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Who Do I Talk To About...?

A guide for Arts Academy families

Your first stop is almost always the teaching staff - Your teachers are here to help you!

The Academy's teaching staff is the first line of communication for parents and students with questions about day to day activities.

The following general topics can usually be resolved by talking to teachers:

- Questions, comments or concerns about academic achievement or classroom discipline issues
- Questions about assignments or test grades

Who can help me with...?

Counselor

- Exploring career interests, or researching and developing career plans
- Information about credit recovery, dual enrollment, or Early College enrollment
- Exploring college and post High school programs of study
- Individual or group counseling recommendations
- Help coordinating community/agency programs

Social Workers

- Learning about food banks, community mental health agencies, therapists, psychiatrists
- Learning about assistance and resources for homelessness
- Need for a liaison between outside agency and school
- Socio-Emotional issues a student is having that is hindering their learning

Student Support Services, Vice Principal

- Questions about MAP testing procedures or results
- Information on parent orientation or the AAW Parent Teacher Association
- Need for instructional support due to academic, attendance, or behavioral issues

Outreach & Admissions

- Want to host a Shadow Student
- Want to help out with Open House, festivals, or other outreach events
- Have a friend/relative who wants to attend the Academy
- Need help finding a carpool to/from school



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- Think of transferring to another school district

The Principal

- General questions about the school
- Questions about school policies and procedures
- Questions about school-wide discipline issues or concerns
- Questions about the school's mission or philosophy
- Concerns about the way an issue is handled by a staff member

The Board

The board is the last step for resolving an issue at AAW and they should be contacted for the following issues

- Appealing a disciplinary measure
- Proposing ideas for new programs or policy changes
- Concerns that have not been adequately addressed by school administrators

The board can also be contacted during their regular, monthly Board meetings. Dates and times are listed on the school calendar.

You can also send an email to: aawboard@gmail.com

Still can't figure out who you can talk to? Try asking Ms. Allen in the Main Office!

The Main Office at Arts Academy in the Woods is available for walk-in questions and by phone Monday – Friday during regular school hours. If you did not find the right person for your questions anywhere in this sheet, chances are you'll need to speak with Ms. Allen!

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