



Winslow Township Elementary School One  
Mrs. Funches, School Counselor

Individual counseling provides students with the opportunity to explore feelings, thoughts and behaviors in a private setting with the school counselor. Group counseling provides students with the experience of working with two or more students under the guidance of the school counselor in order to address feelings, thoughts, behaviors and to learn specific skills.



The purpose of both individual and group counseling is to work on academic, personal, social and emotional issues so students will be prepared to focus on school achievement. Counseling is voluntary; you or your child may stop counseling at anytime.

Confidentiality will be guarded within legal and ethical limits of the counseling profession. Sometimes other counseling professionals may need to be consulted but the student's identity will be protected. If you child shares that he or she is being harmed, may be harmed, plans to harm himself/herself, another person or property the counselor will share the information with parents or other appropriate persons. In group counseling the counselor will make every effort to ensure confidentiality.

I have read and discussed the above statement with my child. We both understand the conditions in which my child will participate in counseling.

As a parent/legal guardian,

Yes, my child may participate in individual/group counseling

No, my child may not participate in individual/group counseling

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent signature \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child \_\_\_\_\_