

WORK-BASED LEARNING EXPERIENCE

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Broward County Public Schools offers students a work-based learning experience designed to support transition into the workforce. This program provides comprehensive transition services that focus on developing employability and social skills, leading to future employment. The program is specifically designed for students with disabilities who have deferred receipt of their high school diploma and are between the ages of 18 and 22. Students gain real-world experience by working in various departments within local businesses. A certified teacher and job coach are present on-site to provide instruction, supervision, and individualized support.

Services Include:

- On-the-job training
- Independent Living Skills training
- Travel training (as needed)
- Career Interest and Employment Assessments
- Resume Development
- Adult Agency Linkages

Job Positions:

- Food and Nutrition
- Human Resources
- Environmental Services
- Central Supply Services
- Emergency Services
- Surgical Services
- Pharmacy Services
- Rehabilitation Services
- Clerical Services (with departments)

Student Entrance Criteria

- **Students must be between the ages of 18 and 22.**
- **Students must have completed credit/graduation requirements and deferred receipt of diploma.**
- **The Transition Individualized Education Plan (TIEP) must prescribe special education services in the area of employment/career development and related services through age 22.**
- **Desire to work competitively.**
- **Ability to independently navigate the community.**

For more information:

Contact your High School ESE Specialist or Transition Program Specialist