

Pupil Services & Attendance (PSA) Counselors:

Serve as liaisons between the school and the home and community, working on behalf of students whose home, academic or community life presents barriers which impede educational success.

Conduct comprehensive academic assessments with families and link families to appropriate support services with the Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD), FamilySource Centers, and other community programs.

Work directly with students who experience difficulty in achieving their academic potential due to social, emotional, educational, home and/or community barriers.

Are experts in interpreting laws and bulletins related to education, enrollment, attendance policies, and pupil records.

Hold a master's degree in Social Work, School Counseling or Marriage and Family Counseling and hold Pupil Personnel Services Credentials specializing in Child Welfare and Attendance.

Collaborate at the community partners to ensure students are linked to needed services and resources.

Develop and implement trainings for parents and staff.



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FamilySource Partnership Program

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FamilySource Partnership Program Sites

Local District Northwest

New Economics for Women (Canoga Park) 818 887-3872

Local District Northeast

El Nido Family Center 818 896-7776

New Economics for Women (Van Nuys) 818 786-4098

Local District East

El Centro De Ayuda Corporation 323 526-9301

Barrio Action Youth and Family Center 323 221-0779

Local District Central

All People's Community Center 213 747-6357

Breese Foundation 213 387-2822

Central City Neighborhood Partners 213 482-8618

El Central Del Pueblo 213 483-6335

Local District West

1736 Family Crisis Center 323 737-3900

El Nido Family Center Los Angeles 323 998-0093

The Children's Collective 323 789-4717

West LA Family Source Center 213 725-5600

Volunteers of America 323 412-0607

Local District South

Toberman Neighborhood Center 310 832-1145

Watts Labor Community Action Committee 323 357-6262

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Services Offered by the PSA Counselor:

Mission To ensure that all LAUSD students are enrolled, attending, engaged, and on-track to graduate.

Purpose Pupil Services & Attendance (PSA) Counselors are child welfare and attendance advocates who utilize a three-tiered model (prevention, early intervention and intensive intervention) to improve individual and system-wide student attendance, engagement, achievement and graduation.

FamilySource Partnership Program

The FamilySource Partnership Program (FSPP) is a collaborative effort between the Los Angeles Unified School District and the City of Los Angeles Housing and Community Investment Department to service students and families in FamilySource Centers in low-income communities. The partnership's systems and collectively aligned approach provides services through a multiagency collaboration to promote academic achievement and graduation for all students, help family systems thrive and strengthen communities.

FamilySource PSA Counselors are co-located at 13 FamilySource Centers (FSC) throughout the City of Los Angeles that primarily service families with children ages 5-17.

**Increase Family Income/Resources
&
Increase Academic Achievement**

Direct Services

- Conduct educational assessments
- Collaborate with FSCs to provide referrals to services through the FamilySource Centers, schools, LAUSD programs and other community agencies
- Collaborate with FSCs to provide case management as needed
- Serve as liaison between the City of LA and LAUSD staff as an educational liaison and consultant
- Increase linkage of FamilySource resources to students and families



Parent Education

- Information Workshops on factors impacting academic success
- Conduct parent education classes on how to support their child's education

Outreach

- Outreach to schools, courts, parks, libraries, Wellness Centers, neighborhood council meetings

Linkage to FamilySource Services

- Parenting Classes and Workshops
- Information Workshops on factors impacting academic success
- Conduct parent education groups on how to support their child's education

LASP Diversion Referral Program

- An alternative method to the arrest and citation of LAUSD students, between the ages of 13 through 17, who commit minor law violations
- Diversion Referral Program aims to address the behavioral and socio-emotional needs of students and support family systems
- FamilySource PSA Counselors to link our highest risk students and families through FamilySource Centers
- Collaboration between local schools, community, LAUSD Operations, Los Angeles School Police Department (LASPD) and Pupil Services
- Addition of supports to increase student engagement and academic achievement

