

The Collaboration for Employment and Education Synergy (CEES) is a high school transition program at the University of Cincinnati for students with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD) that offers inclusive work-based learning experiences, goal-setting, and vocational skills development.

Back for a second summer - **CEES STEM Access**, offers inclusive programming for high school students with diverse needs to develop foundational skills necessary for STEM career pathways.

BREAK THE CYCLE

The Ohio Department of Education states that our nation's future depends on the meaningful inclusion of all residents in our educational system. Students from marginalized backgrounds encounter challenges in receiving a quality and equitable education that often lead to a cycle of unemployment and low socio-economic achievement. CEES STEM Access aims to BREAK THE CYCLE!

## CEES STEM ACCESS OFFERS

- Participation in Developing Spatial Thinking Course
- Collaboration with the College of Engineering and Applied Science and GE Next Engineers Summer Camp
- Hands-on training with
  Siemens coaches and other
  industry partners
  - Inclusive work-based learning experiences supported by UC peer students pursuing STEM careers

## **PARTICIPATION**

- Cost: \$2,700/student (Private pay, ESY funding if student qualifies, and scholarships may be available)
- June 13 July 27, TUES-WEDS-THURS (Off the week of July 3)
- Transportation may be available. More information to follow.

## **Questions?**

Email CEES Director, Cadi Dart, catherine.dart@uc.edu

**NEXT STEPS** 



Click here to APPLY NOW!

Application deadline is May 5th.