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Resource Title	Framing A Future, A tool for life planning: Teaching Leisure Skills The Wake Leisure Education Program
What is it?	<p>Students with moderate to severe disabilities may access social interaction and desired leisure activities with the use of an eight-page low-tech communication survey administered with classroom support. The student is surveyed in seven categories, including Creating Healthy Relationships and Developing Talents and Interests. Following the survey, an action plan is developed and a PowerPoint created by the student documenting the student's outcome.</p> <p>Leisure curriculum developed for secondary grade level students with disabilities used by recreation specialists and teachers called The Wake Leisure Education Program out of North Carolina University, Chapel Hill. Center for Recreation and Disability Studies.</p>
Purpose(s)	<p>Students who are provided leisure curriculum and instructional support on how to access preferred leisure activities learn about community resources and develop skills to access social interaction through desired activities. Students thereby may demonstrate increased self-confidence, motivation, and overall satisfaction with school and greater independence and satisfaction in life in general.</p>
Intended Implementer(s)	Teachers, recreation specialists, parents, and transition support personnel
Applicable Population(s) / Grade Levels	Secondary students in moderate to severe special day classes.
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