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Work Study Program

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The Work Study Program provides a continuum of prevocational and vocational services that assist students as they explore work and careers and prepare for transition to post high school goals. Services are individualized and based on student strengths, preferences, interests and needs. Work Study services are primarily for students of junior and senior standing. Transition consultation and planning for younger students are available upon request.

The following services and experiences are available through the Work Study Program:

Information and Referrals for Transition

- Self-Advocacy and Accessibility Services in the Postsecondary Setting
- Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities - Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation (BVR)
- Summit County Board of Developmental Disabilities

Vocational and Post-Secondary Exploration

- College and Career Counseling and Guidance
- Computer-Based Career Exploration

Employment Services

- Job Seeking Skills Training
- Job Search Assistance
- Soft Skills Training
- Employment Follow-Along and Work Study Credit**

**** WORK STUDY CREDIT DOES NOT REPLACE REQUIRED ACADEMIC CREDIT****

1 credit for 120 documented hours of paid employment

2 credits for 240 documented hours of paid employment

3 credits for 360 documented hours of paid employment

Transition planning is a very important and individualized process. Good transition planning leads to better preparation for life after high school and can set the stage for better outcomes for students.