



## Wesley Schools 2023 Extended School Year Programs

Wesley Schools provide a diverse range of education, mental health and social services to individuals and families in Western Pennsylvania. We create life-changing support by integrating our services to meet the needs of those we serve. We foster recovery by helping children, individuals and families build resiliency skills to cope with life adversities.

Our mission is to empower children, adults and families by providing transformational care.

Wesley Schools Offering Extended School Year (ESY) are:

- Wesley K-8 School  
**Location: 5250 Caste Drive  
Pittsburgh 15236**
- Wesley High School  
Location: 5250 Caste Drive  
Pittsburgh 15236

Parents/families are encouraged to contact your school district to see if Wesley's ESY programs may be beneficial for your child.

### **Wesley Schools Partial Hospital Services**

**Program Goals:** Our goal is to integrate education and the mental health services of a partial hospital program to students who are enrolled in ESY and meet medical necessity criteria for partial hospital services.

**Program Description:**

- Mental health services include: group, individual and milieu therapy
- Family therapy to reduce child-related conflict and stress in the home.
- Psychiatric consultation and medication management

**Who is eligible?**

K-8 school-aged children who qualify for partial hospital and ESY services.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

**Tuition is \$3,611** and includes:

Instruction, materials, activities, breakfast and lunch

**1:1 Services cost is \$3,611** and is in addition to the regular tuition. Private pay options are also available.

**Who to Contact:**

K-8 School: Jaclyn Deem: (412) 347-3191

[Jaclyn.deem@wfspa.org](mailto:Jaclyn.deem@wfspa.org)

High School: Laura Pollock: (412) 253-1236

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Referral forms can be found at [wfspa.org](http://wfspa.org)

## **WESLEY K-8 ESY**

### **Program Goals:**

Our goal is to provide additional learning opportunities for students needing social and emotional support. The students will work on individual and group goals through a structured learning environment and the use of Creative Arts and Adventure-Based Counseling. Prevocational work study opportunities will be provided for those students who meet requirements.

### **Program Description: Community Service Activities**

- Therapeutic activities focusing on life, leisure and social skills through creative lessons.
- Programs focusing on cooperation, trust, communication, and self-esteem.
- Therapeutic support to promote family cohesiveness.
- Field trips scheduled for social skills training and community-based instruction.
- Community service activities
- Specialized curriculum for students on the Autism Spectrum focusing on social and executive functioning skills, perspective taking and emotional regulation.

### **Who is eligible?**

The K-8 ESY program is designed for students in K-8<sup>th</sup> grade. The program is for students that qualify for ESY services and would benefit from an educational therapeutic program in the summer.

***This year's ESY is being held at Wesley HS***

**July 3 – July 27  
M, W, Th, F 1<sup>st</sup> week only;  
Mon – Thur last 3 weeks  
8:45am – 2:45pm**

## **WESLEY HIGH SCHOOL ESY**

### **Program Goals:**

Our goal is to provide additional social, emotional and academic skill building opportunities through structured credit recovery or academic enrichment and work study programming.

### **Program Description:**

- Academic instruction for credit recovery and/or enrichment provided in a blending learning environment.
- Skill building focused on life, leisure, and social skills through creative activities in a therapeutic milieu and practiced during community outings.
- Activities focused on cooperation, trust and self-esteem.
- Specialized curriculum for students on the Autism Spectrum focusing on social skills, executive functioning skills, perspective taking and emotional regulation.
- On-site work experience and career instruction for those who qualify (Work Permit is required)

### **Who is eligible?**

The High School ESY program is designed for students in 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grades. The program is for students who qualify for ESY services and would benefit from an educational therapeutic program in the summer.

**July 3 – July 27  
M, W, Th, F 1<sup>st</sup> week only;  
Mon – Thur last 3 weeks  
8:45am – 2:45pm**