All referrals are Confidential!

SAP is NOT treatment and members cannot diagnose, treat or refer to treatment for behavioral health concerns.

The engagement of students and families throughout the SAP process is essential. The SAP team will assist parents in accessing any recommended services and supports.



SAP TEAM MEMBERS

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Notre Dame High School SAP





WHAT IS SAP?

is a team process used to mobilize school resources to remove the barrier to learning.

SAP is designed to identify academic, social, attendance, substance use, mental health, and other concerns which pose a barrier to student success. The primary goal of the Student Assistance Program is to help students overcome these barriers so that they may achieve, advance, and remain in school.

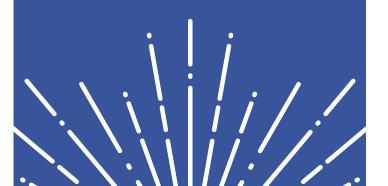


WHO CAN BE REFERRED?

Anyone can refer a student to SAP if they are concerned about their behaviors. These observable behaviors might include:

Withdrawn
Drastic change in behavior
Attendance
Reports of bullying
Lethargy
Easily frustrated or sad
Decline in grades
Overheard conversations about
alcohol or drug use
Lack of interest

Other external factors such as divorce, death or change in caregivers or social circle can also be an appropriate referral.



THE SAP PROCESS

Data Collection

The SAP team gathers objective information to inform their decision making process. Parent permission is required to proceed with the SAP Process.

Action Planning

A plan is developed to assist the student in accessing recommended school and/or community supports. The team may utilize liaison services which may include a drug and alcohol and/or mental health screening/assessment

Follow Up

Follow up includes monitoring progress towards goals and checking in with the family, student, and referral source. The plan may be adjusted as needed.