

**RATIONALE FOR THE HIRING OF AN INSTRUCTIONAL AIDE AT  
CARTMELL ELEMENTARY**

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June 21, 2018

Carroll County Special Education Department is seeking approval to hire an instructional aide at Cartmell. This person will be responsible for assisting in a resource classroom. Currently, 6-7 students are coming in and out of this classroom. At the present time, there is one teacher and one instructional aide. Several of the students exhibit unsafe behaviors and are prone to run from their supervising adult. Because of the high need of I believe it is important that we increase the supervision in this classroom.