

Coaching, Confidence, and Careers

TIP Wayne State works to address the academic and social barriers of foster care through offering students great Coaching, Confidence, and preparation for a Career.



We give great **Coaching** to students through:

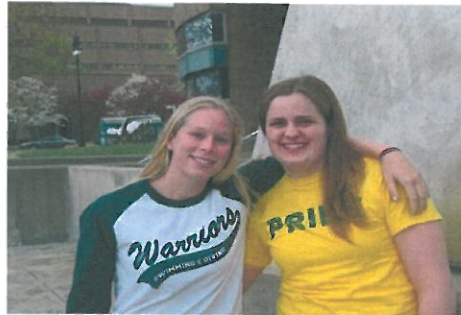
- Peer & Career Mentoring
- Tutoring
- Pro Bono Legal Aid

We give great **Confidence** to students through:

- Public speaking & performance opportunities
- Meeting with policy makers
- Serving on the student leadership council

We prepare students for great **Careers** through:

- Career assessments
- Internships
- Helping students Graduate!



How do young adults qualify for TIP Wayne State services?

ALL Foster Care Alumni enrolled at Wayne State University qualify for TIP Wayne State services in one of two ways.

Through our DHS Grant

- Young Adults who are State of Michigan verified to have been in foster care on or after their 14th birthday and...
- Youth who were adopted on or after their 16th birthday all qualify!

Through our WSU Grant

- Adoptees
- Guardianships
- Former juvenile justice
- Orphans
- Unaccompanied Minors
- And foster care youth over the age of 21 all qualify for services!

Community and University Partners

Community Partners:

- Big Family of Michigan
- Child Safe of Michigan
- Detroit Employment Solutions
- Lutheran Social Services of Michigan
- Park West Foundation
- Wayne County Department of Human Services
- Wayne County Family Court
- Wayne County Community College District

Connections

“...creating lasting personal and professional connections.”



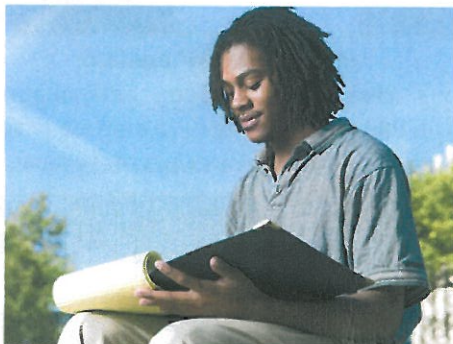
The Transition to Independence Program at Wayne State University (TIP Wayne State) works to increase college access and improve graduation rates of foster care youth in Southeast Michigan through research, advocacy, financial and academic support, all while helping students to create lasting personal and professional connections.

Wayne State Partners:

- Academic Success Center
- Career Placement and Planning
- Counseling and Psychological Services
- Dean of Students
- Educational Opportunities Center
- Financial Aid
- Housing and Residential Life
- Office of Admissions
- Office of the Provost
- Student Disability Services

The Transition to Independence Program offers a 24 hour Campus Coach who will assist with:

- Crisis Support
- Peer to Peer Mentoring
- Career Based Mentoring
- Tutoring Services
- Academic Advising
- Financial Aid Assistance
- Counseling (group or individual)
- Housing Assistance
- Employment Assistance
- Student Disability Services
- Health Care Services
- Community Activities
- Money Management
- Life Skills Course
- Leadership Opportunities
- Assistance with Navigating the Community Supports of Agencies like the Department Of Human Services.



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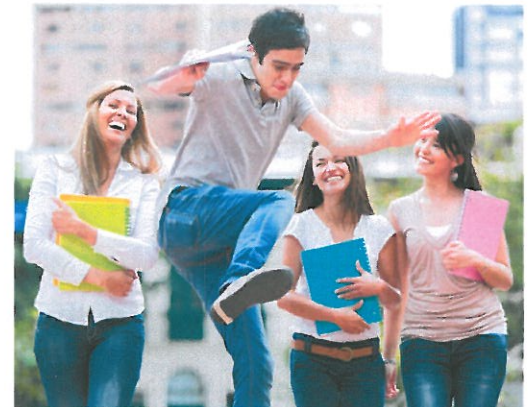


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Foster Care and Higher Education

Transition to Independence Program at Wayne State University



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*Creating a home
for foster care youth
in the learning community.*



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