



Life After School Program

Our Vision

Resource Connection envisions a community in which all people are valued and accepted and have control over their own destinies.

Our Mission

Resource Connection strives to enable people experiencing developmental or economic challenges to achieve independence and inclusion by providing social, educational, residential, and work related supports.

Resource Connection looks for opportunities to grow and support programs and services that contribute to the community at large.

Our Programs and Services

Vocational Rehabilitation

Life After School Transition Program

Qualifications of Resource Connection Employees

All Resource Connection staff meet the State of Indiana's requirements for employment in this field of service. This includes educational or licensing requirements, as well as passing a criminal history check, which is part of our own rigorous screening process.








All Resource Connection staff participates in regularly-scheduled training to keep their skills sharp and remain informed of important changes in our system.



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Resource Connection Life After School can provide your teenager

-  Assistance through the Application Process to Vocational Rehabilitation
-  Career Path Identification
-  Assessment and Training through our computer and skills training
-  Internship opportunities in your teenagers dream job
-  Job Readiness Skills
-  A detailed portfolio including resume, practice applications, etc.
-  A valuable support mechanism for life after high school.

Who are the clients of Resource Connection?

The Life After School program receives referrals from the local school districts we work with in Huntington, Miami and Wabash Counties. Life After School personalizes the program to the needs of each student. After students have completed the Life After School program they have the option of furthering education, or choosing employment services through Indiana Vocational Rehabilitation Services (a State agency). If the student chooses Resource Connection, we will provide the pre-employment, on-the-job and follow-up support they need to overcome their barriers and become valuable, productive employees.



Resource Connection's Life After School Office Locations

Huntington
1316 Flaxmill Road
Huntington, IN 46750
(800) 310-9510

Wabash
2049 South Wabash Street
Wabash, IN 46992
(800) 508-0036



Our Internship Supporters in Huntington, Miami, and Wabash Counties

Huntington

Huntington North High School
 Huntington Theatre
 IPFW– It’s a Deaf Deaf World
 Kids Kampus
 Miller’s Merry Manor
 United Way (in collaboration with Work One)
 YMCA

Huntington Co. Staff



Tara Lynn
 Transition Specialist

Miami/Wabash Co. Staff



Paula Dunlap
 Transition Specialist

Miami and Wabash

The Big Brick House
 Builders Mart (Wabash)
 Countryside Veterinary Hospital
 Family Farm & Home (Peru)
 J & K Aquariums and Pets (Wabash)
 Oak Haven Stables (Peru)
 Troxel Equipment (Wabash)
 YMCA Daycare (Peru)

Our Partners in and around Huntington, Maimi & Wabash Counties

Alco
 Arc of Wabsh
 Augenbaugh Heating and Air
 Bob Evans Restaurant
 Burger King– Huntington, Fort Wayne, Wabash, Peru
 Coffee D’Vine
 Crazy Horse Outfitters (Urbana)
 CVC (North Manchester)
 D & S Metals
 Duffy Electric
 Executive Management Services, Inc.– Fort Wayne
 Head Start-Wabash
 Heckman Bindery
 Heritage Pointe
 Holiday Inn Express
 Homier Distributing Dept. Store
 Hoosier Drive-In
 Huntington North High School
 Ivy Tech– Marion
 Jack in the Box
 Johnny’s Drive-In
 Johnson’s Junction
 K-Mart

Kentucky Fried Chicken
 Kids Kampus
 Learn More Center-North
 Manchester & Wabash
 Lighthouse Mission Thrift Store
 Love INC.
 Manchester School Corporation
 McClure’s Orchard (Peru)
 McDonald’s
 Metal Source
 MJV Group-Wabash
 Modoc’s Market
 NAPA Auto Parts
 Nick’s Country Cafe
 Niswandars
 Oakbrook Village
 Owens North
 The Paper of Wabash County
 Parkmoor Car Wash
 Pathfinder Services, Inc.
 Ponderosa
 Precision Battery
 Professional Drywalling
 Refuse Division of
 Pathfinder Services

Red Cross
 Results (Marion)
 Richards
 Rolling Meadows Healthcare (Lafontaine)
 Ruth Ann’s Restaurant
 Special Daycare Service
 Super 8 Motel
 Taco Bell– Huntington, North Manchester, Wabash
 The Teaching Tree– Fort Wayne
 Transmetco
 Village Market
 Wabash Co. Division of Family Resources
 Wal-Mart– Huntington, Marion
 Wendy’s (Marion)
 Worster’s Egg Farm
 YMCA
 Your Friends and Neighbors (Fort Wayne)
 Youth Services Bureau

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