

# TRANSITION ACADEMY

## Transportation

Students receive bus transportation to and from the program and to access job sites and community locations. The GPS Transition Academy is handicap accessible.



## CONTACT US

### Transition Academy

Groton Public Schools - Central  
Office  
1300 Flanders Road  
Mystic, CT 06355

Phone Number: 860-572-2151

The program only accepts students who reside within the Groton school district boundaries or based on enrollment

## BUILDING CONFIDENCE AND INDEPENDENCE



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# WHO WE ARE

The Transition Academy provides instruction to students who have achieved all of their credits required for graduation but who have not achieved their secondary transition goals and objectives. Instruction is provided in employment, post-secondary education and training and independent living skills. Academic instruction is embedded in secondary transition activities such as budget development, menu planning, cooking, and arts and crafts. Students also learn employment skills while working as a small group at job sites in the community with supervision and coaching provided by the program staff. A focus on recreation and leisure activities is also embedded in the program with a focus on developing age-appropriate social skills and leisure activities.

Students are considered for eligibility into the program based on a referral from the case manager in grade 12, followed by a review of progress on the secondary transition goals and objectives and an in-person observation of the student by the Transition Academy teacher and program administrator.



## ABOUT PROGRAM

Individual Education Plans (IEPs) are implemented for students with disabilities, ages 18 to 22

Program staff include a Special Education Teacher, Related Services Staff and Adult Support Staff

Hours: 7:40 – 2:20 PM  
Monday – Friday  
The program follows the school district calendar