THESSALONIKI, GREECE

PINEWOOD - THE AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF THESSALONIKI

ASSISTED SCHOOL SPECIAL NEEDS PROFILE

NOTE: School situations can change quickly, particularly as schools face cutbacks to learning support programs due to the pandemic, unrest, and economic uncertainty. For the most current information, work with the REO and school. Information in this document was collected by the Department of State's Office of Overseas Schools directly from the school in fall 2022 and shows the availability of services rather than an assessment of the quality of the services. The profile is intended as a jumping off point for a conversation with the REO and school to understand the best fit for your child. Definitions may vary school to school. If a field is not specified, please reach out to the REO listed below for more information.



Pinewood - The American International School of Thessaloniki is an independent, nonprofit, college-preparatory school offering educational programs from pre-kindergarten (age three) through grade 12 and boarding facilities for grades 7-12 for students of all nationalities. The elementary school was founded in 1950 and the secondary school was established in 1962. Read more on the Overseas School Fact Sheet.

ADMISSIONS & SPECIAL NEEDS INFORMATION

The school's admission criteria and procedures

can be found at www.pinewood.gr/admissions. Special needs information can be found at www.pinewood.gr/learning-support-services

IN GENERAL. THE SCHOOL CAN SUPPORT STUDENTS WHOSE LEARNING SUPPORT NEEDS ARE

Mild. Moderate

ABLE AND WILLING TO ACCOMMODATE STUDENTS WITHIN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES

Hearing Impaired	Yes	
Physically or Orthopedically Impaired	No	
Visually Impaired	No	
Autistic	Yes	
Specifically Learning Disabled	Yes	
Intellectually Disabled	No	

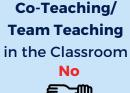
Behaviorally/Emotionally Disturbed	Yes
Multiple Disabilities	Yes
Other health impairment	Yes
Speech or Language impaired	Yes
Traumatic Brain Injury	Yes

SPECIAL NEEDS SUPPORT SERVICES

Teacher Accommodations







Academic **Support Class** Secondary School



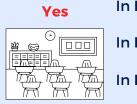








SELF-CONTAINED CLASSROOM



In **Elementary** Yes In Middle School Yes In **High School** Yes

Maximum Hours per Week per Student **Pull Out Push In**

special needs preschoolers Yes



SPECIAL NEEDS SUPPORT STAFF IN THE SCHOOL

Social Worker:

Special Needs Coordinator:

Learning Support Teacher:

Staffing numbers are listed as full school totals. A breakdown by elementary, middle, and high school levels can be found on the

School Summary Information Portal

or by emailing

OverseasSchools@state.gov.

SERVICES AVAILABLE IN ENGLISH

SCHOOL COMMUNITY

SCHOOL COMMO		
Psycho Educational Assessment	Yes	Yes
Speech Therapy	Yes	Yes
Occupational Therapy	No	Yes
Physical Therapy	No	Yes
Behavior and/or Autism Specialist		
(ABA/Behavior Plan/Interventions)	Yes	Yes
Social Skills Group/		
Social Skills Training	Yes	Yes

SCHOOL		
1 : 1 Trained Classroom Aide	No	
Special Transportation	No	
Transportation Paraprofessional	No	

LITERACY & MATHEMATICS SUPPORT

SCHOOL COMMUNITY

U.S. Credentialed Reading Specialist	No	No
Reading Remediation	Yes	No
Reading Programs for Dyslexia		
(Orton Gillingham, etc,)	No	No
Math Specialist	No	Yes

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE BEST EDUCATIONAL FIT FOR YOUR CHILDREN

Regional Education Officer (REO)

MED/CFP

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