# Resources and Support

ODE A Guide to Parent Rights in Special Education: <u>https://education.ohio.gov/Topics/</u> <u>Special-Education/A-Guide-to-Parent-Rights-in-</u> <u>Special-Education</u>

ODE Secondary Transition and Workforce Development for Students with Disabilities: <u>https://education.ohio.gov/Topics/Special-</u> <u>Education/Federal-and-State-Requirements/</u> Secondary-Transition-and-Workforce-Development

OCALI Transition Planning: <u>https://</u> www.ocali.org/project/transition-planning-and-theiep/page/resources-to-facilitate-transition-process

The Ohio Coalition for the Education of Children with Disabilities (OCECD): <u>https://</u> <u>www.ocecd.org/</u>

### **Transition Services Goal**

Our transition program will provide inclusive, quality programming in the areas of education and training, employment, independent living, and community skills to prepare students for adulthood and postsecondary success.



# PREPARING FOR LIFE

**Transition Planning** 



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CCS Office of Accelerated and Extended Learning: <u>ccsoh.us/domain/186</u>

CCS Transition Services: <u>ccsoh.us/Page/1226</u>

#### Do you want....

•Extra support for students and families?

Personalized planning?Better student success after graduation?

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## Preparing for Transition

- •**PINS Assessment and Goals Setting**: Student's preferences, interests, needs, and strengths help determine goals and activities focused on their future.
- •Who should be involved? Students, parents/guardians, teachers, transition coordinators, community agency, etc.

•Individualized Timeline for Transition Planning: Be flexible, stay in communication with the Transition Coordinator, and ask questions.

#### What is a Transition Coordinator?

Transition Coordinators work closely with students and families to collaboratively plan, set goals, and serve as a liaison between school and community. Transition Coordinators can offer extra support for youth and families to promote growth and development into adulthood.

## What are Transition Services?

- •Helps prepare students to move from school to the world of adulthood.
- Part of the IEP team through school: includes areas such as postsecondary education or vocational training, employment, independent living, and community participation.
- Transition goals and activities focus on improving the academic and functional achievement of the student with a disability.

## Possible Transition Topics

Special

- •High School Planning & Graduation
- Advocacy
- •Transition Assessment
  - •Ex: career exploration, work readiness, PINS
- •IEP meetings
- •Postsecondary Education & Training
- •Pre-Employment Transition Services
- •Employment
- •Community Engagement
- •Independent Living
- •Student & Family Engagement
- •Interagency Collaboration
- •Information and Referral •Ex: FCBDD, OOD (VR), FCCS
- Legal, Equity, Diversity & Inclusion
  Ex: Supported Decision Making, Guardianship, Healthcare

Please reach out to your student's Transition Coordinator for more information or questions.