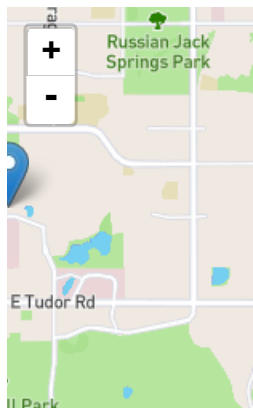


## TAPESTRY <sup>[1]</sup>

University of Alaska, Anchorage

The purpose of the Transition and Postsecondary Education/Employment: Students, Technology, Relationships and YOU Postsecondary Transition Program (TAPESTRY) is to provide students ages 18 to 26 with a disability a postsecondary college experience to develop self-advocacy skills, social skills, and engages in career exploration that leads to employment in a career field or enrollment in a postsecondary educational program. Students earn a UAA Workforce Credential when they complete the one year program.

3211 Providence Dr.  
Suite 212L  
Anchorage, AK 99508  
United States



Leaflet

### **Program Contact:**

Dayna McGuire

### **Program Email:**

[tapestry@alaskachd.org](mailto:tapestry@alaskachd.org) <sup>[2]</sup>

### **Email:**

[dayna@alaskachd.org](mailto:dayna@alaskachd.org) <sup>[3]</sup>

### **Phone:**

(907) 786-6038

### **Website:**

<https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/college-of-health/departments/center-for-hu...> <sup>[4]</sup>

General

### **Public or private::**

Public

### **Type of school::**

4-year college or university

### **Is this program a federally funded TPSID program?:**

No

### **Students in this program::**

Have graduated or exited from high school

Are still enrolled in high school

**Number of students::**

11

**Description of our summer transition program::**

The Summer Academy meets on a staggered schedule over the summer with classroom activities, a service learning project and placement in a work experience. Our target audience for the TAPESTRY Summer Academy is a student who is finishing their junior year of high school and who has been on an IEP or 504 Plan, or struggles with academics. Enrollment is on a first-come basis.

Requirements

**Please indicate which disabilities students in this program have::**

- Intellectual disability
- Autism

Acceptance, Retention, and Completion Rates

**Program length::**

1 year

Cost

**Is this program able to provide federal financial aid as a Comprehensive Transition Program (CTP)?:**

No

**Students pay for the program in the following ways::**

- Private pay (student and family)
- Vocational Rehabilitation Funds

Academic

**Students enrolled in this program take the following types of inclusive courses (with students who don't have disabilities)::**

Typical college courses for credit

Typical college courses for audit

Typical Continuing Education courses

**Students take courses that are only for students in this program::**

Yes

**Do students earn a credential of any kind when they complete this program?:**

Yes

**Credential(s) students earn upon completing the program::**

Workforce Credential: Bridge to Independence Through Career Readiness

Employment

**Percent of students in this program have paid work while attending the program::**

80%

**Other career development activities are::**

- Internships
- Volunteer work

## Housing

### Housing is provided to students::

Yes

### Housing options available::

- Inclusive on campus
- Specialized off campus

## Extracurricular

### Students participate in student organizations on campus::

Yes

### Students have participated in these social/extracurricular activities and organizations::

Writers Club, Anime Club

### Admission criteria (select all that apply):

Specific age range (enter ages below)

### Criteria for admission:

<div class="item-list"><ul><li class="first last">Age range: 18 - 26</li> </ul></div>

### Please indicate which disabilities students in this program have:

Intellectual disability

Autism

### Instructions:

In the form below is the information that is currently listed on our website for your program. Please click on each green tab, look over all fields and change any information that needs to be updated. There is no need to save after completing each tab, but you MUST click Save at either the top or bottom of this form after going through and making any necessary changes. You can save at any time and you may save and leave and return later to make additional changes or add new information. Green check marks will appear in the tabs on the left when you have filled out all questions in a section. Please make every attempt to answer all questions--but if you can't, the form will still save and we will use the information you can provide to create your updated record.

### Program length::

1 year

## Contacts

*Institute for Community Inclusion  
UMass Boston  
Boston, Massachusetts 02125  
Phone: (617) 287-4300  
Email: [thinkcollege@umb.edu](mailto:thinkcollege@umb.edu)*

## Links

- [Home](#)
- [About Us](#)
- [Team Members](#)
- [Privacy Policy](#)

- 
- 
- 

[Sitemap](#)  
[Connect With Us](#)  
[Log out](#)

## About

Think College is a national initiative dedicated to developing, expanding, and improving research and practice in inclusive higher education for students with intellectual disability. It is based at the Institute for Community Inclusion, University of Massachusetts Boston.

## Social

[Facebook](#) [Twitter](#) [LinkedIn](#) [Instagram](#) [Email Think College](#)



@ document.write(new Date().getFullYear()); [Institute for Community Inclusion](#) at the University of Massachusetts Boston.

[ABOUT](#) | [ACCESSIBILITY](#) | [CONTACT](#)

---

**Source URL:**<https://thinkcollege.net/programs/tapestry>

### Links

[1] <https://thinkcollege.net/programs/tapestry> [2] <mailto:tapestry@alaskachd.org> [3] <mailto:dayna@alaskachd.org> [4] <https://www.uaa.alaska.edu/academics/college-of-health/departments/center-for-human-development/tapestry/index.cshhtml>