



A DOUBLE CELEBRATION

Signing your SDMA is a very big deal for most Decision-Makers, and something they, their families and supporters rightly celebrate. But for Decision-Maker Troy, two amazing events have happened in the last two weeks—his SDMA signing and heading off to college!

Troy is a wonderful young man, with a loving family and lots and lots of friends. He's very close to the top of our list for the number of supporters—twelve!— who have committed to assisting him, in the ways he chooses, to make his own decisions as he moves into adulthood. As his facilitator Simge says about this fabulous group,

"Some live in different cities, and some in different states. But regardless where they were, Troy's Supporters have created time and worked around their schedules to make it to our meetings, and lastly to our ceremony. They've been very cooperative which already shows how much they care about and support Troy. All of them have been on track from the beginning and were vocal about their support for Troy. It's been a great journey to get to know Troy and witnessing the great support circle he has in his life."



Troy is both a musician—he has a band, plays guitar, bass and drums and makes his own music videos for his songs— and an athlete. Besides working out every day, he's a passionate basketball player, and even ran a basketball camp with his dad's wife. Maybe his love of basketball is one of the reasons that Syracuse University, a long-time powerhouse in the sport, was his first choice for college. And today is, literally,

orientation there for this exciting new chapter in his life. (If you're interested in the great program he's beginning, click [here](#) for a video)

So, Congratulations and Congratulations again, to Troy, his family, his Supporters, Facilitator Simge, and also to Syracuse University for making such a good choice!