**We Want to Work!**

**Story Registration and** **Directions**

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**Directions**

* Complete this form
* Read the directions below
* If you want to write your story, print the work story page
* If you want to type, click in the box
* If you want to add a picture and you are typing
	+ Click on the box and insert a photo of yourself
	+ Re-size the photo so that it is only as big as the box
* If you want to add a picture and you are writing
	+ Find a picture that will fit in the small box
		- You may need to cut one so it will fit
		- You can make a copy of the photo and cut that
	+ Glue the picture on the box
* If you add a photo, you must sign a Release Form
	+ The Release gives AZ APSE permission to share your photo when we share your story
	+ If you do not return a signed release, your photo will not be shared
* Add your name to the work story page
	+ It is okay if you only want to share your first name
* The ‘About Me’ section is for you to say a little about yourself
	+ You can add whatever you want to share
		- your age
		- what city you live in
		- if you live with family
		- if you graduated high school
		- your disability diagnosis
* Write your ‘Work Story’!
	+ Practice writing it first
	+ Keep your story short and simple
* Things to include in your work story
	+ If you are **not** working, consider these ideas
		- Why do you want to work?
		- Why haven’t you been able to find a job?
		- How long have you been looking for a job?
		- What would help you the most?
	+ If you **are** working now, consider these ideas
		- What is your current job?
		- How long have you been working?
		- What kind of help did you get to find this job?
		- What was the hardest part about finding work?
		- What helped you the most?
* Return your **Registration Form**, **Release Form** (if you have a picture), and the **My Work Story page** to Arizona APSE at weallwork@azapse.org

**We Want to Work! Self-Advocate Story**



**Name:**

**About Me:**

**My Work Story:**