

Park Avenue Center

Park Avenue Center houses the district special education programs of Child Find, Community Based Transition, Interim Alternative Education Setting (IAES), Park Avenue Tutoring, Park Avenue School (K-12) and the offices for the district Behavior Specialists.

Park Avenue Center School is a K-12 program comprised of self-contained multi-age classes for students with severe behavioral and emotional needs. The needs of these students are such that they have not been able to be served in self-contained settings on comprehensive school campuses.

Child Find is a federally mandated program that provides screening and early intervention for children birth to 5 years old. The screening for 3 to 5 year olds is provided by a multi-disciplinary team to determine whether the child qualifies for special education services and then links the family to special education preschool programs if the child does qualify.

Community Based Transition is a vocational program for young adults 18 – 21. The Center site provides training in the field of recycling and in addition assists the young person in job placement at the end of their training time. These young adults are qualified as special education students.

Park Avenue Tutoring is a program for special education elementary and secondary students. This site can provide up to 12.5 hours a week of specially designed instruction for students in need of further assessment, change of placement or a break from a comprehensive school for health or behavioral reasons.

Interim Alternative Education Setting (IAES) is a program for special education students who have been long-term suspended or expelled from a comprehensive school for weapons, drugs or serious bodily injury to self or others. IAES offers specially designed instruction in the core areas of the students IEP and access to general education services enabling the district to stay in compliance while not allowing the student on to a school campus.

Behavior Specialists serve primarily special education eligible youth with behavioral challenges. Their triaged services enable them to work with student(s), staff and building administrators. They conduct observations for data collection and positive intervention planning, train staff in the behavioral areas and provide consultation and support to the Special Education Leadership team.

Pearl Street Center only serves youth, ages 12-18, committed to Comprehensive Mental Health Center's locked, residential program for adolescents with serious mental illness. Youth are placed through the state's Children's Long term Institution Program (CLIP) Committee and come from all over the state of Washington.

Free/Reduced Lunch 100%

McKinney Vento 100%

<u>Students (Maximum of 12 in residence)</u>	<u>Teacher</u>	<u>Para Educator</u>
12 (7 special ed students, 5 general ed/504 students)	1	1

Additional Information

Park Avenue Center (PAC) Class lid is 8-9 students.

	<u>Students</u>	<u>Certs</u>	<u>Para educators</u>
Primary/Intermediate Class	12	2	2
Secondary Classes	26	3	2

FRL 95%

McKinney Vento 16% enrolled

Eligible 25%

<u>Childfind</u>	<u>Certs</u>	<u>Classified</u>
	6	1

Community Based Transition

<u>Students</u>	<u>Certs</u>	<u>Classified</u>
8	1	2

Park Avenue Tutoring/Interim Alternative Education Setting

<u>Students</u>	<u>Certs</u>	<u>Classified</u>
17	1	1

FRL 82%

Students with Weapons Charges 5

Students with Drug Charges 6

Students with Serious Bodily Injury 4