

# Tips for Supporting Transition Post-High School

### What is Post-High School Transition?

Post-High School transition includes students aged 18 to 22 yrs. Who still benefit from school related services under IDEA.

# Why use Post-High School Transition Strategies?

Students with autism often benefit from structured and individualized approaches to help them develop essential functional life skills, navigate social situations, and explore potential career paths.

# What can Post-High School Transition Strategies do?

Post-High School Transition Strategies may help students with carrier, post-secondary education, and independent living goals.

### Post-High School Transition Strategies...

#### Can be used in various settings:

- Home
- School
- Community (recreation)
- Employment

#### Can be used for:

- Instruction
  - Environment
  - Strategies
- Behavior
- Independent Living Skills

# Types of Post-High School Transition Strategies

- Create a transition plan early in high school with the IEP Team.
- Discuss options with transition specialists and public resources.
- Identify student's interests and skills.
- Practicing clear communication and expressing needs.
- Establish and maintain a daily schedule.
- Support self-advocating for ways to manage sensory sensitivities.
- Teaching self-monitoring skills.
- Teach and model social skills.

