



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **How long is the High Point school day?**

High Point Elementary School students attend from 9 am – 2 pm.

High Point Adolescent School students attend school from 8:45 am – 2:45 pm.

### **What is the student to teacher ratio?**

The staff to student ratio is 1 staff to 3 students. Class sizes are limited to 12, although some classes have fewer students.

### **Does High Point curriculum meet New Jersey's core standards?**

Yes. Our curriculum for Grades K-12 is aligned with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards (2014) in the following content areas: English Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Technology, Visual & Performing Arts, and Comprehensive Health and Physical Education curricula are in the process of being aligned to the NJSLs. The 21<sup>st</sup> Century Life and Career Skills are integrated across the K-12 curriculum.

### **What if a student needs extra help in a specific area?**

High Point works diligently to meet our student's every academic need. Core subjects are taught in small groups or individually within the classroom based on a student's ability. We've initiated a new reading program and have speech therapists on staff and occupational therapists available.

### **Is there an Extended School Year (ESY) program?**

Yes! High Point offers a five week summer program. It's fun...we promise!

### **What therapeutic services are provided?**

High Point provides an array of clinical services to complement our commitment to education. Licensed Clinical Social Workers meet with students on a weekly basis to offer individual therapy and support as students move through their academic career. Family therapy is also available to High Point families and clinicians will encourage families to be part of the High Point experience. Group therapy occurs once per week within the classroom to bridge the emotional, behavioral social and academic concerns of our students.

### **Does High Point have psychiatric services and/or medication management?**

Yes! We employ three board certified adolescent psychiatrists, and as part of tuition, students can receive psychiatric services and medication management by one of our doctors.

### **What if a child is in crisis or out of control?**

High Point recognizes that our students have rough days from time to time. We have a dedicated team of specific, specially trained and certified staff members who provide de-escalation and crisis intervention that is respectful to each student and their individuality.

### **How do I schedule a tour/screening?**

Contact Caitlin Corradino at 732-591-1750 ext 3253 or via email at [ccontradino@cpcbhc.org](mailto:ccontradino@cpcbhc.org) for more information, to arrange for a student screening or to schedule a private tour for your district.