WHAT ARE SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS TRAINED IN?

Data-Based Decision Making
Consultation & Collaboration
Social-Emotional/Behavioral Interventions
Academic Interventions/Progress Monitoring
Research & Program Evaluation
IDEA Evaluations & Instructional Planning

National Average Salary of a School Psychologist: $78,970

NC’s state salary schedule: $44,000-$64,000

Increasing pay for School Psychologists:
* Incentivizes out of state talented practitioners to work in NC schools
* Keeps our own talented NC School Psychologists in our schools

NC’s maximum state-funded salary is $14,950 BELOW the national average

There are only 772 School Psychologists who provide services for 1.5 million NC students.

Because of these shortages, School Psychologists desperately need salary increases to recruit and retain about 1,728 more School Psychologists.

In 2019, 22 Districts in NC had no full-time School Psychologist on staff.

Graduate Training at the 6th Year Level + Passing of the School Psychology Praxis Exam

Of the professional educator licences issued by the NC State Board of Education, School Psychology licensure has the highest educational requirements.

THE PSYCHOLOGISTS WHO KNOW THE MOST ABOUT EDUCATION & THE EDUCATORS WHO KNOW THE MOST ABOUT PSYCHOLOGY