

South Woods Community Partnership School

An Overview



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CORE PARTNERS



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SUPPORT FOR TEACHERS

Community Partnership School™ directors work to remove barriers to education so teachers can teach and students can learn, and we partner to serve each student holistically so students can experience academic success.

IF A TEACHER NOTICES A STUDENT IS:

HUNGRY

UPSET

ILL

WEARING THE SAME CLOTHES
SEVERAL DAYS IN A ROW

POSSIBLY WITHOUT A HOME

FACING ANY OTHER BARRIER TO EDUCATION

TEACHERS NOTIFY THE COMMUNITY
PARTNERSHIP SCHOOL DIRECTOR

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP SCHOOL
TEAM WILL ADDRESS THE CONCERN AND
WORK WITH THE STUDENT AND FAMILY

AND THEN

TEACHERS CONTINUE FOCUSING ON TEACHING
STUDENTS



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PROGRAMS & SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

EXPANDED LEARNING

- Various afterschool programs such as Robotics club, Kindergarten STEM, Girls on the Run, Sports Club, Basketball, Art Club and more!
- Extended Day
- Summer Enrichment & Tutoring
- SWES CPS coordinates with various childcare and afterschool providers such as St. Johns County Parks & Rec, Elkton Academy & Carter Academy to provide bus services for students attending afterschool programs.

WELLNESS SUPPORTS

- Mental Health Counseling
- Dental screening, sealants & referrals
- Access to Medical Services such as Primary Care, referrals to specialists, prescription/medication management, etc.
- Soon SWES CPS will be adding Telehealth supports for students & families to access primary healthcare services.



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SWES CPS Community Partners

These partners provide programming or direct support to our students and families.

- St. Johns County Library @ Hastings
- Youth Crisis Center
- Anastasia Church Elkton
- Food 4 Kidz
- St. Johns County Parks & Rec Dept.
- St. Johns County Health Department
- Children's Home Society
- UF Agricultural Ext Office
- RSVP SJCSD
- Good News Club
- PAL
- Hugs Across The County
- TEAM UP Hastings
- St. Johns River State College
- Flagler Health Plus
- Swiss Point Cares
- Lions Club
- CHS of Florida



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WHO'S WHO?

- ❖ **Chris Stone** the **CPS Director** with Children's Home Society, who comes to the position with experience in social services and education. Mr. Stone is responsible for all programming that takes place on campus through the CPS and maintains core and community partnerships with the school.
- ❖ **Jennifer Wills** is our **Community Health Associate** for the BRAVE (Being Resilient and Voicing Emotions) program with Flagler Health Plus Care Connect. She will be assisting our South Woods Eagle families with referrals to Community resources. Jennifer brings over 11 years' experience working with families and the community with her and she is very excited to be able to help!
- ❖ **Anna Yarbrough** is our new **Clinical Counselor** for the Community Partnership with Children's Home Society. She recently graduated from Valdosta State University in Georgia. She has experience previously as a Teaching Assistant for the Center for Gifted Studies at VSU and a background in Environmental Education. We are excited to have her as part of the team and look forward to the difference she will make for our students.
- ❖ **Shantrelle Dewitt** is our new **Parent & Community Outreach Coordinator** who will be involved in all programming that takes place on campus like wellness services, expanded learning, student/parent resources and more! Ms. Dewitt is from the Hastings community and we are happy to have her assisting our students and families.



The Four Pillars of Community Partnership Schools



Oakes, J., Maier, A., & Daniel, J. (2017)
Community Schools: An Evidence-Based Strategy for Equitable School Improvement.
Palo Alto, CA: Learning Policy Institute



What makes Community Partnership Schools Unique?



Formal Commitment of 25+ Years



Community Partnership Schools throughout Florida



Evans High School - Orlando



Endeavour Elementary - Cocoa
CA Weis Elementary - Pensacola
Mort Elementary - Tampa
Edward H. White Academy of Leadership - Jacksonville
Howard Bishop Middle School - Gainesville



Pelican Island Elementary - Sebastian (CHS is a supporting partner)
Webster Elementary - St. Augustine
Southwoods Elementary - St. Augustine
OCPS Academic Center for Excellence (ACE) K-8 - Orlando
Wilkinson Junior High School - Middleburg
Sabal Palm Elementary - Tallahassee
Keystone Heights Jr/Sr High - Keystone Heights



NOTE: These are Community Partnership Schools where Children's Home Society of Florida is the core nonprofit partner.



Questions?

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