

# Student Support Structures

The San Francisco Unified School District utilizes two student support structures to maximize student success across all grade levels, K – 12:

1. The **Student Assistance Program (SAP)** is a ‘learning support’ umbrella structure that **brings together all support service providers at a school site to develop and monitor programs and resources** that enhance prevention and intervention efforts contributing to student success. The SAP focuses on referred students, and coordinates respective programs and services to promote their academic success. In addition, school-wide issues are identified and addressed. Ideally, SST referrals are processed and prioritized by the SAP team at school sites.
  
2. The **Student Success Team (SST)** is a problem solving and coordinating structure that assists students, families and teachers to seek positive solutions for maximizing student potential. The SST **focuses in-depth on one student at a time, and invites the parent and student to participate in finding solutions.** Additionally, at the elementary level, the **Classroom SST** provides a structure to review the academic, behavioral and health status of each student in a particular classroom. This process informs individual actions for students, including referral to the formal SST process, and class-wide actions to address issues such as use of class resources, behavior management, classroom modifications, and health education.

## Student Success Team (SST) Flow Chart

