



TEACCH SCHOOL TRANSITION TO EMPLOYMENT AND POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION



The TEACCH School Transition to Employment and Postsecondary Education Program (T-STEP) was developed to support transition to employment and/or postsecondary education settings for adolescents and young adults with Autism Spectrum Disorder who have received a standard course of study high school diploma.

THE T-STEP COVERS SIX TRANSITION SKILLS MODULES GROUPED INTO THREE INTERVENTION AREAS

ORGANIZATION AND EXECUTIVE FUNCTION SKILLS

These modules target approaching tasks in an organized manner and time management.

EMOTION REGULATION SKILLS

These modules target coping with being upset in the moment and accepting corrective feedback.

SOCIAL SKILLS

These modules target getting help when needed and social skills for college and work.

The T-STEP will be offered free of charge for 16-21 year old students with ASD at Central Piedmont Community College. Participation includes skill instruction, group practice, video modeling, and role plays. Additionally, students practice these skills on a weekly basis at a volunteer internship site. Students also receive individual career counseling, higher education counseling, and self-advocacy counseling.