



Webb Bridge MS SEC Department

Facilitator(s): IST, Dr. Yalonda Jones

Services for Exceptional Children

1st
students

SEC DEPARTMENT VISION

Through specially designed instruction (SDI) in the least restrictive (LRE), students having disabilities will have access to a rigorous curriculum that is meaningful, challenging, and is aligned to grade level standards



IST - Instructional Support Teacher



- Main role – Compliance
- Goal – to meet the needs of the students
- Supports the Special Education Department
- Works with families, students, teachers, faculty/staff
- SEC Department
 - Assistant Principal, Teachers, Paraprofessional, School Psychologist, Speech/Language Pathologist, Graduation Coach/504 Chair, Specially Designed Instruction Coach

IST – cont.

- Conducts evaluations – Academics (KTEA)
- Maintains ongoing communication with SEC staff, local school personnel, and parents regarding:
 - SEC referrals
 - Evaluation
 - Identification
 - Effective programming for students with disabilities
- Supports school-based instructional staff regarding:
 - IEP development
 - FBA's, BIP's, Transition Plans



SEC Department

- ***Supported by your basic sandwich concept:***
- IST – Dr. Yalonda Jones
- Department Chair – Mrs. Melanie McCutcheon
- Lead Teacher – Ms. Garrett Jones
- 11 IRR Teachers (Case Managers)
- 1 Paraprofessional
- 1 Specially Designed Instruction Coach
- 1 Speech/Language Pathologist
- 1 School Psychologist
- 1 Graduation Coach/504 Chair
- Assistant Principal – Mrs. Carmen Hurst
- *Case Managers are first line of contact*



SERVICE MODELS

- Separate Class
- Co-teaching
- Collaborative
- Consultative
- Supportive Services
- Related Services



A DAY IN THE LIFE

- 9 classes per
day
- 45 min class
periods

Compass
Academics/Hmrm
Connections
5 core classes

Use of lockers
Lunch seating

Programming Available

Specially
Designed
Instruction
(SDI)

Lindamood-Bell
(Reading)

Numeracy Project
(math)

TRANSITIONING

- **Students will get used to changing classes multiple times a day**
- **Students will get used to interacting with several teachers in one day**
- **Students will get used to the lunch schedule & using lockers (combinations)**
- **Students will continue to have a Case Manager**
- **Students will continue to have their IEP**

Useful Links

- Rising 6th grade information
- <https://www.fultonschools.org/domain/8598>
- Sports
- <https://wbmsathletics.weebly.com/>
- Connections Classes
- <https://www.fultonschools.org/domain/8358>
- Organizations
- <https://www.fultonschools.org/domain/3806>

Kennesaw State University Presentation

https://fultonk12-my.sharepoint.com/:v/g/person/jonestg_fultonschools_org/EQRYyHjrMp9Puh5jNqmWBJ0BtkM6Ve1XhKQlpfgNH-9ZXA

Maya Angelou

“I do my best because I’m counting on you counting on me.”



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Embracing inclusive
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