

FUTURES PLUS NEWS!

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TEACHERS HELP PLAN FOR THE FUTURE!

Transition services, provided by knowledgeable educators and community resources, can be tailored to a student's goals and strengths and provide him or her with options and plans for his or her future. Transition services offer students with hope for the future and help them to develop skills that foster employment and independent living skills.



FUTURES PLUS ADULT TRANSITION



UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

FUTURES PLUS students will be visiting (to name just a few):

- Seed Harvesting
- Neighborhood Scavenger Hunt
- Virtual Field Trip to Fire Station



FUTURES PLUS GOALS

Goals of the FUTURES Plus Adult Program:

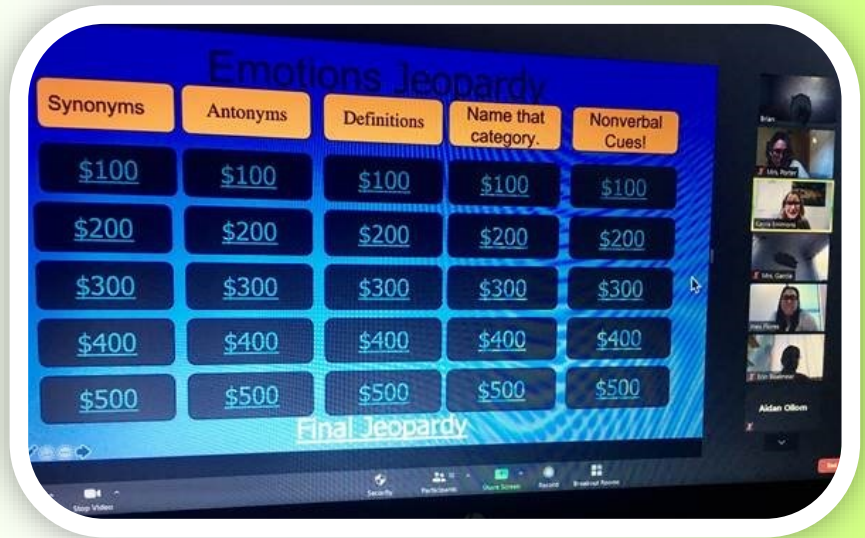
Understanding the local community and community resources through ecological analysis and community-based assessment, instruction and integration;

Continually determining student preference and interests and parental needs through person-centered planning;

Formally collaborating with persons and agencies outside the school systems who may support the student;

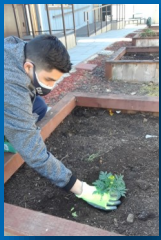
Teaching academic, social, and vocational skills that lead to competitive or supported employment; and

Balancing vocational training with inclusion in age-appropriate social and academic programs.



FUN WITH EMOTIONS JEOPARDY!

Learning about the vocabulary of feelings and emotions through the game of Jeopardy! Students were presented with various emotions and were asked either to provide synonyms, antonyms, definitions and/or describe verbal cues that can present these emotions. We also discussed the different Zones these feelings fall under and how we can make transitions between Zones based on our reactions towards these emotions.



FUTURES PLUS STUDENTS ARE GLAD TO BE BACK IN SCHOOL!

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Why is Adult Transition Important?

FUTURES Plus is a 4-year, community-based instruction, program, emphasizing independent living skills, as well as the development of self-determination, self-advocacy, social, and vocational skills. Eligible students are between 18 and 22 years old and have received a Certificate of Completion in lieu of a diploma.

