



ACCEL serves individuals with special needs, including developmental disabilities, autism spectrum disorder, intellectual disabilities, and behavioral disorders.

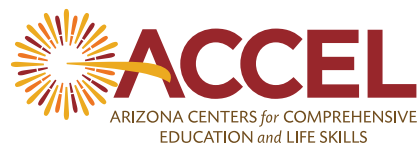
SINCE 1980, ACCEL has given thousands of children and adults with special needs the opportunity to progress and flourish in safe and productive learning and work environments.



## ADULT SERVICES



*Providing our members a life of dignity and self-worth is the foundation for ACCEL Adult Services.*



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## ACCEL ADULT SERVICES



Our adult programs provide lifelong education and vocational training for individuals over the age of 18 with developmental disabilities.

By learning and practicing appropriate social skills and developing specific

work skills and behaviors our members gain independence and self-confidence.



## Service Programs

Program activities are structured in three levels to best assist individuals with developmental disabilities, to meet individual needs and interests depending on their abilities, and allow them to lead a life of dignity and self-worth.

### TIER I: CAREER FOCUSED: Minimum Supervision

Group Supported and Individual Supported Employment provide members the opportunity to work in an environment that allows for interaction in the community. In these programs, members are paid for work performed. Successful members:

- Have a need or desire to work
- Have the ability to follow directions semi-independently
- Have the physical and mental stamina to complete the assigned job for the majority of the day.

### TIER II: WORK FOCUSED: Increased Supervision

In this tier, members are able to gain work and social skills with a higher level of supervision. Tier II members:

- Desire more part-time work with emphasis on social and community interaction
- Have the physical and mental stamina to complete assigned job for a short period of time
- Requires more supervision to complete tasks

### TIER III: SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY FOCUS: Maximum Supervision

Tier III concentrates more on fulfilling and creative activities with a high level of supervision. Tier III Members:

- Desire a more social skill-building community program
- Require activities that promote emotional, intellectual and physical health and well being
- Integrate into the community

### FUNDING ELIGIBILITY

To receive funding, potential members must qualify for Title 19 Funds through the Division of Developmental Disabilities. Members must also:

- Be 18 years of age or older
- No longer attend high school

Private pay options are also accepted.

### MULTIPLE LOCATIONS

For the location nearest you, please call 602-997-2331.

Transportation services may be available.



Our program offers a balance of structure and security while creating a positive and consistent environment to learn, make friends and enjoy each day. Some skills developed in vocational training include:

- Customer Service
- Retail Sales
- Inventory
- Back-of-the-House Restaurant Skills

In addition, our members learn techniques and procedures to create quality products for retail sales:

- Baked Goods
- Screen Printing
- Custom Greeting Cards
- Embroidery