

## WHAT IS THE YES TEAM?

- The West Newton YES Program is a systematic approach to the identification of students who may be at risk due to academic, behavioral or personal problems
- YES provides for interventions and, if appropriate, referral of these students to other personnel or outside agencies through Westmoreland Casemanagement and Supports, Inc. (WCSI). WCSI assists our YES Team with initiating/facilitating behavioral health case management services to children/adolescents and their families by offering an Intake through the Base Service Unit
- YES is an intervention, not a treatment, designed to facilitate collaboration between home and school to address student needs during the elementary years.

## YES TEAM MISSION STATEMENT

The Yough School District YES Program is committed to helping all students develop the necessary personal, social, academic, and professional values that will assist them in becoming productive and responsible students and citizens as they prepare for their roles in our ever-changing global society.

## YES TEAM MEMBERS

Miss. Kotora, teacher  
Mr. Gates, counselor  
Mrs. Macey, teacher  
Ms. Mumau, counselor  
Mrs. Virgin, Teacher

Ms. Mickel Bryan  
SAP Liaison, WCSI

Mr. Sutherland  
WNE Principal

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## YES Team

*Home-School-Community  
Working Together*

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Support



## WEST NEWTON YES TEAM



### CONFIDENTIALITY

An important aspect of the YES process is maintaining confidentiality for parents and their children. Information about students and their families is kept in the strictest confidence and is shared in a confidential manner.

## THE YES TEAM BELIEVES THAT:

- This program should be readily available to parents, students, and school staff
- YES services should help students adjust to the personal, social, emotional, and academic changes that occur through the elementary school years
- Services help students develop a positive attitude of self and others, aiding in personal and social growth.



## WHO IS INVOLVED IN THE YES SUPPORT TEAM?

The YES Team is comprised of specifically trained personnel including, but not limited to:

- Principals
- Teachers
- School Counselors
- Nurses

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