

SU OnCampus
Application Process:

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Thank you for your interest in the Syracuse City School District's partnership program with Syracuse University. *OnCampus* began in the fall of 2000, and brings students who have developmental disabilities and who are between the ages of 18 and 21 to the SU campus for academic, personal, and social development. Syracuse City School District students are supported by teaching staff from the city school district and by SU students who are in a variety of degree programs. The program follows the Syracuse University academic calendar. Typically student participate in the program for 2-3 years. The program supports 7-12 students annually therefore openings are based on the number of students completing, this ranges typically from 1-4 openings per year. The program falls under the umbrella of the Syracuse University Lawrence B. Taishoff Center for Inclusive Higher Education (InclusiveU).

The application process for Syracuse City School District students and their families will be as follows:

- ❖ Fall – Students and families may choose to reach out to Michele Krak, Special Education Teacher for the SU OnCampus Program with questions and inquiries for the following academic year.
- ❖ Two applications MUST be completed by students/families and turned in to Michele Krak on or before the first Friday of March. Families must complete the SCSD SU OnCampus program 1 page application and the InclusiveU application. If an applicant does not have OPWDD services or self-directed services through OPWDD please know that, that section of the InclusiveU application may be left blank.
- ❖ All applicants will have an interview with the Taishoff Center/SCSD Team during the months of March and April.
- ❖ After interviews are completed and the Team has determined which students will move to the next step in the process, selected students will also be observed in their high school settings by Michele Krak.
- ❖ Students will be notified either way by Michele Krak in April and May.