

Transition Trends



Welcome!

Welcome back to school and to the first edition of Transition Trends. This monthly newsletter is just one way the Special Education Department will work to keep parents abreast of all things transition. In addition to personalized transition plans developed in conjunction with you and your child's Special Education Team, this newsletter will provide you with information on upcoming school and community events, links to agencies and resources, and highlights from former students in their current lives.

Did You Know?



While Transition Planning must occur by the time your child turns 14, it is the practice of Eanes to address futures planning for all students, regardless of age. This is accomplished through completion of the SPIN (Strengths, Preferences, Interests, and Needs) document for students aged 3-12.

Beyond 12 years, students and families will complete an Early Planning or Transition Planning Questionnaire. Be on the lookout for these important documents prior to your child's Annual ARD meeting!

Parent Training Opportunities

New to the world of Special Education? These on-demand informational videos can help:

[Special Education 101](#)
[ARD 101](#)



Be sure to check out additional parent resources on the Eanes ISD website [here](#)

Texas A&M is offering parents training in communication skills and one-on-one coaching sessions for those with children on the Autism Spectrum. Don't miss this amazing opportunity! Click below for more information and registration.

[Coach2Communicate](#)



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Agency Connections

Texas Workforce Commission

The **Texas Workforce Commission** is a state agency focused on employment services for individuals. They support people with disabilities through their Vocational Rehabilitation program. We are partnering with Lake Travis ISD to offer sessions for parents who want additional information about how TWS can support their child. Four total sessions will be offered; two for those who are college-bound and two for those who will enter the workforce directly after high school. Not sure which route is right for your child? Feel free to join both!



College-bound students: October 26th at 11:00 am and 5:30 pm

Please RSVP using the link [here](#)

Join us on [Zoom](#)

Meeting ID: 897 1462 2025

Passcode: 735325

Workforce Focus: October 28th at 11:00 am and 5:30 pm

Please RSVP using the link [here](#)

Join us on [Zoom](#)

Meeting ID: 886 3137 1053

Passcode: 351462

Where Do I Get Started?

The world of transition services can be daunting, but there are plenty of resources to help. The resources below can be a starting point for your child's journey into adulthood.

[Texas Transition and Employment Guide](#)

[Disability Services through Texas Health and Human Services Department](#)



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