

SUMMER LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE CAMP

BUILD CONFIDENCE & CAREER READINESS

JULY 12-16, 2026

The Summer Leadership Experience Camp helps transition-aged Office of Vocational Rehabilitation consumers prepare for pursuing post-high school education and training leading to a career. Campers explore college admissions, financial aid, and essential skills for success, all in a supportive, interactive environment.



I most enjoyed:

**“Connecting with colleges
and learning about finances.”**



PRACTICAL SKILLS FOR SUCCESS

Sessions on self-advocacy, assistive technology, financial aid, and disability services.



ENGAGING & DIVERSE ACTIVITIES

Evening outings, esports center visits, motivational speakers, and interactive activities keep students engaged.



INCLUSIVE & WELCOMING

Staff rated highest for making participants feel comfortable.

LOW COST

Office of Vocational Rehabilitation consumers pay just a \$50 registration fee to attend the in-person camp, which covers a 4-night stay, meals, and activities. Virtual participation is completely free with no registration fee.

PROVEN IMPACT

Campers rated these statements highly (out of 5), showing strong satisfaction.

COLLEGE READINESS



The camp helped me to understand skills I need to succeed at college.

WELCOMING

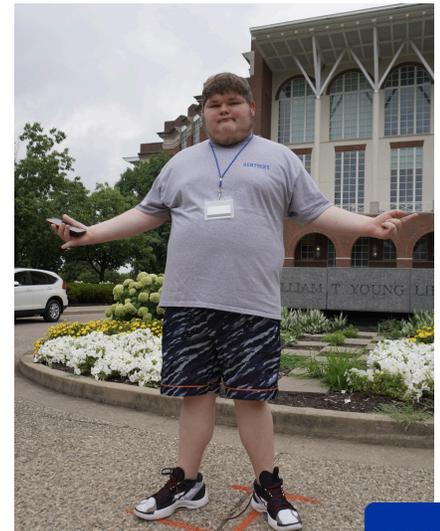


The camp staff and Director made me feel welcome.

COMFORTABLE



The camp leaders were friendly and made me feel comfortable.



I most enjoyed how:

**“I felt free to be me
around people.”**

APPLY TODAY

Apply by April 30th using the link [TINYURL.COM/UKYSLE](https://tinyurl.com/ukysle) or scan the QR code.

After you apply, camp leadership will review your application. If approved, an HDI team member will contact you to complete registration and collect the \$50 fee (if needed).



GOT QUESTIONS?

Contact Teresa Belluscio with any questions.

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