

F.L. Chamberlain School

(Therapeutic Boarding School)

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Email:	admissions@chamberlainschool.org	Enrollment:	100
Fax:	508-947-1593	Duration:	365 days
Address:	1 Pleasant St., P.O. Box 778 Middleboro, MA 02346	Founded:	1976
Website:	www.chamberlainschool.org		



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Chamberlain School is a not for profit, co-educational Therapeutic Boarding and Day School for students ages 11-22 founded in 1976. Chamberlain offers intensive academic and clinical intervention to students who require a high level of structure and care at this point in their lives. They are capable and talented children and young adults within the average to superior range who are faced with multiple complex diagnosis and tend to be emotionally fragile. Often family systems and peer relationships have become problematic.

Diagnostic profiles include but are not limited to a combination of any of the following: ADHD; NVLD; Aspergers; ASD; OCD; ODD; Depression; Mood Disorders; Anxiety; Attachment; Trauma; Self esteem, BPD traits; atypical psychosis/schizoaffective disorder. Many have a wide range of specific learning disabilities.

Chamberlain's on grounds school accommodates many learning styles and needs. From multi modality and project based instruction to creative assessment of learning the approach is designed to maximize student academic potential. Our learning theory and model has been developed through research and research based practice and is a proprietary model called IGNITE. Life skills, general education and college prep curriculum are offered. SAT prep and administration as well as state mandated testing. Small class sizes and student to faculty ratio, Speech Language, OT, Wilson/Sunday and Orton Gillingham reading programs.

Masters level clinicians offer individual, group and family therapy. Two on grounds Psychiatrists and nurses round out the clinical team. The clinical focus is Cognitive Behavioral Therapy with a strengths based approach. Within the clinical department many therapists specialize in areas such as Family Therapy, DBT, ERP, Grief and Loss, Play Therapy and Trauma. Parent Workshops and Parent Support groups are offered throughout the year and weekly communication between families and therapist are ongoing.

Students live in 9 residences which are designed to create a homelike environment with much care and attention given to the atmosphere to ensure they are conducive to assisting each student utilizing a relational model. Our residential department works with the educational and clinical team to ensure related services from each students treatment goals are being carried out within the evening and weekend programming. Set routines provide external structure whilst independent living skills and fun, therapeutic and recreational activities are taking place daily.

Throughout the school year multiple Educational and Recreational trips are offered to our students including Marine Science in Bermuda; History in Europe; Habitat for Humanity, ski trips, camping trips and more.

Individual Psychotherapy Available: Yes

Accreditation, Licensure: Massachusetts Department of Education; Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Child Care, Group Care Program; Approved by SEVIS

Professional Affiliations: NATSAP-Full Member; IASE; ISPA; MAAPS; NAPSEC