The Learning Support Program at St. Cecilia Academy

The Learning Support Program is part of the St. Cecilia Academy college preparatory curriculum. The program supports students with diagnosed learning differences.

Eligibility for and acceptance to the Learning Support Program is dependent on:

- A psychoeducational evaluation that is no more than three years old from the date of application to the Learning Support program
- Previous school records
- The Independent School Entrance Exam
- Student and parent interviews

The Academic team reviews these documents and presents the school’s recommendation to the parents in the form of a Learning Support contract. If the parents agree to and sign the contract, accommodations will be granted. By signing the Learning Support contract, along with the Handbook Policy of School/Parent partnership, parents and students agree to be committed to the high standards of our college preparatory curriculum.

Students in the St. Cecilia Academy Learning Support Program will have an Individualized Learning Plan developed from the psychoeducational testing results. This plan will take into account the student’s strengths, weaknesses, suggested accommodations, and learning differences. Classwork and tests will not be modified for the student. The student will meet with the Learning Services Coordinator as needed throughout the school year.

At St. Cecilia Academy, small class sizes, appropriate accommodations, and teacher support all foster a strong ethic and opportunities for academic success; this experience builds confidence and self-esteem in our students. The Learning Support program supports this already existing structure and equips students to advocate for themselves.

For the forms required to complete and submit an application, please refer to the Admissions Process on the website.

For more information, please contact the Learning Services Coordinator:

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1 If the cost of this evaluation is preventative for your family, we are happy to assist you in reviewing public school testing options.