

# **NEWS & VIEWS**

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### Life Skills & Job Skills Instruction Solutions



### **Transition Portfolios & Employability**

Showcasing employability skills using a Transition Portfolio can be especially important for students in life skills programming. Potential employers may overlook qualified individuals simply because they don't have a diploma. Transition Portfolios showcase work evaluations and provide concrete examples of job skills to make students more attractive to potential employers.

Establishing a transition portfolio is as simple as creating tangible assignments and projects for students. Providing quality hands-on job experiences and life skills is crucial to help students realize their potential!

We were honored to have Jennifer Casselman speak about Transition Portfolios during our March Webinar Wednesday. Jennifer had excellent insight to share from her experience as a Transition Academic Teacher at Center Grove Community School in Indiana. To listen to Jennifer's important solutions for Job Skills and Life Skills instruction <u>Click Here</u>.



### Implementing Real-World Career Activities in the Classroom

From Jennifer's experience, using a hands-on approach to introduce job skills in the classroom can be extremely effective. This can be accomplished with three steps:

- Introduce the curriculum and methods of training.
- **Demonstrate** the steps to completion.
- **Practice** with students in a **safe and supportive space**. Expanding the practice to their community is a great way to give positive exposure and experience to the students while helping their local communities.

### How Education Associates Curriculum Can Help



- 1) Work Performance Benchmarks
- 2) Basic Skills Competencies
- 3) Job Skills Curriculum
- 4) Hands-On Activities Using Real Tools
- 5) Evidence-Based Strategies

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### **Special Announcement About Our CASE Endorsement**

To celebrate our **Project Discovery Adapted Series** endorsement from the Council of Administrators of Special Education (CASE), we are offering *FREE* Achieve Life Skills titles when you purchase five or more of our Project Discovery Adapted Series titles from now until April 1st.





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### Job Ready.

#### PROJECT: DISCOVERY CASE-Endorsed Adapted Series

Career Preparation for ALL Learners, including those with autism and other developmental disabilities. **17 titles, such as...** 

- Cleaning Maintenance
- Filing
- Greenhouse Work
- Grocery Clerking
- Hair Care & Styling
- And More!

... receive an equal number of titles ...

### Life Ready. ACHIEVE: LIFE SKILLS

Key job prep, employability skills and life skills prepare learners to lead vibrant, independent lives. 62 titles, such as...

- Planning Career Goals
- Developing a Resume
- Interviewing for a Job
- Written Communication
- Looking for a Job
- And More!

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### SCHEDULE A PERSONAL ZOOM OVERVIEW

To learn more about how Project Discovery & Achieve Life Skills are a great fit for all learners, schedule a FREE 1-on-1 overview meeting on Zoom.

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