacher help and support
- Individual and small group counseling for social/emotional support
- Summer school credit recovery class
- Volunteer Tutors
- Closer attendance monitoring
- School nurse (more individualized consultations)
- Academic assessments as needed



Targeted Options:

- School psychologist (individualized services/evaluation)
- Identification and frequent review/support of students at risk
- Special education programming
- After school teacher help and support
- Individual and small group counseling for social/emotional support
- Availability of self-paced courses (PASS) (NOVA Net)
- Summer school credit recovery class
- Volunteer Tutors
- Intensive attendance monitoring
- Individualized plans that address academics and behavioral needs
- Academic assessment as needed
- Alternative programming for qualifying students

CONCERNED?

Do you have a question or concern about your student? Please fill this out and send to one of the staff members listed in this brochure.

Name of student: _____

Student's grade: _____

Parent/ Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Concern: _____

For further assistance please call
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For other questions, go to our district website at:
www.poynette.k12.wi.us
Click on the "FAQ" tab on the home page, or view
your specific school's section on the website.

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Our Continuum of Support

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