

PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE

Working with families and schools to provide opportunities for a better life.

The Deafblind Multi-handicapped program is located on the West Virginia Schools for the Deaf and the Blind campus in Romney, WV.



The program offers training in various communication modes, functional academics, daily living skills, self-help, recreation and vocational skills needed by these students to achieve their fullest potential in adult life.

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Program for the Deaf-blind Multi-handicapped



Making the Difference...

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The Deafblind
Multi-handicapped Program ...
Making the difference with
our hands-on approach to
learning.



Multi-sensory Challenges

Students are the unique part of the Deafblind Multi-handicapped Program. They have a variety of multi-sensory challenges of varying degrees. These include deafness, blindness, and deaf-blindness along with a variety of academic challenges. Each student's individual sensory needs are considered a vital part of their program. Their classes include self-help, functional academics, daily living skills, pre-vocational and vocational workshop skills, recreation, and physical education. In all of these areas, communication is emphasized. The students are encouraged to achieve their fullest potential.

Support Specialists

The West Virginia Schools for the Deaf and the Blind features a full range of support specialists, including:

- ★ Full Time Audiologist
- ★ Physical Therapist
- ★ Occupational Therapists
- ★ Orientation and Mobility Specialist
 - ★ Orthopedic Clinics
 - ★ Vision Clinics
 - ★ ENT Clinics
- ★ 24-Hour Health Center

Residential and Day Programs

Whether a student is in the day or the residential program, their classes are similar. Day students would arrive in the morning and leave in the afternoon on a school bus for home. With the residential living program, dormitory placement is an option for WVSDB students. The residential living program is designed to complement the classroom instruction. There are age appropriate after-school activities and opportunities to use skills learned in the classroom.