

# Learning Disabilities Teacher-Consultant

## What are the responsibilities of the learning disabilities teacher-consultant?

The learning consultant (LDT-C) is trained to determine the learning styles of students, to determine specific achievement levels in a variety of content areas, and to recommend specific teaching methods and strategies that may benefit a student. This professional is generally called upon to model specific strategies and methods that may benefit students. In New Milford we use a multi-sensory approach to learning. An LDT-C conducts comprehensive educational evaluations and serves as a collaborative resource to teachers & parents. The LDT-C facilitates planning meetings, eligibility meetings, IEPs & teacher conferences. They consult on a multidisciplinary team and serve on the school based I&RS Team. An LDT-C employs problem solving strategies in a wide variety of venues and makes educational recommendations.

The Learning Disabilities Teacher-Consultants in New Milford are:

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