



Supports in Inclusive Post- secondary Education

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Delivers higher expectation
through higher education
through:

- InclusiveU
- Research
- Collaboration
- Technical Assistance and Consultation





INCLUSIVEU

InclusiveU brings students of all ages with intellectual and developmental disabilities who want to experience college life in a fully inclusive setting.

We offer real opportunities for students to participate in every aspect of campus life and to pursue their passion and plan for their future.

A Day in the life...

- Meet with a peer partner for breakfast or coffee
- Work out at the gym
- Meet mentor, attend class
- Study/homework
- Lunch at Varsity with friends
- Attend a seminar
- Use the library or computer lab
- Participate in a club/org
- Dinner with friends
- Orange After Dark Activity



Academic Supports

- What's our structure?
 - Audit vs. credit
 - Accommodations vs. modifications
- Advising services
- Technology
- Student Support Assistants
- Resources for professors



Internship and Employment Supports



Internship Supports

- Employment Skills Class
 - Held every morning prior to going to Internship sites
- Employment Interest Surveys and Career Exploration
- On-site job coaching (Provided by ACCES-VR)
- On-site skill development
 - Soft Skills
- Communication support with supervisors and co-workers

Internship Supports

- Access to Business Engagement Group
 - Networking with local businesses to assist with possible employment opportunities
- Post graduation planning
 - HR connections
 - Networking
 - ACCES-VR case transfer (in-state as well as out-of-state)

Employment Supports

- Employment (On-Campus)
 - Assistance with Handshake setup
 - Assistance with job search
 - Assistance with paperwork completion
- Communication with supervisors and co-workers
- Problem Solving
- Opportunities for on campus employment
 - Peer Trainer with Peer2Peer



Living On-Campus

InclusiveU Students live on-campus in fully inclusive residence halls surrounded by peers.

Living On-Campus

- Experience new level of independence
- Peer feedback
- Opportunity to observe pro social behavior
- Built-in social groups
- Community living seminars



Residential Mentors

01

Peer based support program

02

Engage InclusiveU students socially across campus

03

Provide general emotional support for InclusiveU students

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Help maintain a safe and healthy living environment

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Serve as a resource to the InclusiveU students

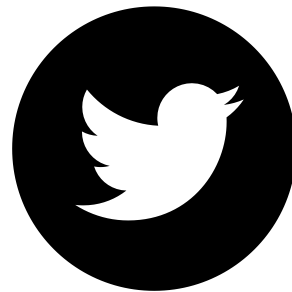
Student Driven

- Experience natural consequences
- Individualized support plans around independent living and socialization



Questions?

Connect with us!



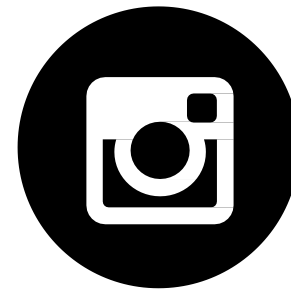
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