THE WEBB SCHOOLS

The Webb Schools with locations in Hartford and Cheshire are committed to integrating quality individualized education and comprehensive therapeutic services to students Kindergarten through age 21, by creating an environment that is safe supportive and respectful. Together with families and communities, we strive to help students realize their potential and grow to be productive, independent, and responsible members of a diverse society.

The Webb Schools provide a learning environment that is dedicated to meeting the individual student’s needs by appropriately challenging them academically, behaviorally, and emotionally in the least restrictive manner. We accomplish this by using a relational approach in accordance with best research practices.

The Grace S. Webb School, located at the Institute of Living, serves K-12th grade students as well as young adults, 18-21 years old.

The Webb School at Cheshire serves K-8th grade students.

THE WEBB SCHOOLS’ TRANSITION LEARNING CAREER ACADEMY

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:
This is a program that is designed to prepare high school students for a future in the workplace by offering, in conjunction with a functional comprehensive curriculum that meets all CT standards, experiences in a real life work environment. These experiences will be designed around the students individual needs as identified in their transitional goals. The objective is to give students an alternative to a more traditional academic experience to enable them to graduate with their graduating class i.e. within 4 years. The curriculum will be taught by utilizing a project based learning method; a dynamic approach to teaching in which students explore real-world problems and challenges, simultaneously developing cross-curriculum skills while working in small collaborative groups with focus on hands-on activities.

In grades 9-10 students will start their career exploration through job shadowing, etc. They will be assessed for work readiness as they move through the continuum of work related experiences and participate in elective courses related to work readiness. In grades 11-12 (16 years and up) students will continue to work towards academic credits while spending time in work/volunteer placements. The goal is for the students to start building a resume that will make them desirable for employment upon graduation from the program. As students prepare for a future in the workplace they need experiences in a real life environment. These experiences will be designed around their individual needs.

- Pre-Employment/Employment
- Work Skills
- Social Skills
- Independent Living Skills
- Leisure Skills

PROGRAM COMPONENTS
- Career Exploration
- Work Readiness
- Transition Planning
- Worksite Experience
- Computer Competencies
- Consumer Education
- Daily Living Skills
- Health and Wellness
- Social Skills Training
- Individual and Group Therapy
- Coordination with Providers
- Case Management

WORK EXPERIENCE
- Volunteer positions within Hartford Hospital
- Community Based Work Experience
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