

Resource Guide for Students in Weakley County

See below for a list of services offered in Weakley County to help with various challenges students may face.

Homelessness

Hope Outreach Shelters of West Tennessee

Roger McPeak, Director
Dresden location for women and children
Sharon location for men
(731) 819-4425

West Tennessee Homeless Solutions

Emergency Hotline: 1-866-307-5469

United Way of West Tennessee

Krista Paul, Resource Director
Call 2-1-1- to reach a specialist who is familiar with resources in your area. The hotline is operated from the Jackson area, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. on weekdays.

Wo/Men's Resource and Rape Assistance

Daryl Chansuthus, Executive Director/Program Director
(731) 407-6013
(731) 668-0411
Emergency Hotline: 1-800-273-8712

Transportation

Northwest Tennessee Human Resource Agency

Services provided Monday through Friday, 6 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Limited service on Saturdays. It is recommended that reservations are made at least five days in advance.
(877) 577-4337

Food Insecurity

The Little Free Pantry

Lisa Griffin
116 Clearwater St.
Martin, TN 38237
(731) 819-4326

WE CARE Ministries

530 N Lindell St.
Martin, TN 38237
(731) 587-6257

Northwest Tennessee Economic Development Council

Tammy Perry
231 S Wilson St.
Dresden, TN 38225
(731) 364-2272

Mental/Emotional/Physical Health

Carey Counseling Center

Lori Hendon, Weakley County Site Director
457 Hannings Ln.
Martin, TN 38237
(731) 480-0011

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Carl Perkins Center

Bett Jewell, County Director
408 N Lindell St.
Martin, TN 38237
(731) 587-0768

Weakley County Health Department

Tracy Byrd, Director
9852 Highway 22
Dresden, TN 38225
(731) 364-2210

Community Developmental Services

Cathy Cate, Executive Director
455 Hannings Ln.
Martin, TN 38237
(731) 587-3851

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Pathways of Tennessee

1720 Woodlawn Ave.
Dyersburg, TN 38024
(731) 541-8200
(731) 285-1393

Wo/Men's Resource and Rape Assistance

Daryl Chansuthus, Executive Director/Program Director
(731) 407-6013
(731) 668-0411
Emergency Hotline: 1-800-273-8712

Childcare/Expecting Mothers

Agape House Pregnancy Care Center

All services are free and confidential.
210 Oakland St.
Martin, TN 38237
(731) 588-0305

Carl Perkins Center

Bett Jewell, County Director
408 N Lindell St.
Martin, TN 38237
(731) 587-0768

Dept. of Human Services – Child Care Assistance

LaRosa Parks
2205 Highway 45 By-Pass South
Trenton, TN, 38382
(901) 543-3651

Dept. of Human Services – Child Support

811 Morrow St. Ste. 101
Dresden, TN 38225
(731) 364-9988
Toll-free: 1-800-290-9047

Dept. of Human Services – Family Assistance

Kimberly Dressler, Field Management Director
8616 Highway 22
Dresden, TN 38225
(731) 364-3128

Healthy Start

Child and Family Grant Programs at UT Martin
410 Clement Hall
Martin, TN 38238
(731) 881-7863

Tennessee Cares, Early Head Start

759 Linden St.
Dresden, TN 38225
(731) 364-2298

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Weakley County Head Start

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Dresden, TN 38225
(731) 364-3913

Hispanic/Latino Services

Dial 211

Susan Long
Teleinterpreter available
For service dial: 2-1-1 or
865-215-4211

Dependent Siblings

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Legal Aid

Tennessee Alliance for Legal Services

Apply for service by telephone.
113 West Paris St.
Huntingdon, TN 38344
(731) 986-8975

West TN Legal Services

(731) 423-0616
Toll-free: 1-800-372-8346