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Hospital School

Helping patients continue schoolwork during hospitalization



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When the normal pattern of schooling is interrupted due to hospitalization, it's important for children and adolescents to feel that they can remain involved with their schoolwork. Our teachers help patients do so through the hospital school. We encourage all school-age patients to participate in hospital school and adapt our schedule to meet each child's changing needs.

Our Teachers



Our teachers are certified by the state of Rhode Island, and are required to have a master's degree. They are part of a multi-disciplinary team that works closely with nursing, the child life program and other departments involved in patient care.

Written parental/
guardian permission

allows our teachers to contact a child's school as necessary during hospitalization.

Our Classrooms

We offer an elementary classroom that is geared to children in grades K through 5, and a secondary classroom that focuses on adolescents in grades 6 through 12. As part of our unique learning environment, we also offer group school, bedside tutoring, and classroom and online computers.

Our Goals

The hospital school team works to:

- maintain patients' academic involvement with their schools and teachers during hospitalization
- make the transition from hospital to school as smooth as possible for patients and classmates
- support the psychosocial needs of patients by maintaining academic expectations during hospitalization

Child Life Services

The hospital school is part of child life services at Hasbro Children's Hospital. Child life services assists pediatric patients and their families during hospitalization. Members of child life services collaborate with multiple health care professionals to best serve patient needs.

For more information on the hospital school please contact:

- Elementary classroom 444-8458
- Secondary classroom 444-8457

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We also offer bedside tutoring.

