

# The Compass

Helping You Navigate Your Roadmap to Adulthood



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Welcome to the Planning for Adult Life monthly newsletter, **The Compass!** This newsletter will highlight upcoming monthly events, updates on supports and services, and opportunities to gather information available through our program.

## Transition Planning 101: Congratulations Class of 2016!

The **Planning for Adult Life Program** would like to thank the schools, parents and especially the students that will be leaving school and moving on to adult life. We are proud of you and your success.

Learning everyday is a key to success. **Don't stop learning, dreaming, and achieving!**



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## Webinar Wednesday Series

Join us for our upcoming **FREE** webinars:

**June 22nd at 6:00pm**

**"10 Things Every Student Should Explore During Summer Break"**

[Click here to register](#)



**Planning For Adult Life**  
**FREE PARENT FORUM AND OPPORTUNITY EXPO**  
STUDENTS IN SPECIAL EDUCATION 14-21 AND THEIR FAMILIES

## REGISTER TODAY!

Come and learn about how to plan for life beyond high school- whether it's finding work, continuing your education, getting your own place or even starting a business. Find out what services are available to help you build your roadmap to adult life.

## Parent Forum and Opportunity Expos 2016

9:00-1:00pm

June 4, 2016

## Celebrate The Children (Denville, NJ)

[Click Here to Register](#)

### Workshops Sessions Include:

- Parent's Perspective on Planning
- Yes, Your Child Can Work
- College Options For Students with I/DD
- Accessing Services and Supports in Your Community

Are you a provider? To reserve an exhibit table: [Click Here](#)

### Things To Consider: Parent Groups, Service Agencies, and School Professionals Schedule the HOW Series TODAY!

We are scheduling the HOW Series Workshops for the fall. These FREE workshops are designed to offer students with I/DD and their family members an opportunity to learn by doing. Activities at the HOW Series Workshops will help student build a plan for when they leave school. We especially encourage students to attend and participate in the hands-on experience.



[Click Here To Schedule A Workshop](#)

## Student Planning Activity



### Create a Planning Portfolio

- Create a vision board of things you would like to explore
- Make a list of goals that you would like to do this summer
- Register and watch this month's webinar on things to do this summer

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Our Archived Videos:  
Exploring Housing Options for  
Persons with Developmental  
Disability**

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