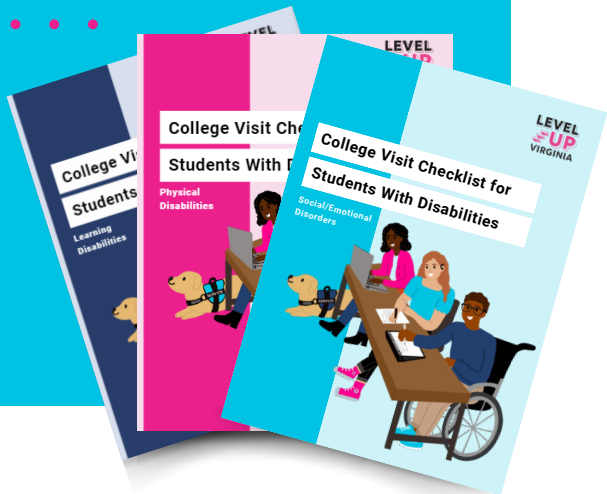


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## COLLEGE VISIT CHECKLISTS FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES!

Checklist for Students with Physical Disabilities:



Checklist for Students with Learning Disabilities:



Checklist for Students with Social/Emotional Disorders:



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## RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES



## LOCAL & STATE RESOURCES

### I'm Determined

The I'm Determined project, a state-directed project funded by VDOE, focuses on providing students with disabilities direct instruction, models and opportunities to practice skills associated with self-determined behavior.



### Level Up Virginia- Preparing for college as a student with a disability

Level Up Virginia is SCHEV's statewide college access initiative that prepares students of all backgrounds for higher education. The Level Up website includes information on how to prepare for postsecondary education as a student with a disability, and includes resources such as college visit checklists.



### The Parent Educational Advocacy Training Center (PEATC)

PEATC serves families and professionals of children with disabilities in the Commonwealth of Virginia. PEATC promotes respectful, collaborative partnerships between parents, schools, professionals, and the community to increase the success of students with disabilities.



## LOCAL & STATE RESOURCES

### Postsecondary Education Rehabilitation Transition (PERT) Program

PERT is supported by VDOE and administered through the Virginia Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services (DARS). The PERT Program assists students in their transition from high school to post secondary options by helping them answer important questions about their interests, talents and abilities.



### Training & Technical Assistance Centers (TTACs)

Virginia Department of Education's (VDOE's) state-wide projects with Training & Technical Assistance Centers (TTACs) provide professional development and support designed to assist schools in addressing accountability and improvement goals for students with disabilities.



### VCU Center on Transition Innovations (VCU CTI)

VCU CTI is Virginia's leader in providing resources and innovative models to support students with disabilities in their transition to adulthood.

- Discovering ME!
  - Helps students with significant barriers to employment find and maintain employment in careers that align with their strengths and interests.
- Get Ready for College
  - An online course providing information and resources students with disabilities need to get ready for college.



## NATIONAL RESOURCES

### Department of Education (DOE) Transition Guide

This guide by DOE is to aid in a seamless transition from school to postsecondary activities and addresses the following topics:

- Transition planning: opportunities and programs;
- Transition services and requirements, as authorized by IDEA and the Rehabilitation Act;
- Postsecondary education and employment options for students with disabilities



### Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services (OSERS) Successful Transition Blog Series

OSERS works alongside families, students, educators, advocacy groups and policymakers to rethink transition services. OSERS' goal is to give students and families the tools and resources necessary for successful secondary transition experiences.



### Think College

Think College is a national technical assistance center that provides resources, technical assistance and training related to college options for students with intellectual disability, and manages the only national listing of college programs for students with intellectual disabilities.

