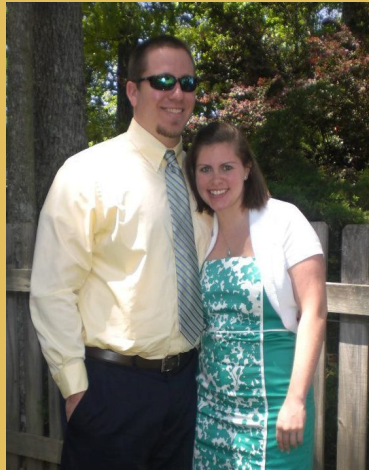


Meet the Counselor

I began working toward my Master's Degree in School Counseling at the University of South Alabama in June 2012 and am on track to graduate in May 2014.

My family is very important to me. My dad is a pastor, my mom is a teacher, and my sister is working on her degree in Special Education. I am not married, but I am in a serious relationship. Quentin and I plan to get married when we complete our education.

I felt called to be a school counselor after meeting my parents' first foster child. I could see the need for these students to receive effective school counseling to get through this difficult phase of their lives.



ASCA National Model

ASCA's Vision:

The American School Counseling Association (ASCA) is the foundation that expands the image and influence of professional school counselors through advocacy, leadership, collaboration, and systematic change. ASCA empowers professional school counselors with the knowledge, skills, linkages, and resources to promote student success in the school, the home, the community, and the world.

ASCA's Mission:

The mission of ASCA is to represent professional school counselors and to promote professionalism and ethical practices.

The Referral Process

Ways to Make a Referral:

- Email or call Ms. Wilson directly
- Contact the classroom teacher
- Send a note to Ms. Wilson
- Contact the principal

Contact Information

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Scan the QR code with your Smartphone for more information about the counseling program.



School Counseling Program

Ms. Bailey Wilson

*"You're off to great places!
Today is your day!
Your mountain is waiting,
So... get on your way!"*

- Dr. Seuss

*"Don't give up.
I believe in you all.
A person's a person
no matter how small."*

- Dr. Seuss

*"Today you are you,
that is truer than true.
There is no one alive
who is Youer than You."*

-Dr. Seuss

Be who you are and say what you feel,
because those who mind don't matter
and those who matter don't mind.

Dr. Seuss



Who We Are and What We Do

Professional School Counselors
help with development in:

ACADEMIC:

- Classroom support
- Goal setting
- Transition
- Study skills and organization
- Identifying strengths and areas for growth

CAREER:

- Education on job sequences
- Interests/skills survey
- Life skills

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL SKILLS:

- Character Pillars
- Respect of self and others
- Interpersonal skills
- Coping skills
- Problem solving skills
- Strengths and resiliency

Why School Counselors?

Professional School Counselors
have a purpose.

MISSION:

The mission of the school counseling program at _____ School is to provide students with all resources needed to accomplish their academic, career, and personal/social goals. At _____ School, we expect all of our students to reach for the stars and believe that they can accomplish anything. We do not see mistakes as failures, but rather as learning experiences that will mold us into successful adults.

You have **BRAINS**
in Your **HEAD.**
You have **FEET**
in Your **SHOES.**
You can steer
YOURSELF
in **ANY**
Direction
YOU CHOOSE!
~ Dr. Seuss ~

Counseling Services

Classroom Guidance

One of the most effective for counselors to prevent academic problems is by discussing self-esteem issues in large group guidance lessons. The lessons are preventative in nature, designed to reach all students, and are taught in the classroom by the counselor on a regular basis.

Small Group Counseling

Small group counseling creates a setting where children, along with their peers, can increase their self-awareness and improve their cooperation and communication skills. The goal of small group is to prevent future problems by teaching children new skills. Note: Students must have parent permission to participate in small group counseling.

Individual Counseling

Students may seek one-on-one counseling for help with any situation that may be affecting them emotionally, academically, or socially. The counselor spends time working with individual students to improve their social skills, discuss feelings, and to empower problem solving methods.

Statement of Confidentiality

To respect the rights and relationships of students, information shared with the counselor will remain confidential with the exception of student safety.