



PACKED BY JAMES

Stride, Inc. manufactures and distributes office products - BUT - Stride is not your average company! A small, woman-owned business, Stride’s goal is to provide the consumer with exceptional office products alongside a mission to provide training and integrated employment for people with intellectual and developmental delays.

James is one of our newer employees - he came to work at Stride after completing a school program called Transitions; a program that helps students with special needs and abilities transition into the workplace from school. Stride is James’ first job and he has quickly become a valuable asset to our workforce. James’ favorite part of working at Stride is assembling the multi-pack pens for some of our orders - as James’ says - “The rainbow colored pens are the best to work with.” He can name all eight colors in a blink of an eye and he enjoys counting each color and putting together the assorted packs. James is learning new roles in our shipping department as his abilities advance.

James is a busy young man, when not at work, he is participating in different special needs organizations and taking part in community activities. On the Autism Spectrum, James is a huge movie “buff” - he can name all the actors and actresses in his favorite movies from the 1940’s to the present. His retention is superb.

James brings many things to Stride; he has a penchant for nicknames and enjoys working beside “Marie Calendar,” and “Pete the Cat.” He has been known to write a thank you poem to someone when they bring donuts to work as a treat. His movie savvy keeps us all amused when we quiz him about who played in what movie. He keeps us all up to date on the latest movies to hit the theatres and who is acting in what blockbuster. We are so happy to have James on our team.

Peter has been packaging Stride products since 1981.



PETER

Jude worked his way up to Production Mgr and oversees employees in their various duties



JUDE

Vaden is our Super Employee - always offering to help everyone and always smiling!



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