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Raising Awareness Related to the Military Interstate Children's Compact in Delaware

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Why?



Military-Connected Students



Raise Awareness



Courses



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School Counselors

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Collaboration



Wilm. U. Course:

Counselor as a Consultant

This course focuses on the counselor as consultant in matters concerning child behavior, test interpretation, grades, and a child's ability to function socially, emotionally, academically, and physically. Strategies for consulting with teachers, administrators, and parents are explored to help the child develop skills to be successful in the school setting. Candidates examine distinctions between counseling and consulting and the need to increase collaborative consultations in schools, with families, and in the community.

Currently



Timeline

- Compact 101 course was added to the curriculum starting with the Spring 2025 semester,

Requirement

- Students in the course, enroll in the online training.
- Complete the course with an 80% or higher and upload the certificate for a course grade.



Upcoming Shift



Enrollment

Class is transitioning (summer 2025) to a cap of 10 (20 per semester). If they have full enrollment, it will be 60 students annually.



Spring 2025 = 28 students
Fall 2025 = 23 students

Course Requirement

Assignment will shift from just completing the course and uploading the certificate → to adding a discussion component.

Course Structure

Currently this entire course is online, but this summer it will be shifting to an online-live format. Which means students will be meeting online with the instructor to engage in discussion and reflection.



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Recommendations



- Start by integrating the training into an existing course that already emphasizes support of different student demographics as well as support of families and partnership with the community.
- Make sure the expectations are clear (e.g., certificate upload) and take time to process the learning through structured discussions or reflections.
- Students benefit most when the training isn't treated as a "check-the-box" task but as a meaningful part of their development as school counselors.

Recertification Hours

- The Compact 101 course has been built into our online learning management system.
- Will be released in November.
- Educators can access the course and complete it for clock hours to be used towards recertification.
- Open to all.

Comprehensive Induction (Mentoring)

- Add to the list of approved professional learning opportunities that new school counselors can do to meet their initial license requirement.



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