

Lessons for Living, Learning, and Working



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What is it?

This pre-transition curriculum is available to high school programs that are engaged with a Project SEARCH program, adult employment centers, Pre-ETS, and other transition programs that serve people whose end goal is competitive integrated employment. These lesson plans can complement a daily schedule for high school-age students or adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities to facilitate a successful transition to employment.

How to Use it:

There are eight units and 38 objectives in this curriculum. Each objective has its own lesson plan with a glossary, five activities, and critical thinking extension activities to expand the students' experiences. Feel free to choose lessons and activities that meet the needs and learning styles of your students/clients. The minutes listed for each activity are estimated durations; your time will vary based on your students' needs and interest in the activity.

Who Created it?

Twenty-five experienced Project SEARCH instructors from across the United States developed this curriculum with Project SEARCH National staff. The teachers developed eight units with corresponding objectives they felt were critical for interns to know to be ready to make the transition to competitive, integrated employment. Next, they created activities that reflect critical objectives adults need to live and work successfully.

How Do You Get it?

This curriculum is available free of charge to any school district or organization connected to an existing Project SEARCH program. You can access the curriculum through the QR code below:

To use the QR code: Center your smart phone camera over the QR code, then click when you are prompted to open the link in your browser.



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