



8:30 AM—9:30 AM: Employability Skills Class

9:30 AM—12:00 PM: Internship Site

12:00 PM—12:30 PM: Lunch

12:30 PM—2:00 PM: Internship Site

2:00 PM—3:00 PM: Classroom for reflection/planning



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# Project | SEARCH<sup>®</sup> with MARC, Inc. of Manchester







## Who Are We?

Project SEARCH is a unique business-led, 9 month program that takes place entirely in the workplace. Our program allows each intern with a disability to be immersed in a workplace setting giving hands on experience that will increase their skills and abilities. These skills and abilities will enhance their chances at competitive work and reaching their employment goals.

#### **Benefits for Students & Families:**

- Provides post-secondary training and internship experience at no cost to students or families.
- Creates opportunities to work in a high status organization within the community.
- Concentrates on developing intern strength areas.
- Works towards independence in areas such as transportation, self-advocacy, health, and wellness, financial literacy, etc.

- Provides linages to vocational rehabilitation, developmental disability, and other postsecondary support agencies.
- Provides opportunities to explore a variety of employment options through multiple internships.
- Provides opportunities to build job-specific and employability skills.
- Delivers transition services in inclusive settings.

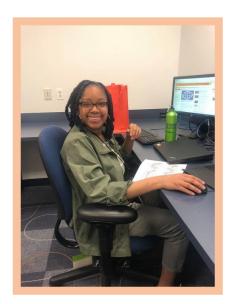
#### **Previous Internships:**

Gift ShopLibrary ServicesCafeteriaWelcome DeskEnvironmental ServiceMaintenancePatient TransportAdministration Office	
Environmental Service Maintenance	
Patient Transport Administration Office	
Food Service Walgreens (Host Site)	
Landscaping Shop Rite (Host Site)	





- Students who are graduating from high school or a transition
- Residents in Eastern CT with access to reliable transportation •
- Adults who are receiving adult services





### Who Is Eligible?

 Young adults with disabilities ages 22+ who have a strong desire to work & demonstrate the potential for competitive employment program who are receiving DDS funding for employment services

