

College WISE

Summer Program



The UNTWISE College WISE Summer Program is a one (1) week summer program for young adults with disabilities, ages 16-22, interested in pursuing a post-secondary education. An overview of the expectations and demands of community college and a four-year university are explored. Participants engage in activities to promote academic success, which connect to future employment outcomes, including:

- Study and Time Management Skills
- Connecting with Resources for Academic Success
- Disability Services, Disclosure and Self-Advocacy
- Student Engagement and Independent Living Skills

Participants engage in a variety of activities aimed at demonstrating skills necessary to be successful in higher education settings. To assist young adults to gain a feel for a college campus, participants interact with faculty, staff and students at the University of North Texas. Academic and social aspects of college life, and the connection between educational goals and vocational outcomes, are emphasized.

As student engagement is a factor in college success, the program works on developing independent living skills for university community life. While overnight accommodations in campus housing are provided, participants are not required to stay overnight. Participants will utilize on-campus and public transportation, with assistance, to develop their independent living skills.

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Location: University of North Texas-Denton

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