

BASE (Building Academic and Social Excellence)

Mission:

To assist our students with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) with a successful transition to Stark State College, and give support and tools that will aid in their success at Stark State College and beyond.

How it Works:

- Student expresses interest in the program and contacts Disability Support Services.
- Student will complete an interview with Disability Support Services Counselor.
- Each instructor gets a brief informational profile on the student:
 - o Strengths, Weaknesses, Recommendations
- Student meets with a Disability Support Services Counselor at least once a week to go over:
 - o Time management
 - o Communication with instructors
 - o Academic check-in
 - o Preparing for projects and assignments
 - o Exploring Stark State's campus and community resources

BASE Program Contact Person:

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