What kind of services can I expect?

In this program, you can expect to learn a number of hands-on job skills including using machinery and tools, assembly, packaging, labeling, and quality control.

In addition, you can expect to learn about:

Workplace Safety

Work Ethic

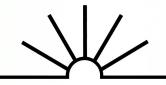
- Problem Solving
- · Interpersonal skills
- Counting / Math
- Writing and Communication
- g / Math Teamwork
- Time Management Self Confidence

How long has Malcolm Eaton Enterprises been providing services to adults with developmental disabilities?

Our story begins in 1966 when a group of family members and volunteers began providing services to children with disabilities who were not being served by the public school system. In 1967, the group opened a production center in downtown Freeport that served eight people.

Today, Malcolm Eaton Enterprises provides a range of services to over 170 adults with developmental disabilities every day.

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IMAGINE THE OPPORTUNITIES

Stephenson County 708 Board Scholarship Program





Malcolm Eaton Enterprises Scholarship Program

What is it?

The Malcolm Eaton
Enterprises scholarship
program covers the cost of
day training services for
families in Stephenson County
who are waiting for long-term
funding from the State of
Illinois

This is a work-based program that focuses on the development of vocational skills. Enrollment in the program requires the ability to perform work tasks, and the capacity to work in a manufacturing environment.

This program is funded thanks in part to contributions by the Stephenson County 708 Board.

Why is it needed?

Adult day training services play an important role in enhancing daily living skills, increasing independence, and promoting economic self-sufficiency.

Unfortunately, a lack of funding for these services has created a waiting list of over 20,000 families statewide. Families on this list frequently wait months or even years to receive funding for day training services.

While these same services can be purchased privately, they are expensive.

This scholarship eliminates the cost of private payment, so that families in Stephenson County can send their son or daughter to day training while they wait for long-term funding.

Who is Eligible?

Must be a resident of Stephenson County.

Must be registered on the PUNS list.

Individuals who are currently funded through another source are not eligible for a scholarship.

Prior to starting day training, the following must be provided to Malcolm Eaton:

- Proof of registration on the PUNS list
- Proof of guardianship
- Current psychological
- Current physical
- Current dental exam
- Behavior Intervention Plan (if needed)
- Insurance Card
- State ID
- List of medications
- Social Security Card
- ICAP or SIB (if applicable)

How do I apply?

Applications are available for pickup at Malcolm Eaton Enterprises.

A limited number of scholarships are available. If no scholarships are available, applicants will be placed on a waiting list.

For more information about the program, please contact:

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Since 1966

Malcolm Eaton Enterprises has been providing training to adults with developmental disabilities in Freeport and surrounding communities for over 50 years.