



TRANSITION ASSESSMENTS

COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT

As students prepare to transition from school to workplace, a Comprehensive Functional Assessment will assist in identifying support needs and options for post-graduation. The assessment includes a physical therapy, occupational therapy, and job-related component. Part of the assessment will be conducted in real life vocational settings. The assessment will include:

- General Work Observations (Cognitive / Communication / Behavior)
- Mobility Skills (Ambulation / Strength / Balance / Coordination)
- Functional Hand Skills (Handwriting / Keyboarding / Computer Skills)

FUNCTIONAL VOCATIONAL SITUATIONAL ASSESSMENT

As students are preparing to make a smooth transition from school to the adult world, a Functional Vocational Situational Assessment will assist in providing information to support students in a vocational setting. Students, 16 years of age and older, participate in this assessment in a natural, real life setting to determine transition needs, vocational skills and supports. This will assist in identifying skills that the student may possess and the supports are needed to make their experiences successful.

TRANSITION ASSESSMENT UTILIZING NJCAN

In a Transition Assessment, utilizing NJCAN, the student completes two inventories. The first inventory will provide the student with a cluster of careers that may be appealing to the student and will allow us to explore broad areas of interest for postsecondary careers. The second inventory will provide the student with more specific examples of careers that may be of interest to the particular student. After each inventory, the student will be able to explore the finer details associated with each career cluster and specific career. In collaboration with the student, we will be able to analyze potential income, opportunity, required training and education, as well as growth in a particular field. In doing so, the student is provided with a wealth of knowledge pertaining to his or her career interests and will have a deeper understanding for what the requirements are to successfully obtain a career in that field.



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