# GET ALL YOUR LEARNERS JOB & LIFE READY



Discover what we offer to help your students soar...









# WHAT'S POSSIBLE IS JUST A DISCOVERY AWAY

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This unique program offers career education and practical life skills for all learners, including those with special needs and at risk. This platform of products provides teachers and students with the most comprehensive career exploration, job preparation and life skills curriculum available.

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This curriculum incorporates key vocabulary along with hands-on activities and role play. We start with vocabulary that students will use on the job, and we adjust it to their current level. By graduation, they know how to talk the talk.



K.SQUIRES

Director of Student Learning, Red River Parish Coushatta, LA

Project Discovery is now our cornerstone curriculum to help students explore their abilities and interests on their reading level. The flexibility of the curriculum enables teachers to further personalize IEPs.



N.LOCH

Vocational Coordinator, South Washington Co. Minneapolis, MN

My goal is for students to gain essential job skills and basic life skills. The hands-on activities included in this curriculum keep students engaged and further their progress in these areas.



A.GOODPASTER

Vocational Director, Stewart Home & School Frankfort, KY

## WATCH SCORES SOAR!

**Graduation Rate** 

A 60%
INCREASE

**Dropout Rate** 

**¥46%**DECREASE

**Employment Rate** 

**▲ 97%** INCREASE





## Hands-On

Students actually get to experience real job tasks with real tools of the trade as they learn about their interests and abilities in a dynamic, meaningful manner.



#### **Evidence-Based Practices**

Research-proven practices such as video modeling, visual schedules, hands-on activities, social communication supports and differentiated instruction are all included in our programs.



## **Meet Students Where They Are**

Hundreds of activities for different reading/functioning levels and dynamic supports for students with significant challenges help all learners start their career discovery path toward a brighter future!



## Approved & Validated

Recognized and endorsed by leading national organizations including the U.S. Dept. of Education.



## **Data Collection Tools**

Assessments include knowledge-based pre-post tests, work performance benchmarks and data sheets to evaluate functional performance levels. These provide documentation for IEPs and meaningful data for educators, parents and employers.



## **Meeting Teachers' Needs**

Designed by teachers for teachers, these programs include multiple levels and formats to support teachers' needs to address all levels of learners.



## **Academic Integration**

These programs truly integrate career and technical education with academics as students discover the academic skills needed to perform job tasks. This encourages and motivates students to stay in school and further their education to help reach their goals!



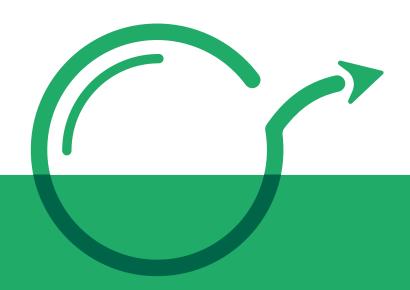
## Implementation Made Easy

Whether in a self-contained classroom, an inclusion class or a job training center, this curriculum meets your needs with effective, evidence-based materials. These dynamic titles allow for a broad range of strategies designed to match educators' expertise and classroom needs.



## **Professional Development Training**

A group of nationally-certified trainers provide a fun, hands-on day to help ensure a successful implementation. Our commitment to you doesn't stop there but includes site support surveys and visits!



# project: discovery Job Ready.

Designed to get every student job ready, even those with significant challenges...





## WHAT'S IN A KIT?

➤ It's All Here: Comprehensive Proven Resources

Our dynamic programs make implementation easy!



## **Adapted Titles Include**

- Video Modeling
- Visual Schedules







Teacher Instructions
Including Scope & Sequence



Parental Involvement
Informative Brochure



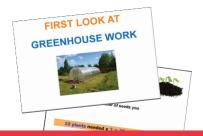
Student Instructions
Engaging Activities



**Tools and Equipment** *Prepare Students for the Job* 



**Comprehensive Assessments** *Knowledge & Performance-Based* 



**'First Look' Lessons**Designed for Special Education



## Opening Doors for Learners with the Most Challenges

A dynamic, hands-on career education program designed to provide individuals with the most challenges the opportunity to explore careers, learn about their passions and interests and gain work and life-ready skills.

#### It All Starts with Great Content

- Two Levels of Instruction (Adapted and General Curriculum)
- Evidence-based Strategies Such As Video
   Modeling, Visual Schedules and Data Sheets
- · Hands-on Activities Using Real Tools
- · Real-life Photos
- · Differentiated Instruction
- Assessments and Academic Integration
- Communication Supports
- Bridge to Community Employment and Post-Secondary Options

## Learn Career Interests and Practice Skills

- Hundreds of Hands-on Activities
- Real Tools
- 50+ Video Modeling Clips
- 700+ Job Tasks

STUDENTS SERVED	Students who need the most assistance Profound, Severe and Moderate Intellectual Disability (ID) and Low functioning ASD.
AVAILABLE TITLES	Adapted  Cleaning Maintenance Filing Greenhouse Work Grocery Clerking Hair Care & Styling Mail Handling Table Service Child Care Animal Care Autobody Repair Caregiver Carpentry Food Service Health & Nutrition Retailing Skin & Nail Care Small Engine Repair
CLASS DURATION	20+ Days per Title
ASSESSMENT	Knowledge Based: Pre-Post Tests Performance Based: Data Sheets & Work Performance Benchmarks
CERTIFICATE	Completion Certificate for each kit
TEACHING APPROACH	Ideal for a Teacher-led Approach Using hands-on tools, with curriculum in print, on computer, projector, interactive white board, iPad or a combination

Students who need the



There is a huge void in quality materials for the moderate, severe and profound population. Project Discovery fills that void.



## **Easy Implementation**

- Step-by-step student instructions
- · Detailed instructor notes
- · Materials and tools included
- · Digital files for customization

# **Easily Apply Evidence-Based Practices in the Classroom**

- VIDEO MODELING
  Provides visual and auditory support
- VISUAL SCHEDULE AND REAL-LIFE PICTURES
  Promote independence and time on task
- ➤ PROGRESS MONITORING AND PERFORMANCE EVALUATION

  Data sheets provide detailed task and performance analysis
- SOCIAL COMMUNICATION AND BEHAVIOR SUPPORTS
  Such as vocabulary boards and cards, role playing, games
  and situation cards
- > SYSTEMATIC INSTRUCTION
  System of least prompts and constant time delay
- ACADEMIC STANDARDS Embedded into activities



Project Discovery supports Universal Design for Learning: Multiple means of Representation, Expression and Engagement.







# achieve: life skills Life Ready.

A competency-based approach to prepare your students to be job and life ready...





## **Live Your Best Life**

With this dynamic series, your students will ACHIEVE... employability skills to get and keep a job... and life skills for independent living.

Each package provides TWO LEVELS of material (3rd-4th grade reading level and 6th-8th grade reading level) to help all users build the foundation to:

- Begin a successful job search.
- · Secure and keep a job.
- Possess independent living skills.

Students will use the interactive PowerPoints to assess their knowledge and learn key skills. Functional academic worksheets support instruction in academic standards!

The students were able to relate the activities in this project to their everyday life. It allows them to practice and master simple tasks which they can apply in their house and wherever they go.



## STUDENTS SERVED

## Students working below, near, or at grade level

Students learning to live and work independently.

• EBD, LD, ASD, Mild ID, English Language Learners (ELL)

#### Ideal for:

- Students who can follow simple or multi-step instructions
- Students preparing for career readiness

## Job Prep & Employability Skills

- · Planning Career Goals
- Looking for a Job
- · Developing a Resume
- · Completing a Job Application
- · Interviewing for a Job
- · Positive Attitudes in Getting a Job
- Your Appearance in the Interview
- Verbal & Non-Verbal Communication
- Written Communication
- · Your Appearance on the Job
- · Positive Attitudes in Keeping a Job
- · Maintaining Regular Attendance
- · Following Directions
- · Workplace Literacy
- Expectations on the Job
- On the Job Phone Skills
- · Managing Your Money

## CLASS DURATION

**AVAILABLE** 

**TITLES** 

10-12 Day Scope & Sequence

## **ASSESSMENT**

- Knowledge-Based: Pre-Post Test
- Assessment Checklists

## CERTIFICATE

Completion Certificate for each title

## LEVELS OF INSTRUCTION

#### Two Reading Levels:

- 6th 8th Grade
- 3rd 4th Grade (Audio for Low & Non Readers)

## TEACHING APPROACH

#### Can Be Teacher or Student-led

Use curriculum in print, on computer, projector, interactive white board, iPad or combination

- ➤ Two Levels of Instruction
- > 200 Competencies

#### INDEPENDENT LIVING



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- · Students preparing for independent living

## **Independent Living Skills**

- Banking: Credit & Loans
- Banking: Checking & Savings
- · Getting Around
- · Living on Your Own
- · Skills for Buying a Car
- · Renting an Apartment
- · Life Skill for the Telephone
- Consumer Shopping
- Customer Service
- Time Management
- Perimeter & Area
- Laundry
- Using Money
- · Kitchen Safety
- Kitchen Tools
- Measurements
- · Baking Math
- Sales Tax, Discounts & Tips
- · Study Skills
- · General Housekeeping Tips

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The key needs I want to address for my students' success are academic skill development, remediation and enrichment while developing hands-on knowledge and expertise in workforce areas as well as having competent, independent living skills.



L.DYER

Believers Academy West Palm Beach, FL



- > 37 Titles
- ➤ 600<sup>+</sup> Hours of Instruction

## Career Exploration Adapted

Hands-on and Digital Materials



## **Job Prep & Employability Skills**

Digital Materials

Planning Career Goals
Looking for a Job
Developing a Resume
Completing a Job Application
Interviewing for a Job
Positive Attitudes in Getting a Job
Your Appearance in the Interview
Verbal & Non-Verbal Communication
Written Communication
Your Appearance on the Job
Positive Attitudes in Keeping a Job
Maintaining Regular Attendance
Following Directions
Workplace Literacy
Expectations on the Job
On the Job Phone Skills
Managing Your Money



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Banking: Checking & Savings
Getting Around
Living on Your Own
Skills for Buying a Car
Renting an Apartment
Life Skills for the Telephone
Consumer Shopping
Customer Service
Time Management
Perimeter & Area
Laundry
Using Money
Kitchen Safety
Kitchen Tools
Measurements
Baking Math
Sales Tax, Discounts, & Tips
Study Skills
General Housekeening Tins



## Training

Our materials are designed by teachers... for teachers. But that may not always be enough! Education Associates will work with your educators to ensure student success by providing professional development training.

Key implementation strategies and teacher tips can make all the difference. It's like... a collection of musical instruments turning into a symphony!

# ➤ Discover that your time spent with us... is more than just a day of training.

We value our customers and strive to provide not only quality curriculum, but excellent support as well.

Our team is dedicated to helping you improve educational achievement for your students. We believe training is an important component of program success and stress a commitment to professional development training by those educators involved. Teachers, counselors and administrators involved in the program are eligible to attend the training.





#### NATIONALLY CERTIFIED TRAINER

Who will provide up to 6 hours of hands-on training.



#### TRAINING MANUAL

Comprehensive instructions providing a stepby-step guide for a successful implementation.



#### **TOLL FREE PHONE SUPPORT**

Instant access to a live person. No annual fee. We encourage any staff member who received training to contact us at any time for assistance.



## SITE SUPPORT SURVEY/FOLLOW-UP

With local representatives who are available

to provide on-site assistance as necessary.

Participate in our electronic survey (6-9 weeks post training) to document your students' success.



### **QUESTIONS?**

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FOLLOW-UP VISITS

866-323-5465

# ➤ What level is right for my learners?

This document is meant to be used as a general guide and shows student groupings and levels correlated to the <b>Project Discovery</b> and <b>Achieve Life Skills</b> curriculum using a generalized approach. Since the curriculum provides differentiated instruction across the materials, the selections were based on considering if a majority of the students at that level could complete a majority of the activities. Therefore, this is a general guide as determinations will vary student by student and school by school.	Adapted	Job Prep & Employability Skills	Independent Living Skills
Middle School Gen Ed		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
High School Gen Ed/CTE		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Profound ID – Intellectual Disability	<b>✓</b>		
Severe ID – Intellectual Disability	✓		
Moderate ID – Intellectual Disability	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Mild ID – Intellectual Disability		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Low Functioning ASD	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Mid Functioning ASD		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
High Functioning ASD		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Low Functioning LD		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
High Functioning LD		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Low Functioning EBD		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
High Functioning EBD		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
English Language Learners – ELL	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>
Students At-Risk		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Juvenile Justice		<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
18-21+ year old Programs	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Adult Programs	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>





## Take the Lead.

With the most comprehensive career exploration, job preparation and life skills programs available, we provide a clear path for the students who need it most.



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