

Communities in Schools

Our main goal is to keep students engaged in education and ultimately graduate from high school. A CIS affiliate will be on campus daily to offer support and encouragement, whether that is someone to talk to, tutoring, access to basic needs, or direction to a community resource.

Reasons to recommend a student to CIS

- Failing 2 or more *core* classes
- Was *not advanced* to the next grade level
- Did not perform satisfactorily on an *assessment* instrument
- Pregnant or is a parent
- Placed in an *Alternative education program* during current or preceding year
- Has been *expelled*
- Is currently on *parole, probation*, differed prosecution or other conditional release
- Previously report to PEIMS to have *dropped out*
- Limited English Proficiency (LEP)
- In the custody or care of Department of Family and Protective Services
- Homeless (as defined by U.S.C. section 11302)
- Resides in residential placement facility, substance abuse facility, shelter
- Has been *incarcerated* or has a parent who has been incarcerated
- **Behavior** can include: classroom conduct, delinquent behavior, emotional crisis, mental health, family conflict, self-esteem, social skills, suspected gang involvement, suspected substance abuse, violence, grief
- Family crisis
- Absences or tardies, affecting learning