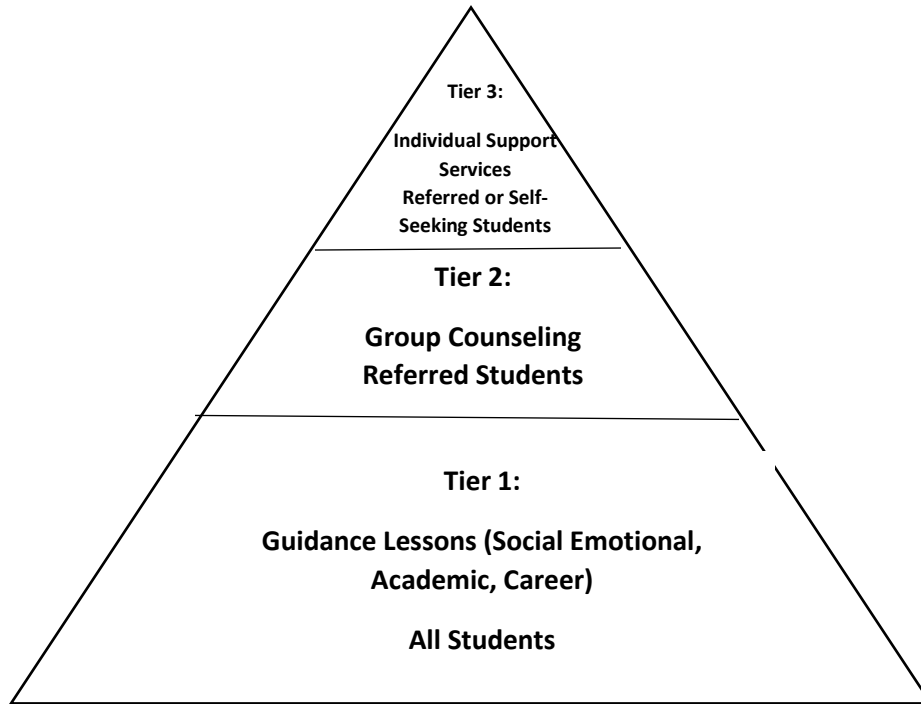


What Does the School Counselor Do?:



Will my child see the counselor?:

In short YES. All students PK-12 receive *Tier 1* social-emotional, career, and academic lessons as required by the state and in accordance with the ASCA guidelines. *Tier 2* students are students referred by parents or classroom teachers to receive small group instruction around normal developmental and educational issues like friendships, emotion management, conflict resolution, stress reduction, focus and function etc. These groups last 4-6 sessions at a time throughout the school year. Should your student be referred and chosen for such a group a letter will be send home providing more information. *Teir 3* students are students that are referred or seek out 1:1 supports from the counselor for any reason at all a permission slip for continued 1:1 will be sent home if needed or can be found under business forms.

Meeting with the school counselor is something many children enjoy and seek out. We operate under the laws of confidentiality with the goal of establishing trust with students so they feel comfortable coming to us when needed. We try very hard to work through problems at school and assist students with making good choices. If the counselor feels that a student may harm themselves or someone else, we are required to break confidentiality and contact parents and at times additional services of support.

**Counselor can be reached in office M-F 8-4 at 701-756-6560 or via email at chaleigh.clark@k12.nd.us
In the event of an immediate need to contact and I am out of the office or it is over the summer you can call or text 701-212-1418. The number may be utilized by students needing to reach me as well.**