



Your School Social Worker

Our role in your child's school

What is a School Social Worker...

- A New York State licensed, specially trained, caring person
- A person who provides guidance and support to all students
- A consultant for teachers, parents, students and administrators

What is the role of a School Social Worker...

- provides programs in cooperation with other staff focused on topics such as Social Skills Building, Divorce, Conflict Resolution, and Drug and Alcohol Use/Abuse, etc
- provides both individual and group counseling
- provides crisis intervention
- plays an integral role in various student support meetings
- helps identify the needs of students in order to ensure his/her educational success
- serves as a liaison to outside agencies that may be involved with a student
- provides referrals to parents to necessary outside resources

How is a referral made to the School Social Worker...

- A parent can contact the School Social Worker at anytime to discuss their child
- An administrator, teacher, nurse or any other school personnel can request that the School Social Worker intervene with a student

School Social Worker Directory

- **Centereach H.S.— Ms. Kowalek (631) 285-8129**
- **Newfield H.S.— Ms. MacDonald (631) 285-8329**
- **Dawnwood M.S— Ms. Lohmann (631) 285-8209**
- **Selden M.S.— Ms. Squires-Gorman (631) 285-8412**
- **Eugene Auer— Ms. Haran (631) 285-8518**
- **Bicycle Path K- Center — Ms. Hendershot (631) 285-8815**
- **Hawkins Path— Ms. Lopez (631) 285-8536**
- **Holbrook Road— Ms. Haran (631) 285-8578**
- **Jericho— Mr. Ortiz (631) 285-8607**
- **New Lane— Ms. Friedman (631) 285-8935**
- **North Coleman— Mr. Ortiz (631) 285-8667**
- **Oxhead Road— Ms. O’Leary (631) 285-8707**
- **Stagecoach— Ms. Lopez (631) 285-8739**
- **Unity Drive K-Center — Ms. Hendershot (631) 285-8769**
- **Universal Pre-K— Ms. O’Leary (631) 285-8769**