



Special Services

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Resources

School Resources



Hillyard Technical Center in St. Joseph, Missouri, provides hands-on, career-focused education to high school and adult students. Offering a wide range of programs in healthcare, skilled trades, information technology, and more, Hillyard prepares students for in-demand careers through industry certifications and real-world training. With strong partnerships with local businesses and a commitment to workforce development, Hillyard equips graduates with the skills needed for success in today's job market

Tiger Threads

Tiger Threads is a student-run business at CCR-3 that provides hands-on job training for students with disabilities. Through this program, students gain real-world workforce skills by taking orders, designing, creating, and selling custom shirts. They learn essential skills such as teamwork, communication, time management, and customer service, helping to prepare them for future employment. Tiger Threads not only fosters independence and confidence but also builds connections within the community by offering high-quality, custom apparel.

PAT/ECSE

Tiny Tigers is a Parents as Teachers Missouri Curriculum Partner that provides the information, support, and encouragement parents need to help their children develop optimally during the crucial early years of life.

Integrated Early Childhood Special Education brings together students with disabilities and typically developing peers in the same learning environment. In this model, students with disabilities receive individualized support and instruction based on their IEP goals, while also participating in the general preschool curriculum alongside their peers. This integration promotes social interaction, communication skills, and emotional development, offering children the opportunity to learn from and with one another in a more natural, inclusive setting. Teachers and therapists collaborate to adapt and modify the curriculum to meet the diverse needs of all students, ensuring that children with disabilities can access and make progress on both their individual goals and the general preschool standards. This approach fosters a sense of belonging, helps develop critical social and academic skills, and supports early intervention, setting a strong foundation for future learning.

MU PreETs

Pre-employment transition services through the University of Missouri offers no cost pre-employment transition services to Missouri high school students with disabilities ages 14-21.



Community Resources

Clinton County Senate Bill 40

Missouri's SB40 Boards provide vital services and funding to support individuals with developmental disabilities, helping them lead independent and fulfilling lives. These county-based organizations offer case management to connect individuals and families

with essential resources, employment services to assist with job training and supported work opportunities, and residential support for independent living or group home placements. Many SB40 Boards also provide community integration programs that promote social and recreational opportunities, as well as transportation services to ensure access to work, medical appointments, and community activities. Additionally, they offer respite care to give caregivers temporary relief and provide advocacy and family support to help navigate disability services, including guardianship and financial assistance.

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Clinton County Health Department

The Clinton County Health Department is dedicated to promoting and protecting the health and well-being of residents through a variety of essential services and programs. Offering immunizations, maternal and child health support, environmental health inspections, and disease prevention initiatives, the department works to ensure a safe and healthy community. In addition to public health education and wellness programs, they provide resources for emergency preparedness, food safety, and community health assessments. Committed to serving individuals and families across Clinton County, the department collaborates with local organizations and healthcare providers to improve overall public health outcomes.



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Community Action Partnerships

Community Action Partnerships are dedicated to empowering individuals and families by providing resources and support to overcome poverty and achieve self-sufficiency. Through a range of programs, they offer assistance with housing, utility assistance, job training, early childhood education (Head Start), and financial literacy. These services help low-income residents gain stability, access employment opportunities, and improve their quality of life. By working closely with community organizations, businesses, and government agencies, Community Action Partnerships create pathways to success and foster long-term economic independence.



Clinton & Dekalb County
Cameron Office
1015 West 4th St.
Cameron, MO 64429
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Missouri First Steps

First Steps is Missouri Early Intervention system that provides services to families with children, birth to three years of age, with disabilities or developmental delays. The program is designed to meet the needs of families related to enhancing their child's development, learning, and participation in family and community life.



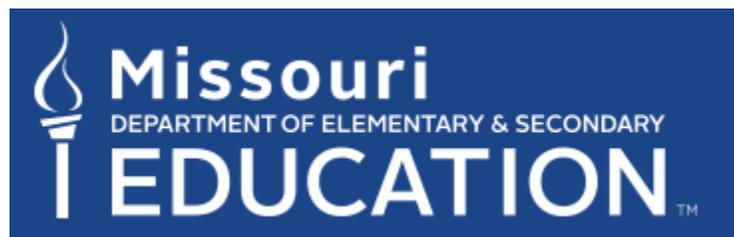
1-866-583-2392 Ext 3

Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

The Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) oversees the state's public education system, ensuring that all students have access to high-quality learning opportunities. DESE supports K-12 schools, early childhood programs, special education services, and career and technical education. The department also manages teacher certification, school accountability, and state assessments while providing resources for educators, students, and families. Committed to student success, DESE works to prepare learners for college, careers, and life beyond the classroom.

Department of Early Childhood

Department of Special Education



Organizations that Support People with Disabilities

State of Missouri Disability Portal



State of Missouri
DISABILITY PORTAL
sponsored by the *Governor's Council on Disability*

People First- Missouri



Social Security Administration



Missouri Department of Mental Health- Albany Regional Office



Missouri Department of
MENTAL HEALTH

Easter Seals



Down Syndrome Innovations



National Center for Learning Disabilities



Learning Disabilities Association of America



Project Access- Autism



PROJECT ACCESS
Missouri's Leader in Autism Education

Summit Behavior Services



Post Secondary Transition

[Missouri Guardianship](#)

This guide provides valuable insights into common questions, misconceptions, and myths surrounding guardianship. Recognizing that the principle of the least restrictive environment extends beyond high school, it is crucial to consider decision-making options that promote independence as young people transition into adulthood. For added support, the appendix, beginning on page 37, includes user-friendly charts and reference materials to help parents and students explore alternatives to full guardianship.

[Missouri Lawyers Help Chapter 11](#)

[Missouri School to Work Transition Checklist](#)

[Clinton County Public Administrator](#)

[Show Me Rights.org](#)

Post Secondary Education

These are college opportunities for students who have intellectual delays, Autism, Down Syndrome ect....

[North Central Missouri College- SAIL Program](#)



[University of Central Missouri- THRIVE Program](#)



[University of Missouri- PAWS Program](#)



University of Missouri-St. Louis- Succeed Program

UMSL

Post Secondary Living/Day Programs

United Cerebral Palsy -UCP

Since 1949, our network of affiliates and partners has been committed to create a world where people with disabilities can live life without limits. Through advocacy, research education and a wide range of resources and programs, we work to promote inclusion, independence and opportunities for all.

OATS Transit

Enhancing quality of life by providing safe, caring and reliable transportation services.

Meril

We believe people with disabilities should have control over their own lives, achieve their own goals, and fully participate in their communities.

Post Secondary Employment

Vocational Rehab

This guide is designed to support students and young adults with disabilities as they plan for their future. Our team collaborates with you, your teachers, family members,

and other supporters to create a path toward your next stage in life. Our goal is to help you explore career opportunities and turn your aspirations into reality.

Hull House Coffee



The Golden Scoop



Farmer's House



Fulfillment House



Specialty Industries



Clinco Sheltered Industries

