Counseling & Guidance

Campbell Hall's dedicated professionals are here to support all students and their families with a host of services to address social, emotional, spiritual, mental health, and identity related needs as well as with coordinating academic support services and resources.

Counseling

Our team of mental health professionals has extensive experience supporting children and adolescents with their mental well-being. We also provide support and guidance to parents, and are available to staff and faculty for consultation regarding students of concern. The counseling team works in close collaboration with other offices and programs on campus to support student wellness. More information and resources can be found on the counseling page.

Andrew Shaw (<u>shawa@campbellhall.org</u>), Director of Counseling, oversees K-12 Counseling Services and provides direct counseling support for secondary students.

Daniele Fee (<u>feeda@campbellhall.org</u>), School Counselor, provides counseling to secondary students. She is also available to students in the health center on a drop-in and as needed basis.

Chaplains

Campbell Hall's chaplains, **Joey Courtney** (courtnj@campbellhall.org), **Julian Bull** (bullj@campbellhall.org), and **Norman Hull** (hulln@campbellhall.org) provide pastoral counseling to students and their families.

Educational Support

Cassandra Cando (candoj@campbellhall.org), High School Director of Educational Support Services, and **Courtney Behrenhausen** (<u>behrenc@campbellhall.org</u>), Director of Educational Support Services, provide support, guidance, and information for students with learning needs.

Deans

9th Grade Dean: **Dr. Leticia Sanchez** (<u>sanchel@campbellhall.org</u>, ext. 336) 10th Grade Dean: **Mr. Scott Comley** (<u>comleys@campbellhall.org</u>, ext. 329) 11th Grade Dean: **Mr. Carlos Castellanos** (<u>castelc@campbellhall.org</u>, ext. 337) 12th Grade Dean: **Mrs. Carolyn LaGaly** (<u>lagalyc@campbellhall.org</u>, ext. 330)

Counseling Policies & Information about Confidentiality

Faculty or parents/guardians may refer students for counseling, or students may self-refer. Support is available for the following issues including, but not limited to: coping with changes, transition, self-esteem, friendship and relationship issues, study skills, stress management, anxiety, fears or worries, academic progress, conflict resolution, social skills, adjustment to school, depression and/or other mental health issues.

These services are available as a part of the school's student support program but are not intended as a substitute for medical diagnosis or psychological treatment. School-based counseling services are available during school hours during the academic year. In the case of an emergency, please call 988 or 911. If it is not an emergency, but your child would like to speak to someone immediately, call or text the National Crisis Helpline at 988 or the Youth Crisis Line at (800) 843-5200.

School counseling is considered a part of the school's general education program and therefore students may be seen without parent consent. Additionally, in certain situations, California laws allow minors aged 12 and over to consent to counseling services on their own behalf. However, as a good faith practice, the counselor generally will not see students in an ongoing manner without attempting to involve the parent/guardian. In addition, school counselors do not provide long-term mental health therapy services to students. The school counselor is able to provide information about therapists and community resources if you feel your child is in need of additional support. As a parent/guardian, you have the right to decline certain educational services such as school counseling.

Confidentiality & Mandated Reporting

Because counseling is based on a trusting relationship between counselor and counselee, the school counselors will keep information confidential with some possible exceptions. School counselors may share information with parents/guardians, the child's teachers, and/or administrators to assist the student when there is a legitimate educational interest for the purpose of learning, health or safety. Under the following circumstances, the school counselors may be required by law to share information with others.

- Presenting information about hurting oneself or another person.
- Evidence or disclosure of child abuse or neglect.
- Threats to school safety and security.
- If counseling records are court ordered.

All Campbell Hall staff and faculty are mandated reporters. This means, if there is reasonable suspicion of child abuse, they are mandated to report the following; physical abuse, sexual abuse, including sexual assault, emotional abuse and/or neglect.