

IEP and 504 Support at Dickerson Middle School

Students with an existing IEP:

- Students will be assigned a case manager to work with you throughout the school year.
- The case manager will:
 - contact parents within the first week of school to introduce themselves to you.
 - most likely be one of your students' teachers each year.
 - be your point of contact throughout the year regarding IEP related meetings, concerns, questions, etc.
 - help guide your student through the transition to middle school.
- Your student will meet any additional staff/personnel required by the IEP within the first week of school. (paraprofessional, speech, OT, PT, etc.)
- The student's current IEP dictates academic class placement.

Students with an existing 504 Plan:

- **Students moving up from a CCSD elementary school:** Elementary schools will share current plans and accommodations with DMS 6th Grade Counselor.
- **Students enrolling from a non-CCSD elementary school:** Please share your child's current 504 plan with Dickerson (parents/guardians may email the plan to the 6th Grade Counselor or have elementary school send the plan).
- The 6th Grade Counselor will:
 - share plan/accommodations with all academic and connections teachers at the beginning of 6th grade.
 - contact you at the beginning of the school year to make introductions.
 - be your point of contact throughout the year regarding 504 meetings, concerns, or questions.
- Annual Review meetings and Re-eligibility meetings will provide the opportunity to review current accommodations and determine if any changes are needed to better serve students in the middle school setting.