

# SCHOOL COUNSELING PROGRAM NEWSLETTER

February 2025

## Supporting Immigrant Students Certificate Program Gets Underway!

In January, the School Counseling Program held an Orientation Information session for the 19 new certificate program students. Faculty, current graduate students and district personnel were on hand to welcome these new Ed Terps to this amazing program. This program was designed with the collaboration of Prince George's County schools. Students are currently taking their first course, Family and Social Support Systems, with Dr. Gonzalez on wednesday evenings. Welcome Certificate Program students!





# UMD Celebrates National School Counseling Week



National School Counseling Week 2025, "School Counseling: Helping Students Thrive," sponsored by the American School Counselor Association (ASCA), was celebrated from Feb. 3–7, 2025 to focus public attention on the unique contribution of school counselors within U.S. school systems and how students are different as a result of what school counselors do. National School Counseling Week highlights the tremendous impact school counselors can have in helping students achieve school success and plan for a career.



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