**I am an Educator for a Job Seeker who has a Disability:**

**What Can I Do?**

# **Actions I Can Take:**

* Support my students in planning the futures they want. This may include learning about a variety of postsecondary pathways.
* Create opportunities for students to learn more about their education and employment options and work with them to set meaningful and actionable goals.
* Work with state agencies including Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA or VR) and the Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD) to prepare my students for the future.
* Assist students in participating in Pre-Employment Transition Services (Pre-ETS). Pre-ETS includes job counseling, work-based learning, and self-advocacy training.
* Hold high expectations for my students. As an educator, my support can make an enormous difference in helping my students achieve their employment goals.
* Encourage Student-led IPEs

# **Resources I Can Contact:**

National Technical Assistance Center on Transition

* www. transitionta.org

National Collaborative on Workforce and Disability for Youth

* www.ncwd-youth.info

RSA Information on Pre-ETS

* RSATransition@azdes.gov
* [www.des.az.gov/services/employment/rehabilitation-services/vocational-rehabilitation-vr/pre-employment-transition](http://www.des.az.gov/services/employment/rehabilitation-services/vocational-rehabilitation-vr/pre-employment-transition)

AZ Department of Education/ESS/Transition

* [www.azed.gov/specialeducation/transition/](http://www.azed.gov/specialeducation/transition/)

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