

## Spring Conference Sign-Up

If you have not already, please sign up for Spring conferences! (Sign-up was sent in an email) Please note that each case manager has 10-12 participants on their case load, so offering multiple meeting times or weeks ensures that we are able to allocate time to everyone.

Our conference prep day is April 7th, but in truth, we began preparing for conferences months ago. During our conference prep day, all 11 members of the Capstone team collaborate for each participant in a lively, active, and holistic discussion (it really is something to see). We hope that you are able to see the fruits of our efforts!

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## Grades and Learning Objectives

We also hope you're seeing the continued growth of our grade card and learning objective system. What started six years ago as a fairly simple structure has developed into a comprehensive way to track and support participants' progress over a four-year experience.

With 43 classes taught at two different learning levels and five learning objectives per class, that comes to over 400 unique, individualized, and trackable learning objectives!

Unlike K-12 education, transition and adult programming doesn't come with a ready-made roadmap, especially given the wide range of needs and interests among our participants. Over time, we've intentionally built a system of courses, learning objectives, and grading that both strengthens our programming and clearly and meaningfully communicates progress to participants and families.

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## Parent Roundtable, May 20th

Our next Parent Roundtable will focus on Employment: supports, expectations, and realities, and we will be supported by Hannah Knoll, from Voc-Rehab Services, as well as Capstone staff members. Please fill out [this questionnaire](#). Even if you are not planning on attending, your feedback would be very helpful to us!



## Intent to Return Form

Please complete your intent-to-return forms through Veracross at your earliest convenience. If you have questions, feel free to reach out. Thanks!

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## Student Spotlight: Katie Schmidt

### Movie I would recommend:

Avengers End Game

### Favorite Quote:

"Respect my Authority!"-- Eric Cartman

### Something people might not know:

I can do cartoon character impressions

### Something I've learned at Capstone:

Learning to connect with people outside of programming hours

### Something you've accomplished that you are proud of:

Getting my job at Target

### What has been your greatest challenge:

Meeting new people

### What is a goal you have for your adult life:

Get a job related to my college degree

### What is your favorite thing about Capstone:

Social Fridays!

With Sincere Appreciation

Michael Faeth

Director of Adult Education

April 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1	2	Super Mario Galaxy Movie 3
No Programming- Easter Monday 6	No Programming- Conference Day Prep 7	8	9	Meal Out: 5/8 Club/ Slick City Action Park 10
13	No Programming: Spring Break			17
PRISM/ DoubleTree Evening Conferences (Kristen) 20	Second Harvest/ YMCA Evening Conferences (Laura) 21	Evening Conferences (Lindy) 22	No Programming - Capstone Conferences 23	Foshay Tower and yellow Room/ Activate (MOA) 24
PRISM/ Sholom 27	Second Harvest/ YMCA 28	29	30	

