



Guidance and Advisement School-Wide

Guidance and Advisement Program

The Guidance and Advisement program at Geeter Middle is designed to ensure that all students receive adequate guidance and advisement related to academic goals/objectives, social development, and career exploration. The program is based on an advisor-advisee system of learning.

Each student is placed with a designated teacher advisor in a group of 15-20 students. Groups will meet once every two weeks for a 60-minute advisement session. Lesson plans have been developed by the Guidance and Advisement Committee and will be distributed to teachers at least two days prior to the advisement sessions.

Advisors will ensure that all students attend advisement sessions regularly and take an active part in session discussions. All students are required to maintain a Guidance/Advisement Portfolio. These portfolios will contain all lessons completed during the advisement sessions. Students are required to complete a reflection paper at the end of each session that states what they learned during that time.

Guidance and Advisement Planning Calendar

*These dates are designated for Guidance and Advisement Activities. Other activities **should not** be planned on these dates.*

August - Set/Identify Behavior/Academic Expectations

September – Personal/Social/Academic Sept. 13/27

October – Academic Oct. 11/25

November – Personal/Social Nov. 8/29

December - Academic Dec. 13/20

January – Personal/Social Jan. 10/24

February - Career/Academic Feb. 7/21

March – Career/Academic Mar. 7/21

April – Personal/Social/Academic Apr. 4/25

May – Personal and Social/Academic May 2/16

* Character Education will be emphasized daily during homeroom. In addition, character education will be emphasized throughout the school year in guidance and advisement sessions.