

The Center for Creativity, Innovation, and Discovery offers short-term individual and small group counseling to students through the school counselor and school social worker. These counseling sessions focus primarily on building social and emotional skills, which vary based on the students' needs. These services are ***not*** intended to occur in place of outside counseling or therapy services. It is recommended that parents of students with mental health or behavioral concerns seek outside support in conjunction with support provided in the school.

Students may be referred to receive counseling by teachers, school staff, or parents. According to ethical standards for counselors and as a vital piece to building counselor-student rapport, counselors will keep information shared in counseling sessions confidential, with some exceptions. Parents play an important role in the successful social and emotional development of their children, and thus counselors may, but are not required to, share information with them in order to aid the student in their progress. Counselors may also share information that is relevant to a student's success in the classroom with teachers or school administrators. According to law, counselors are required to report to parents and/or the appropriate agencies or organizations when a student reports bullying, threat of suicide, or other forms of harm (whether inflicted by themselves or another person).

"Utah Family Rights and Privacy Act (UFERPA) requires consent from a parent/legal guardian to offer individual or group counseling services. Utah law requires a two-week waiting period prior to participation in a counseling setting. With consent this waiting period may be waived. If information of a life-threatening nature is brought up it will be shared with the parent(s) and appropriate personnel. State law requires that information suggestive of child abuse be reported to the appropriate agency. Information from individual or group sessions may be shared with administration or teachers to benefit student success."

☐ **Option 1: I give consent for my child to participate and waive the two-week waiting period.**
or

☐ **Option 2: I give consent for my child to participate but would like the two-week wait period.**

By signing below, I understand that I am providing consent for my child to receive counseling services at CCID according to the terms detailed above during the 2022-2023 school year.

Student Name:	Student Grade:
Parent Name:	Parent Phone:
Parent Signature:	Date:

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