



References and Resources

This chapter includes references and information about web resources, video presentations, and training materials available from DO-IT.

DO-IT Web Pages

The following DO-IT web pages are of particular relevance for creating programs that help students with disabilities succeed in college and careers and use technology as an empowering tool.

AccessCAREERS

Resources that include a searchable knowledge base of questions and answers, case studies, and promising practices that promote career success for people with disabilities.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Careers/>

AccessCollege: Postsecondary Education and Students with Disabilities

Resources for students and educators that promote postsecondary success for students with disabilities.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Resources/postsec.html>

AccessComputing

Resources that include a searchable knowledge base of questions and answers,

case studies, and promising practices that promote participation of individuals with disabilities in computing careers.

<http://www.washington.edu/accesscomputing/>

AccessSTEM

Resources that include a searchable knowledge base of questions and answers, case studies, and promising practices that promote participation of individuals with disabilities in STEM careers.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Stem/>

DO-IT Pals

An e-mentoring community for teens with disabilities.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Programs/pals.html>

DO-IT Publications, Videos, and Training Materials

Products that promote the success of people with disabilities in challenging academic programs and careers, using technology as an empowering tool.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Brochures/>



DO-IT: Research to Practice

A summary of research on which DO-IT practices are based.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Resources/research.html>

DO-IT Scholars Program

A multiple-year transition program to help teens with disabilities prepare for college and careers.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Programs/scholar.html>

DO-IT Snapshots: Bios of the DO-IT Scholars

Bios written by current and past DO-IT Scholars.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Snapshots/>

Technology and Universal Design

Video presentations and web resources about assistive technology and universal design of information technology.

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Resources/technology.html>



DO-IT Video Presentations

The following video productions are available on DVDs for purchase through DO-IT and are available for free online viewing at <http://www.washington.edu/doit/Brochures/vidlist.html>. Trainers who wish to have copies of DO-IT videos to store on their computers for noncommercial purposes can

obtain copies without charge by making a request to doit@u.washington.edu.

DO-IT Programs 1

DO-IT Pals: An Internet Community

Peer and mentor support in an online community for people with disabilities (9 minutes).

DO-IT Scholars

Participants tell about the DO-IT Scholars program for high school students with disabilities (11 minutes).

Snapshots: The DO-IT Scholars

Participants tell about their experiences in DO-IT programs (28 minutes).

Finding Gold: Hiring the Best and the Brightest

Employers in work-based learning programs show how to fully include participants with disabilities (7 minutes).

DO-IT Programs 2

How DO-IT Does It

Successful practices employed by DO-IT programs to increase the success of young people with disabilities in college and careers (34 minutes).

Opening Doors: Mentoring on the Internet

Adult mentors help students with disabilities achieve success in college studies and careers (14 minutes).

DO-IT Self-Determination 1

Taking Charge 1: Three Stories of Success and Self-Determination

Successful young people with disabilities share strategies for living self-determined adult lives (17 minutes).



Taking Charge 2: Two Stories of Success and Self-Determination

Testimonials from teens with disabilities learning to live self-determined lives, featuring two high school students (15 minutes).

Taking Charge 3: Five Stories of Success and Self-Determination

A combination of the stories presented in *Taking Charge 1* and *2* videos. Testimonials from successful people with disabilities regarding living self-determined lives, featuring five individuals in high school, college, and careers (27 minutes).

DO-IT STEM 1

Working Together: Science Teachers and Students with Disabilities

Successful science students with disabilities suggest ways to make science activities accessible (13 minutes).

Equal Access: Science and Students with Sensory Impairments

Students and employees with sensory impairments share strategies for success (14 minutes).

The Winning Equation: Access + Attitude = Success in Math and Science

Science and math teachers share strategies for making these subject areas accessible to students with a wide range of disabilities (15 minutes).

STEM: Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics at the University of Washington

Students and faculty highlight exciting academic programs offered to a diverse students body at the University of Washington (10 minutes).

DO-IT Careers 1

Learn and Earn: Tips for Teens

Students with disabilities show how they

benefit from work-based learning (13 minutes).

Learn and Earn: Supporting Teens

Parents, teachers, and mentors encourage teens to participate in work-based learning (13 minutes).

It's Your Career

College students with disabilities gain work-based learning experiences (13 minutes).

Access to the Future: Preparing Students with Disabilities for Careers

How to make college career development services accessible to students with disabilities (14 minutes).

DO-IT Technology 1

Working Together: People with Disabilities and Computer Technology

Adaptive technology and computer applications for people with disabilities (14 minutes).

Working Together: Computers and People with Mobility Impairments

People with mobility impairments demonstrate computer access technology (14 minutes).

Working Together: Computers and People with Sensory Impairments

People with visual and hearing impairments demonstrate computer technology for school and work (11 minutes).

Working Together: Computers and People with Learning Disabilities

Students and workers with learning disabilities demonstrate computer-based tools and strategies (10 minutes).

Computer Access: In Our Own Words

Students with disabilities demonstrate adap-



tive technology and computer applications (10 minutes).

DO-IT Technology 2

Equal Access: Universal Design of Computer Labs

This presentation shows how computer labs can be designed as to be accessible to students with disabilities (11 minutes).

World Wide Access: Accessible Web Design

People with disabilities describe roadblocks they encounter on the World Wide Web and examples of accessible web design techniques (11 minutes).

Real Connections: Making Distance Learning Accessible to Everyone

This presentation highlights issues to consider when designing courses to fully include students with disabilities (12 minutes).

Access to Technology in the Workplace: In Our Own Words

Testimonials from employees on making technology accessible in the workplace (13 minutes).

Camp: Beyond Summer

How to add Internet experiences to summer camp programs for children and youth with disabilities (10 minutes).

DO-IT Transition 1

College: You Can DO-IT!

College students with disabilities and staff share advice for success in college (14 minutes).

Moving On: The Two-Four Step

How to successfully transition from two- to four-year postsecondary institutions (11 minutes).

Taking Charge 1: Three Stories of Success and Self-Determination

Testimonials from successful people with disabilities regarding living self-determined lives (17 minutes).

DO-IT College 1

Working Together: Faculty and Students with Disabilities

Successful students with disabilities tell the viewers firsthand about techniques and accommodations that contributed to their success. They emphasize the importance of the faculty-student relationship (9 minutes).

Building the Team: Faculty, Staff, and Students Working Together

Learn how to create an inclusive postsecondary learning environment (16 minutes).

Equal Access: Universal Design of Instruction

Learn strategies for making instruction in a classroom or in a tutoring center accessible to all students (13 minutes).

Equal Access: Student Services

How to apply universal design principles to make postsecondary student services accessible to all students (15 minutes).





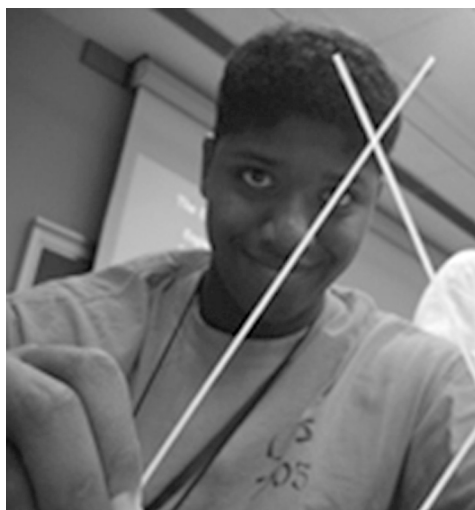
DO-IT Publications

The following DO-IT publications, ready for duplication, can be distributed to staff and/or transition program participants.

- *An Accommodation Model*
- *Building the Team: Faculty, Staff, and Students Working Together*
- *College Funding Strategies for Students with Disabilities*
- *College Survival Skills*
- *College: You Can DO-IT!*
- *Disability-Related Resources on the Internet*
- *Learn and Earn: Tips for Teens*
- *Learn and Earn: Supporting Teens*
- *Making Science Labs Accessible to Students with Disabilities*
- *Opening Doors: Mentoring on the Internet*
- *Preparing for a Career: An Online Tutorial*
- *Preparing for College: An Online Tutorial*
- *Taking Charge: Stories of Success and Self-Determination*
- *Universal Design of Instruction: Definitions, Principles, and Examples*
- *The Winning Equation: Access + Attitude = Success in Math and Science*
- *Working Together: Computers and People with Learning Disabilities*
- *Working Together: Computers and People with Mobility Impairments*
- *Working Together: Computers and People with Sensory Impairments*
- *Working Together: People with Disabilities and Computer Technology*

- *Working Together: Science Teachers and Students with Disabilities*

The most current editions of these and other publications are freely available online at <http://www.washington.edu/doit/Brochures/>. Permission is granted to duplicate and distribute them for noncommercial purposes, provided the source is acknowledged.



Electronic Resources

The following resources provide a good place to start as you continue your exploration of ways to encourage college-bound young people to reach their highest potential in school, in careers, and in other life experiences.

ABLEDATA

<http://www.abledata.com/>

AccessCAREERS

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Careers/>

AccessCollege

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/Resources/postsec.html>

Adolescent Health Transition Project

<http://depts.washington.edu/healthtr/>

**The Alliance for Technology Access**

<http://www.ataccess.org/>

American Association of People with Disabilities

<http://www.aapd-dc.org/>

ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) Technical Assistance Centers

<http://www.dbtac.vcu.edu/>

The Arc

<http://www.thearc.org/>

Be a Mentor Program

<http://www.beamentor.org/>

Center for Applied Special Technology (CAST)

<http://www.cast.org/>

Center for Self-Determination

<http://www.self-determination.com/>

Child Safety on the Information Highway: National Center for Missing and Exploited Children

http://www.safekids.com/child_safety.htm

College Preparation Resources for Students with Disabilities

http://www.washington.edu/doit/Resources/college_prep.html

DO-IT (Disabilities, Opportunities, Internetworking, and Technology)

<http://www.washington.edu/doit/>

DisABILITY Information and Resources

<http://www.makoa.org/>

E-Volunteerism

<http://www.evolunteerism.com/>

Family Village: A Global Community of Disability Related Resources

<http://www.familyvillage.wisc.edu/>

Got a Good Mentor? Hold Up Your End of the Bargain

<http://www.esight.org/index.cfm?x=1319>

HEATH Resource Directory

http://www.heath.gwu.edu/HEATH_DIR/

Institute on Community Integration

<http://ici.umn.edu/>

The International Center for Disability Resources on the Internet

<http://www.icdri.org/>

Internet Safety: A Note to Parents, Guardians and Teachers**World Kids Network**

<http://www.worldkids.net/school/safety/internet/guidance.html>

Job Accommodation Network

<http://www.jan.wvu.edu/>

Kids as Self-Advocates

<http://www.fvkasa.org/>

Kidz Privacy: Adults Only**Federal Trade Commission**

<http://www.ftc.gov/bcp/online/edcams/kidzprivacy/adults.htm>

Kid Source Online

<http://www.kidsource.com/>

Kids Together, Inc.**Information and Resources for Children & Adults with Disabilities**

<http://www.kidstogether.org/>



Kid Zone: Where Kids Can Play and Learn
<http://www.ldonline.org/kids/>

**The Librarian's Guide to Cyberspace
 for Parents & Kids**
American Library Association
<http://archive.ala.org/parents/greatsites/guide.html>

Mapping Your Future
<http://mapping-your-future.org/>

**MentorNet: The E-Mentoring Network for
 Diversity in Engineering and Science**
<http://www.mentornet.net/>

**National Center on Secondary Education
 and Transition (NCSET)**
<http://www.ncset.org/>

National Council on Independent Living
<http://www.ncil.org/>

National Council on Disability
<http://www.ncd.gov/>

**National Dissemination Center
 for Children with Disabilities**
<http://www.nichcy.org/>

National Mentoring Center
<http://www.nwrel.org/mentoring/>

National Mentoring Partnership
<http://www.mentoring.org/>

National Organization on Disabilities
<http://www.nod.org/>

**National Youth Development
 Information Center**
<http://www.nydic.org/nydic/>

National Youth Leadership Network
<http://nyln.org/>

The OHSU Center on Self-Determination
<http://www.ohsu.edu/oidd/CSD/>

**PACER (Parent Advocacy Coalition
 for Education Rights)**
<http://www.pacer.org/>

A Parent's Guide to Internet Safety
Federal Bureau of Investigation
<http://www.fbi.gov/publications/pguide/pguide.htm>

People First of Oregon
<http://www.open.org/people1/>

Self-Determination Synthesis Project
<http://www.uncc.edu/sdsp/>

ServiceLeader.org
Virtual Volunteering
<http://www.serviceleader.org/new/virtual/>

**Students with Disabilities Preparing for
 Postsecondary Education: Know Your
 Rights and Responsibilities**
<http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/transition.html>

Think College
U.S. Department of Education
<http://www.ed.gov/thinkcollege/>

**U.S. Department of Labor Employment
 & Training Administration**
<http://www.doleta.gov/>

Winners On Wheels
<http://www.wowusa.com/>

What a Mentor Can Do for You
<http://www.esight.org/index.cfm?x=1198>

World Friends, Resources, and Disabilities
http://www.seattleschools.org/schools/hale/friends/wf_home.htm



World Institute on Disability

<http://www.wid.org/>



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