

List of Suggested Fieldwork Experiences

Below is a list of possible experiences school counseling fieldwork candidates may encounter while accumulating hours. School Counseling Candidates must earn 400 hours (college only emphasis) and 600 hours (TK-12 and Combo emphases) of field work; 50% of those hours must be direct contact hours. The list identifies possible activities that qualify as direct and indirect contact hours. This is not an exhaustive list of all fieldwork experiences available to School Counseling Candidates.

Experiences that qualify for direct contact hours	Experience that qualify for indirect contact hours
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individual counseling • Group counseling (co-facilitating or leading) • Academic advising • Conflict resolution • Career counseling • Classroom lessons • Leading multidisciplinary meetings (parent conferences, community collaboration, cross-departmental collaboration, FAFSA night, etc.) • Discussing informed consent with students, caregivers, or families in-person or over the telephone • Providing referrals/resources in-person or via telephone directly to students, caregivers, or families • Crisis intervention and/or assessment • In-service presentations • Conducting assessments/tests 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research and preparation for sessions with counselees • Group planning • Observing multidisciplinary meetings (IEP/Disability Services meetings, 504, SST's, parent/caregiver conferences, cross-departmental collaboration, mediation, etc.) • Writing case notes • Professional development specific to school counseling up to 10 hours (conferences, in-service, etc.) • Event planning for site specific events (career fair, college fair, FAFSA night, graduation, student engagement events, etc.) • Supervision • Attending faculty meetings • Developing crisis protocol • Planning in-service trainings • Consultation • Administrative tasks (emails, phone calls, clerical duties, etc.)

NOTE: Travel time to and from the field placement site does NOT count as hours.