

Volunteering Opens New Window of Experience For Patrick Feighan



Patrick Feighan arranges chairs at the Community College of Rhode Island's Health Sciences lab with support from Looking Upwards staff member, Jeff Williams.

Through Looking Upwards' Day Enrichment program, Patrick Feighan has begun to volunteer at Community College of Rhode Island (CCRI) in the Health Sciences Computer Lab. He works every Tuesday afternoon after having a nutritious lunch in the CCRI cafeteria and some time for enjoying the media experience in the lab.

Patrick's role is evolving and currently includes ensuring that the lab is neat and orderly as well as working as an attendant while students are involved in their coursework. He's had this job for just about a month and it's been a wonderful experience for him. Patrick enjoys the college campus and what it has to offer - the sights, the sounds and the students.

Patrick's mother, Mrs. Feighan, works at CCRI and was instrumental in seeking this opportunity for her son. She is pleased with the collaboration with CCRI and this new window of experience for Patrick.