

Pre-ETS Programs

Interested youth, families, & school personnel should contact providers to inquire about their program schedule, enrollment availability, & referral process.

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Pre-Employment Transition Services

Pre-ETS

Preparing for a successful future



What are Pre-ETS?

1. Self-Advocacy
2. Career Exploration
3. Workplace Readiness
4. Post-Secondary Education Counseling
5. Work-Based Learning



Who is Eligible?

- Students receiving special education services who have an IEP, 504 plan, or a documented disability
- Age 14 (or 8th grade) to age 21
- Enrolled in a recognized educational program

What is Required to Apply for Pre-ETS?

- Completed Referral Form
- Release of Information signed by the parent/guardian
- Copy of IEP, 504 plan, or documentation of disability

When & Where Do Pre-ETS Activities Take Place?

Service Providers work in collaboration with the schools and other community partners to provide Pre-ETS Services. These services are provided in small groups or individually, and may take place during school hours, after school hours, or in the summer depending upon the availability of the student and coordination with partners.

How Does a Student Receive Pre-ETS Services?

Pre-ETS is a requested service by a school's Transition Coordinator (or other school staff) to DVR Pre-ETS Career Counselors or another DVR approved Pre-ETS service provider.



What is the Purpose of Pre-ETS?

- Assist students with disabilities to successfully transition from high school to Post-Secondary Education/Training, and/or Employment
- Prepare students for what **they** want to do after school
- Support students with the skills, training and/or education they need to be successful



"I learned about my Learning Style and what kind of jobs are best for me, what kind of education is needed for different jobs, and how to advocate for myself in my I.E.P."

"Why I like this program is I now know about what I can do in the future and what can help me in high school."

"Pre-ETS has helped me get ready for jobs and my future. I have learned that I am a visual learner. I learned that I can still get help in college like I do now with my I.E.P."