### PTS LONNEUTS NEWSLETTER



What is an Educational and Therapeutic Consultant?



Summer Planning: Make the Most of Your Time



Our mission is to empower families to gather strength and clarity toward action and hope.



# WHAT is a Therapeutic and Educational Consultant?

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Therapeutic and educational consultants guide families through the complex process of selecting academic and treatment options. They help identify the best-fit schools, programs, and services, ensuring personalized support for each unique situation. By streamlining the decision-making process, consultants make finding the right resources more manageable and effective.

#### What they DO...

- 1. Holistic Assessment for Comprehensive Understanding
- 2. Recommendations including
  Local Schools, Boarding
  Schools, Therapeutic Programs
  and Schools, Support Services,
  Summer and Extracurricular
  Resources
- 3. Guidance Through the Admission Process
- 4. Ongoing Support offering Updates and Guidance

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#### What they DON'T do...

- 1. Not Tutors or Therapists
- 2. Do Not Replace Family Involvement
- 3. Do Not Guarantee Placement
- 4. Cannot Verify Insurance Benefits or Guarantee Coverage
- 5. Are Not Magicians
- 6. Do **NOT** Accept Compensation for Placement

## MAXIMISE YOUR SUMMER

Being intentional with your summer and preparing for the next school year is a great way to set yourself up for success!

Here are some key things to consider:

### Extracurriculars & SKILLS

**Explore New Hobbies** – Try something new this summer, like a sport, musical instrument, or creative project.

Volunteer or Work – Gain valuable experience through community service, internships, or a summer job.

Travel Programs – Consider cultural immersion, adventure, or service-based travel experiences to make memories and meet new friends.

#### ACADEMICS & Development

Summer Learning – Take a summer class to strengthen skills, recover credits, or get ahead in required courses.

Organization & Planning – Set goals, track important dates, and develop new strategies to stay organized for the upcoming school year.

**Accommodations** – Schedule updated educational testing and secure tutors for challenging subjects.

Whether you're looking for academic enrichment, personal growth, or exciting new experiences, with countless opportunities to explore, we're here to support you in creating a personalized solution that aligns with your goals, interests, and needs. Let us guide you on your path!





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