

Expectations and Information

- Suspended students are not permitted to attend any sporting events, dances and/or any other Hazelwood School District sponsored events.
- Students attending ASC as a result of a suspension must meet all behavioral and academic expectations of the program. If not, they could be removed from the program and be required to serve the remainder of their suspension at home.
- Students attending ASC on a non-suspended voluntary basis must meet all behavioral and academic expectations of the program. If not, they will be required to return to their home school.

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Alternative Support Center

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Alternative Support Center

The Alternative Support Center (ASC) serves middle school students who have been assigned a long-term suspension with the option to attend the program. Students whose parents choose for them not to attend the program will remain home during their suspension.

Limited space is also available for parents who would like for their middle school student, who may be experiencing difficulties at their home school, to attend the program on a voluntary basis.

In this program, students will receive a combination of teacher-taught and on-line learning. Students must pace themselves appropriately to complete their coursework. A counselor and social worker will provide individual and group counseling sessions focused on decision-making and healthy living choices. A Special School District staff member will also provide support to students as needed.

ASC program profile:

- Students in grades 6-8.
- Students are assigned as result of receiving a long-term suspension or as a voluntary alternative to the traditional middle school.
- Limited bus transportation is available.

Profile of a successful ASC student

- Arrives and is seated at their desk on time
- Maintains a minimum 90% average attendance percentage
- Paces themselves appropriately to complete coursework
- Displays a positive presence in the program
- Has positive relationships with peers and staff

The staff will work with all students to achieve these goals!

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Where is the program located?

A: The ASC program is located at the Hazelwood Opportunity Center at 1865 Dunn Road, St. Louis, MO 63138.

Q: Is transportation provided?

A: Limited transportation is available. Routes will be shared at the intake meeting.

Q: What are the hours for the program?

A: 7:30 am - 1:40 pm. Breakfast and lunch are available.

Q: What happens when a student's suspension is complete?

A: The student may return to their home school. The staff of the program will send the home school administrator a report of the student's academic performance and attendance.