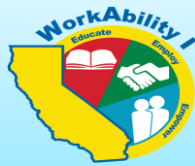


Pajaro Valley Unified School District



POLICY & PROCEDURES

Mission of WorkAbility I (WAI)

The mission of WAI is to promote the involvement of key stakeholders including students, families, educators, employers and other agencies in planning and implementing an array of services that will culminate in successful student transition to employment, lifelong learning and quality of life.

Eligibility for WAI Services

Students with an active Individual Education Plan (IEP) that attend a Pajaro Valley USD middle or high schools are eligible to receive services. These services, however, are not mandated by the IEP and should not be confused with transition services which are a required component. Eligible students may receive some, many or all school based components but not all eligible students will be placed in a paid work based experience.

Served

SCHOOL BASED COMPONENTS

- Career/Vocational assessments (Formal and informal evaluations of interests, skills, abilities and personality)
- Career Counseling and Guidance
- Partnership Collaboration or Parent Participation
- At least one of the following (Career Awareness, Exploration Activities, or Career Preparation)

Placed

WORK BASED COMPONENTS

- Job development
- Student Interview
- Employment
- Job retention
- Work site check-in
- Work-Based follow-along



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