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### **Community Education**

Explore opportunities to improve your skills, expand your knowledge base, and discover all the ways lifelong learning can enhance your life.

✓ Brush up on business skills! Keyboarding, computer programs, and web design

✓ Earn certification!

Explore our Career Training Programs

✓ Get tech savvy! Learn about Facebook, eBay, YouTube, and Skype

Experience the arts!
Painting, writing, beading, and more

Discover benefits for seniors!
 Many classes are designed and specially priced for students 60+

✓ Focus on fitness!

Try a nutrition coach, join Zumba or Yoga

#### Don't miss these brand NEW courses!

Clinical Medical Assistant
Discover Your Genius!
Beginner Greek
Colombian Craft Dough
Foundations of Web Design 1 & 2
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LinkedIn - What, Why, & How
Pet First Aid & Disaster Response
Setting Up a Home Studio
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- 1. Download a QR Reader app for your mobile smartphone.
- 2. Now, open your QR Reader app and point your phone's camera at the coded square.
  - . The QR Reader will use your phone's camera to scan the code and you'll get great information!



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### **Career Training Programs**

Our well-established, affordable career training courses allow you to learn new skills, fine tune old ones, or forge a new career path in less than a year.

### CLINICAL MEDICAL ASSISTANT

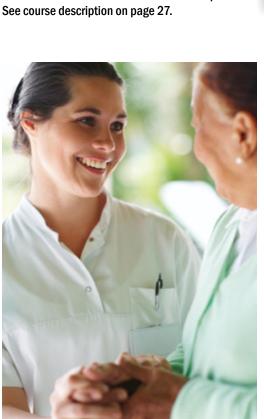


#### View brochure online at www.alc.vbschools.com

This program prepares medical assistant students to perform clinical skills in the medical office setting. Clinical procedures include administering medications, assisting with minor surgery, performing an electrocardiogram, obtaining laboratory specimens for testing, educating patients, and maintaining clinical equipment. After completing the course, students will be prepared to take the NHA Clinical Medical Assistant national certification exam. Upon completion of the 140 hour classroom requirement, students will be eligible to participate in a 160 hour clinical externship rotation.

Estimated cost: \$2400

Estimated hours: 140 + 160 hour externship



### PERSONAL CARE AIDE



#### View brochure online at www.alc.vbschools.com

Whether you want to step into a career in the medical field or learn skills to address family personal care needs, this program prepares Personal Care Aides to care for individuals with mild dementia, various disabilities, and the elderly. Following a curriculum from the Virginia Department of Medical Assistance Services, our program offers two levels of training:

#### Personal Care Aide Level 1

Learn to take basic vital signs, communicate effectively, move clients safely, bathe, and dress clients. Individuals who complete training will be eligible to provide care to Medicaid recipients and receive a PCA Level 1 Certificate.

Estimated cost: \$340 Estimated hours: 49 See course description on page 26.

#### Personal Care Aide Level 2

American Heart Association Heartsaver courses are often required by healthcare employers. Students who complete Medical Career First Aid, CPR, and Bloodborne Pathogen certifications will receive a PCA Level 2 Certificate.

Estimated cost: \$190 Estimated hours: 7 See course descriptions on page 27.



Financial aid may be available through Opplnc. for selected programs. Call 461-7537 or visit <a href="www.opp-inc.org">www.opp-inc.org</a> for eligibility information.

### **MEDICAL ADMINISTRATIVE** ASSISTANT & Oppling. approved!

#### View brochure online at www.alc.vbschools.com

Develop skills designed to help you forge a career path as a medical administrative assistant and find work in the expanding field of healthcare.

This program prepares students for the Medical Administrative Assistant Certification exam (CMAA). Course study includes medical terminology, medical office skills, and medical software training.

Estimated cost: \$1100 Estimated hours: 105 See medical course descriptions on pages 24 & 25.



### **EKG TECHNICIAN**



#### View brochure online at www.alc.vbschools.com

This 50 hour program prepares students to function as EKG Technicians and to take the ASPT national certification exam. This course will include anatomy and physiology of the heart, medical disease processes, medical terminology, medical ethics, legal aspects of patient contact, the Holter monitor, electrocardiography, and echocardiography.

Instruction will include introduction to the function and proper use of the EKG machine, the normal anatomy of the chest wall for proper lead placement, 12-lead placement, and other clinical practices.

Estimated cost: \$1000 Estimated hours: 52 See course description on page 25.



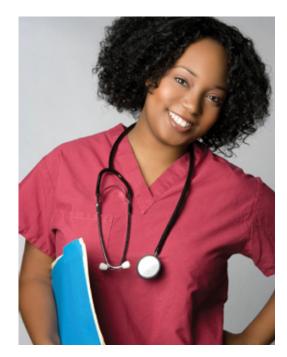
### PHARMACY TECHNICIAN

View brochure online at www.alc.vbschools.com

Approved by the Virginia Board of Pharmacy, this program prepares students to take the National Pharmacy Technician Certification Board (PTCB) exam.

This comprehensive program includes history of pharmacology, pharmacy math, drug definitions, laws, and handling of hazardous material. Additional support and study courses are available to students throughout the semester. Program alumni work in local hospitals and pharmacies including Sentara, Walgreens, and Kroger.

Estimated hours: 130 Estimated cost: \$1100 See course descriptions on pages 23 and 24.





#### PHYSICAL THERAPY AIDE

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This program prepares students to step into the growing field of physical therapy. Course instruction prepares students for non-technical duties of physical therapy, such as preparing treatment areas, ordering devices and supplies, transporting patients, and working under the direction of the physical therapist. Students learn techniques to assist physical therapists in providing services that help improve mobility, relieve pain, and prevent or limit permanent physical disabilities of patients suffering from injuries or disease.

Estimated cost: \$1000 Estimated hours: 52 See course description on page 26.

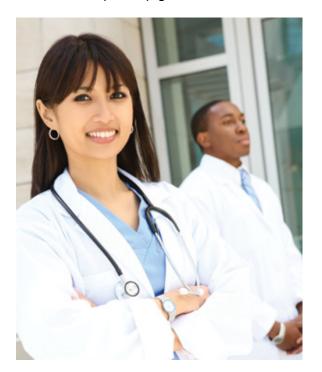
### **MEDICAL BILLING & CODING**

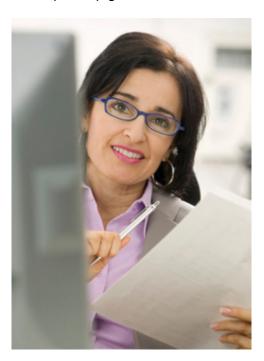
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This course teaches skills needed to solve insurance billing problems, file and trace claims, complete common insurance forms, and use generic forms to streamline billing procedures. The course content includes CPT (Introduction, Guidelines, Evaluation and Management), specialty fields (such as surgery, radiology and laboratory), ICD-9 (Introduction and Guidelines) and basic claims processes for medical insurance and third party reimbursements. Students will learn how to find the service and codes using manuals (CPT, ICD-9 and HCPCS). Students who complete this course could be qualified to sit for a national certification exam.

Estimated cost: \$1800 Estimated hours: 80 See course description on page 26.





### **CNA CERTIFICATION PREP**

Are you a Certified Nursing Aide whose certification has lapsed? Are you worried about passing the CNA certification exam? This course is designed for individuals preparing to take the CNA certification exam. Content will include a review of the NNAP written exam and nursing skills evaluation with experience in the classroom. Whether you want to get recertified or are preparing to take the test for the first time, this course will offer you the preparation and confidence you need to pass your exam.

For questions about individual Eligibility Routes for Nurse Aide Application for Certification by Examination, visit the Virginia Board of Nursing at www.dhp.virginia.gov/nursing or call (804) 367-4515.

Estimated cost: \$200 Estimated hours: 30 See course description on page 26.

### **DENTAL ASSISTANT**



#### View brochure online at www.alc.vbschools.com

Recognized by the American Dental Association, this 60 hour program prepares students for entry level positions in one of the fastest growing healthcare fields. Students will become familiar with all areas of pre-clinical dental assisting and become trained to function as an assistant in a dental practice.

This course is ideal for students interested in pursuing a future dental hygienist program.

Estimated cost: \$1200 Estimated hours: 60 See course description on page 25.



### Move forward.



The Practical Nursing program prepares adult men and women for the NCLEX-PN examination for licensure in Virginia as a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN). Graduates are prepared for opportunities in nursing homes, office nursing, clinics, hospices, and hospitals.

#### Follow these steps for classes beginning September 2013:

- 1. Please visit the nursing program's online catalog at <a href="http://www.techcenter.vbschools.com/nursing">http://www.techcenter.vbschools.com/nursing</a> ex.html or http://www.alc.vbschools.com/nursing.html.
- 2. Print the application from the websites listed above or pick one up at the Adult Learning Center or the Virginia Beach Technical and Career Education Center from October 1, 2012 through May 1, 2013. Submit the application to the Technical and Career Education Center, 2925 North Landing Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23456. Applications must be RECEIVED in the nursing office by 4:00 pm May 1, 2013. Classes are held at the Virginia Beach Technical and Career Education Center.
- 3. Take an entrance practical nursing exam.
- 4. Following graduation, the graduate's profile is submitted to the Virginia Board of Nursing who then determines if the graduate is eligible to take the NCLEX-PN licensure examination. Thereafter, should the graduate meet all the requirements and successfully pass the NCLEX-PN examination per the Virginia Board of Nursing then he/she will begin practice as an LPN.
- 5. Eligible students can receive financial aid through the GI Bill, Veteran's Affairs benefits, and/or PELL Grants.

Estimated cost: \$5,937.00

#### For additional LPN information, call 648-5889.

The program is approved by the Department of Education of the Commonwealth of Virginia, P.O. Box 2120, James Monroe Building, 101 N. 14th Street, Richmond, VA 23216-2120, 800-292-3820 and the Virginia Board of Nursing, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, VA 23233-1463, 804-367-4515 and accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission, 3343 Peachtree Road NE, Suite 850, Atlanta, GA 30326, 404-975-5000.

### **Community Education Courses**

# ART

#### **DRAWING & PAINTING**

#### 2103 BASIC DRAWING 1

\$102 Senior Price \$78

Uncover your hidden talent! Learn the basics of sketching and drawing - strokes, shapes, shading, value, textures, perspective, and composition - in a relaxed atmosphere. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

6 classes @ 2.5 hours each 1.5 CEU 18 CPE 2103-01 LKMS M 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/24-10/29 Wertheimer

### NEW! 2104 WATERCOLOR: FROM DRAWING TO PAINTING

\$99 Senior Price \$75

Sharpen your drawing skills and learn to turn them into wonderful watercolor paintings! Start with sketches or photos to expand drawing techniques; then expand to a color-balanced and textured composition in watercolor. All levels welcome! PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

#### 2122 WATERCOLOR 1

\$99 Senior Price \$75
Discover watercolor painting! Work
on the basics of value, color mixing and
paint handling in a relaxed setting. PLEASE NOTE:
Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.
5 classes @ 3 hours each 1.5 CEU 18 CPE
2122-01 ALC F 10:00 am - 1:00 pm 9/7-10/5 Staicer

#### 2123 WATERCOLOR 2

\$99 Senior Price \$75

Continue exploring watercolor techniques. Students will be encouraged to experiment with new ways of painting and develop their own style. PREREQUISITE: Previous experience with watercolor. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

5 classes @ 3 hours each 1.5 CEU 18 CPE 2123-01 ALC F 10:00 am - 1:00 pm 10/19-11/16 Staicer

#### 2124 WATERCOLOR 3

\$99 Senior Price \$75

Expand your horizons with new, exciting watercolor techniques and improve your painting. Try out some new painting tools. Students may choose to purchase additional supplies based on their personal projects. PREREQUISITE: Watercolor 1, 2 or equivalent experience.

5 classes @ 3 hours each 1.5 CEU 18 CPE 2124-01 ALC F 10:00 am - 1:00 pm 1/4-2/1 Staicer

#### 2125 WATERCOLOR PENCILS AND CRAYONS

\$42 Senior Price \$33

Spend a Saturday learning how to add watercolor pencils and crayons to your watercolor paintings. Discover new techniques to add detail and depth to your work. PREREQUISITE: Previous watercolor experience. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

#### **NEW! 2126 HOLIDAY CARDS IN WATERCOLOR**

\$42 Senior Price \$33

Have fun using your watercolor skills to make beautiful holiday cards! Explore the different ways to make hand painted cards to give and/or frame as gifts for the holiday season.

PREREQUISITE: Previous watercolor experience. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

#### 2127 WATERCOLOR WEEKENDER

\$42 Senior Price \$33

Join fellow painters for an all day watercolor class to fine tune skills and learn new techniques. PREREQUISITE: Previous watercolor experience required. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

#### **NEW! 2128 AUTUMN LEAVES ONE DAY WATERCOLOR**

\$29 Senior Price \$23

Celebrate the colors of fall with this one-day watercolor class that teaches techniques for painting fall foliage and leaves. PREREQUISITE: Previous watercolor experience required. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

1 class @ 4 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE 2128-01 ALC S 9:00 am - 1:00 pm 11/17 Woodruff

### NEW! 2129 SNOW-COVERED HOME ONE DAY WATERCOLOR

\$29 Senior Price \$23

Bring in a photo of your home and create a winter watercolor portrait. Learn how to add snowy effects to the landscape, structures and winter sky. Great for holiday cards or a gift for your family. PREREQUISITE: Previous watercolor experience required. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

 \$75 Senior Price \$59

In 4 weeks you will paint several small pieces as you learn oil painting fundamentals and the basics of design and color. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

4 classes @ 2.5 hours each 1 CEU 12 CPE 2132-01 ALC F 1:00 - 3:30 pm 10/26-11/16 Fasanaro

#### STAINED GLASS

#### 2140 STAINED GLASS MOSAIC ART FORMS

\$190 Senior Price \$143

Create simple or complex stained glass projects, including large and small glasswork, plates, bowls, and mosiacs, and any art made from glass. Project costs begin at \$40.00. Class is designed for all experience levels including beginner. PLEASE NOTE: A list of stained glass tools and supplies will be given during the first class.

10 classes @ 3 hours each 3 CEU 36 CPE 2140-01 FC Tu 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/18-11/20 Gilliatt

### **BUSINESS & MARKETING**

#### **BUSINESS SKILLS**

NEW! 2208 ONE-ON-ONE TALENT AND GOAL ALIGNMENT

\$179

Do you know what your natural talents are and do you consider them when you set goals? A personal assessment will help you understand what your natural talents are, why you are motivated to use them, and how you prefer to use them. Develop an action plan that maximizes YOU! This course is available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

4 classes @ 1 hour each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE ALC Murden

#### 2220 ONE-ON-ONE LIFE COACH

\$179

If you've always wanted a personal coach to help you achieve your goals, but thought they were only available to Fortune 500 CEOs, then this course is for you. You will identify a challenge you'd like to meet or a goal you'd like to achieve, then work with the instructor to identify how you think and make decisions, what motivates you, and how you prefer to use your natural talents. Armed with this information and an understanding of the goal setting process, you'll walk away with an action plan to achieve your goal. Taught by experienced management consultant Denise Murden. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

4 classes @ 1 hour each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE ALC M,Tu,W & Th Murden

#### 2230 STARTING A BUSINESS 101

\$35

Thinking of starting a business? This course is for you! Learn how to turn great ideas or hobbies into a money-making venture. Lay a solid foundation for success by learning about different legal structures, licensing and registration, and funding options. This course will provide you with valuable tips and things to think about before you begin operation. Get expert guidance to help you get started.

2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE

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### 2231 STAY IN BUSINESS BY DOING IT RIGHT

\$35

Acquire the knowledge to run a successful business!
Understand the importance of record-keeping, ordinary
business expenses versus start-up costs, and how to interpret
Profit and Loss statements and Balance sheets to know if you
are making money. Learn how to choose the right business
structure and get a loan, and the important difference
between independent contractors and employees in the eyes
of the IRS. Leave this course with vital information and a real
understanding of the operation of your business.
2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE

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#### 2232 NEW BUSINESS BOOKKEEPING PREP

\$31 Senior Price \$25

Starting a new business? Is gathering information for your bookkeeping near the top of your priority list? Did you know that many new businesses fail because of poor bookkeeping and taxes? Save time by knowing what information to gather and what software to consider, if any. QuickBooks will be used for demonstrations, but other options will be discussed. Also recommend: 2230 Starting A Business 101 and 2231 Stay In Business by Doing It Right.

2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE 2232-01 ALC Tu 6:30 - 8:30 pm 10/23-10/30 McGrady

#### 2235 SURVIVAL SKILLS FOR SMALL BUSINESS

2235-01 LHS W 6:30 - 8:30 pm 9/12-9/26 Murden

\$54 Senior Price \$45

Are you confident that you will stay in business? Do you plan your goals, and implement your plan, and then plan again? Add effective leadership to ensure a sustainable organization. This course offers a practical set of tools to help you clarify and achieve your business goals, monitor progress, and overcome obstacles. If you are struggling to keep your head above water, this course will offer fresh insights into how to make a business last through proper planning.

3 classes @ 2 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE



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#### MARKETING TECHNOLOGY

#### 2240 BLOGGING 101 NEW!

\$65 Senior Price \$58 Start blogging today if you want to spread the word and sell your idea, product, or service! Technology expert Ed Sykes will take you step-by-step through the most cost-effective, efficient way of setting up your blog. Learn about low-cost ways of picking the best domain name and full-featured hosting services. Learn how to use WordPress plugins and widgets to make your blog attractive, drive traffic to your blog, and create a social media marketing machine.

2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2240-01 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/2-10/4 Sykes 2240-02 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 12/11-12/13 Sykes

#### 2241 EBAY 101

\$65 Senior Price \$58

Discover eBay and how to make money on it today! E-commerce expert Ed Sykes will take you step-by-step through setting up your eBay business. Learn what items sell well and how to get the best price for them, little known secrets on how to list your items to get the best offers, when is the best time and day to list your items, how to drive potential buyers to your offerings, and how to get paid quickly.

2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2241-01 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/11-9/13 Sykes 2241-02 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 11/27-11/29 Sykes

#### **NEW! 2242 MAKE MONEY BLOGGING**

\$65 Senior Price \$58

Start pulling cash from your blog today! Whether you are a growing business, a non-profit organization, or stay-at-home parent, NPR social media expert Ed Sykes will show you how to make money with your blog. Discover the secrets to creating traffic, massive mailing lists, and an E-commerce site. Learn how to use free marketing tools and how to create "buzz".

2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2242-01 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/9-10/11 Sykes 2242-02 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 12/18-12/20 Sykes

#### 2243 USE MOBILE MARKETING TO MAKE MONEY TODAY

\$65 Senior Price \$58

Use the power of the smartphone to sell your products and services online. E-commerce expert Ed Sykes will take you step-by-step through setting up online tools to market your products and services to mobile users! Learn the secrets to changing your website and/or blog to a more user-friendly selling tool, formatting your products for mobile devices, and what low-cost or

no-cost applications you can use to make it easy for potential customers to find you and buy from you.

2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2243-01 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/23-10/25 Sykes

#### **NEW! 2244 VIDEO MARKETING**

\$65 Senior Price \$58

Video marketing is a powerful selling tool designed to reach global customers and gain exposure for your ideas, products, and services. Learn from NPR social media expert Ed Sykes how to make videos that sell your products and service and make you money! Learn the secrets of driving traffic to your organization, the elements of a great video, how to use YouTube's secret tools to create excitement about your videos, and how to convert viewers to customers. Learn the best lowcost video tools for producing great videos.

2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2244-01 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/16-10/18 Sykes

#### 2245 LET'S GET SOCIAL!

\$65 Senior Price \$58

Make money marketing with social media and spread the message about your product, idea, cause, or service. Learn from NPR social media expert Ed Sykes how to use Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, YouTube, StumbleUpon, Digg, and your blog as a powerful marketing system that brings new customers to your organization. Learn the secrets of combining various social media resources and the secrets to social marketing time management so that you can maximize your marketing results. 2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2245-01 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/18-9/20 Sykes 2245-02 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 11/13-11/15 Sykes

#### 2246 MAKE MONEY PUBLISHING ONLINE TODAY!

\$65 Senior Price \$58

Use the power of Amazon and other online booksellers to sell your ebooks, reports, and products online. E-commerce expert Ed Sykes will take you step-by-step through setting up your Amazon digital publishing account. Start making money today selling your ebooks, reports, and other online products and services! Learn how to price your items, what publications sell well, marketing secrets and how to use your publications to brand you as an expert in your field.

2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2246-01 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/30-11/1 Sykes



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#### **NEW! 2247 MAKE MONEY MARKETING** WITH FACEBOOK

\$65 Senior Price \$58

Discover the power of using Facebook to spread the message about your product, service, idea, or cause and make money! Learn from NPR social media expert Ed Sykes how to "connect" with others and how to use Facebook's timelines, lists, groups, Fanpage, and advertising and e-commerce features to create targeted customers to buy your products and services. Learn the secrets to social marketing time management so that you can maximize your marketing results.

2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2247-01 ALC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/25-9/27 Sykes 2247-02 ALC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 12/4-12/6 Sykes

#### NEW! 2249 LINKEDIN - WHAT, WHY AND HOW

\$40 Senior Price \$33

Are you comfortable with LinkedIn and its capabilities? Here is a great course that will discuss why LinkedIn is important, how it works and suggested uses. Quick setup, and a "you have a profile, now what?" discussion are included. 2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2249-01 ALC M & W 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/5-9/10 Harrison 2249-02 ALC F 9:00 - 11:30 am 10/12-10/19 Harrison 2249-03 ALC M & W 6:30 - 9:00 pm 11/26-11/28 Harrison

#### **COMMUNICATIONS**

#### 2300 ONE-ON-ONE PERSONAL COACHING FOR PUBLIC SPEAKING

Gain an introduction to public speaking with this one-on-one course taught by an experienced, successful public speaker. This is a great place to build confidence, overcome fears. and see instant improvement in your public speaking ability. Taught by a Distinguished Toastmaster (33+ years). Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

2 classes @ 1.5 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE ALC Biondo

#### **GRANT WRITING**

#### 2250 INTRODUCTION TO GRANT WRITING **FOR NON-PROFITS**

Senior Price \$35 Discover the potential of grants for your non-profit organization and explore the world of grant writing. This short course will help you find funding sources, understand proposal applications and eligibility, and approach potential funders. Learn how to put a proposal together, find reputable statistics, and how to handle the follow-up and reporting. Taught by a professional grant writer, you'll get industry insights and tips to help you reach your goal. 3 classes @ 2 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE

2250-01 RA Th 7:00 - 9:00 pm 10/4-10/18 Harris

#### 2251 ADVANCED GRANT BUDGETS AND NARRATIVES

Senior Price \$43 \$56

This course focuses on budget preparation and the narrative portion of a non-profit grant request. Learn about outcomes. how to use statistics to make your case, and writing for clarity. Explore budget terminology, how to use your audit and 990, hints on including as many expenses as possible, and how to allocate costs. PREREQUISITE: Introduction to Grant Writing or comparable experience.

4 classes @ 2 hours each 0.8 CEU 9.6 CPE 2251-01 RA Th 7:00 - 9:00 pm 9/6-9/27 Harris 2251-02 RA Th 7:00 - 9:00 pm 12/13-1/10 Harris

### **COMPUTERS**

#### **APPLE**

#### 2697 APPLE TO APPLE - MAC TO MAC

\$40 Senior Price \$33

New to Mac computers? Don't know your Finder from your Dock? If you are transitioning from a PC to a Mac, this is the course for you! Learn the Mac environment while covering Apple Menu, Finder, the Doc, the Desktop, Spotlight, and an introduction to the pre-installed applications that make up iLife.

2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 2697-01 ATC Tu 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/2-10/9 Delancey 2697-02 ATC Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/25-11/1 Delancey

#### 2699 GET AN ILIFE!

\$115 Senior Price \$96

Not sure what to do with all the software that came with your Mac computer? Using iLife09, learn the basics of iPhoto, iDVD, iMovie, iTunes, and how to get the most out of your digital media. (GarageBand will not be covered in this course.) 4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 2699-01 ATC Tu 6:30 - 9:30 pm 11/13-11/20 Delancey

#### 3320 IPHONE POWER USER

\$28

The iPhone is more than just a fancy smart phone. Are you using it to the fullest? Spend a few hours making sure you use and access all features from the web browser to mobile game device. Bring your iPhone, or before purchasing, come see what it can do!

1 class @ 2 hours each 0.2 CEU 2.4 CPE 3320-01 LHS W 6:30 - 8:30 pm 9/26 Pinto 3320-02 ALC S 9:00 - 11:00 am 11/17 Pinto

#### **NEW!** 3324 THEY SAID THE IPAD WAS EASY

\$35 Senior Price \$29

If the iPad is so easy to use, why are there so many articles on how to operate it? Save yourself hours of research and learn tips and tricks for your iPad in this hands-on course! Learn to personalize settings, maximize battery life, download apps and more. Most tips can also be applied to the iPhone and the iPod touch running on the same mobile operating system. Bring your iPad and join the fun!

2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE 3324-01 ALC W 6:30 - 8:30 pm 9/12-9/19 Sanders 3324-02 ALC Tu & Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 12/11-12/13 Sanders

#### **NEW!** 3322 SO YOU THINK YOU CAN SEARCH **ON THE INTERNET**

\$32 Senior Price \$27

Now that you depend on the Internet all the time, it is time to upgrade your research skills. Learn important tips about search engines, find what you need quickly and filter "junk" by using the proper phrases and tools. The time you save will pay for the course!

1 class @ 2 hours each 0.2 CEU 2.4 CPE 3322-01 ALC Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 9/20 Sanders 3322-02 ALC Tu 6:30 - 8:30 pm 10/16 Sanders

#### NEW! 2640 STORING ON THE NET -**ALTERNATIVES AND PITFALLS**

\$28 Senior Price \$23

Are you worried that you may lose your valuable data, music, or photos? Online storage offers lots of space and is accessible from almost anywhere. Understand storage, pros and cons of "cloud" storage and other choices. 1 class @ 2.5 hours each 0.3 CEU 3 CPE

2640-01 ALC S 9:00 - 11:30 am 9/15 Kapadwala 2640-02 ALC M 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/8 Kapadwala 2640-03 ALC W 6:30 - 9:00 pm 1/2 Kapadwala

#### 2664 ALTERNATIVES TO CABLE TV **AND PHONE LINES**

\$32 Senior Price \$27 Do you hate paying \$150 or more for cable and telephone service each month? Find other resources that are available through the Internet at a fraction of the cost and the alternatives available to the traditional cable and phone services via "streaming". You can cut your phone and cable subscription cost by as much as 64%. 1 class @ 2.5 hours each 0.3 CEU 3 CPE 2664-01 ALC Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/6 Kapadwala 2664-02 ALC S 9:00 - 11:00 am 10/20 Kapadwala

#### **FACEBOOK**

#### 2659 FACEBOOK OVERVIEW

\$21

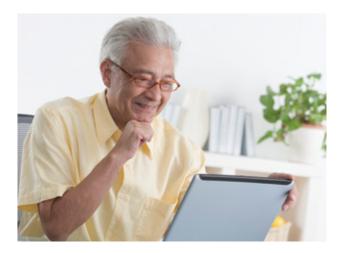
Find out what over 400 million Facebook users are talking about. Profile and privacy settings, learn about gaming applications, and how to find friends. Students will create a Facebook account by the end of this class. PREREQUISITE: An active email account is required to create a Facebook profile. Please bring your email account and login information to this

1 class @ 3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE 2659-01 ALC Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 10/4 Edwards 2659-02 ALC Tu 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/16 Edwards 2659-03 ALC Tu 8:30 - 11:30 am 11/6 Edwards

#### **2661 FACEBOOK SECURITY**

\$32

Have you secured your Facebook information? If you don't understand the social network privacy settings or cannot name at least 5 ways you have secured your Facebook information - this class is a must! 1 class @ 2.5 hours each 0.3 CEU 3 CPE 2661-01 ALC W 8:30 - 11:00 am 9/5 Schmidt 2661-02 ALC M 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/10 Schmidt



#### **GETTING STARTED FOR SENIORS (60 & OLDER)**

#### **2601 IMPORTANT BASICS**

\$48

This great 6-hour introductory course will get you comfortable using the mouse while explaining the keyboard, introducing the Windows environment, and showing you valuable short cuts. Don't skip this course because you already know how to point and click. Do you know keyboard shortcuts, when to right click, or what to do if your mouse stops working?

- 2 classes @ 3 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE
- \* 2601-01 ALC Tu 8:30 am 3:30 pm 9/4 Schmidt 2601-02 ALC Tu & Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 9/4-9/6 Edwards 2601-03 ALC Tu & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 9/4-9/6 Edwards
- \* 2601-04 ALC W 8:30 am 3:30 pm 9/5 Edwards 2601-05 ALC M & W 12:30 - 3:30 pm 9/5-9/10 Schmidt 2601-06 ALC W 6:00 - 9:00 pm 9/5-9/12 N. Smith 2601-07 ATC Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/6-9/13 D. Smith 2601-08 ALC M 8:30 - 11:30 am 9/10-9/17 Gowin 2601-09 ALC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/18-9/20 Sealey 2601-10 ALC Tu 12:30 - 3:30 pm 9/25-10/2 Schmidt 2601-11 ALC Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/4-10/11 Edwards
- \* 2601-12 ALC Th 8:30 am 3:30 pm 10/18 Edwards 2601-13 ALC W 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/24-10/31 Edwards 2601-14 ALC W & Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 1/2-1/3 Edwards 2601-15 ALC W & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 1/2-1/3 Edwards
- \* 2601-16 ALC M 8:30 am 3:30 pm 1/7 Schmidt 2601-17 ALC M & W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 1/7-1/9 D. Smith
- \* IMPORTANT BASICS IN A DAY 1 class @ 6 hours each

#### 2606 SENIOR INSTITUTE 101

\$137

Affordable, friendly and fun! If you are 60 or older and a novice to computers, this "senior course was developed for you! Frequently, laughter can be heard coming from the classroom. Go from insecure beginning skills to a comfortable beginner level using your computer. Great price, relaxed pace! Students will receive a book and travel drive. PREREQUISITE: Important Basics. 6 classes @ 3 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE

2606-01 ALC Tu,W & Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 9/11-9/20 Edwards 2606-02 ALC Tu,W & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 9/11-9/20 Edwards 2606-03 ALC M 8:30 - 11:30 am 9/24-10/29 Gowin 2606-04 ALC Tu,W & Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 10/23-11/1 Edwards 2606-05 ALC Tu,W & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 11/27-12/6 Edwards 2606-06 ALC Tu,W & Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 1/8-1/17 Edwards 2606-07 ALC Tu,W & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 1/8-1/17 Edwards

#### 2607 SENIOR INSTITUTE 202

\$84

What a delight to see seniors realize that with a little more practice and skill building, they can catch up with the world and their grandchildren! Senior Institute 202 is the next logical step to expand basic word processing skills, introduce the Internet and set up email accounts. Extensive hands-on training will help you feel more comfortable and work more efficiently on your computer. To maximize the effectiveness of this course you should have access to a computer or plan on purchasing one soon. PREREQUISITE: Senior Institute 101 or previous computer experience. Textbook and travel drive from Senior 101 (\$38.00) are required.

5 classes @ 3 hours each 1.5 CEU 18 CPE 2607-01 ALC Tu,W & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 9/25-10/3 Edwards 2607-02 ALC Tu,W & Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 10/9-10/17 Edwards 2607-03 ALC Tu,W & Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 11/7-11/15 Edwards 2607-04 ALC M & W 8:30 - 11:30 am 11/26-12/10 Gowin 2607-05 ALC Tu,W & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 1/22-1/30 Edwards

#### 2608 SENIOR INSTITUTE 303

\$67

This is a "think tank" for seniors ready to move ahead with their computer knowledge. Frequently requested topics include email, your address book, sending and receiving attachments, and working with graphics and address labels. Expect more advanced learning opportunities and shortcuts in word processing and the Internet. As one senior stated, "The more I do with my computer, the more I want to learn! Besides, it's a fun way of keeping my mind sharp and well-informed." PREREQUISITE: Senior 202 or equivalent. Not for a novice.

4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 2608-01 ALC Tu & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/23-11/1 Edwards

#### **GETTING STARTED FOR NON-SENIORS**

#### 2601 IMPORTANT BASICS

\$48

This great 6-hour introductory course will get you comfortable using the mouse while explaining the keyboard, introducing the Windows environment, and showing you valuable short cuts. Don't skip this course because you already know how to point and click. Do you know keyboard shortcuts, when to right click, or what to do if your mouse stops working?

- 2 classes @ 3 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE
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- \* IMPORTANT BASICS IN A DAY 1 class @ 6 hours each

#### 2615 COMPUTER BASICS ONE

\$109 Senior Price \$90

If your computer experience is limited to emailing, searching the Internet, or using a special program unique to your occupation, this course is for you. Don't know the difference between a hard drive and ram? Learn the vocabulary needed to talk to techs and to read your computer's capabilities. Down-to-earth explanations of terminology and equipment are combined with hands-on exercises to give you a good foundation and the confidence to develop more computer skills in Computer Basics Two. PREREQUISITE: Important Basics or pass the quiz on our website www.alc.vbschools.com.

- 4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE
- \* 2615-01 ALC Tu & Th 8:30 am 3:30 pm 9/6-9/11 Schmidt 2615-02 ALC M & W 12:30 3:30 pm 9/12-9/24 Schmidt 2615-03 ALC M & W 6:30 9:30 pm 9/17-9/26 N. Smith 2615-04 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 9:30 pm 9/18-9/27 D. Smith 2615-05 ALC Th 6:30 9:30 pm 10/4-10/25 Sealey 2615-06 ALC Tu & Th 12:30 3:30 pm 10/9-10/18 Schmidt
- \* 2615-07 ALC M & W 8:30 am 3:30 pm 1/14-1/16 Schmidt 2615-08 ALC M & W 6:30 9:30 pm 1/14-1/28 D. Smith
- \* COMPUTER BASICS ONE EXPRESS 2 classes @ 6 hours each

#### 2620 COMPUTER BASICS TWO

\$105 Senior Price \$81

This course has been praised for putting the fundamentals of operating a computer into a comprehensive and practical sequence, and is vital in preparing you to move on to other programs. Get extensive hands-on experience, and learn how to create and save files and folders, along with an introduction to Word, Excel, PowerPoint or Publisher if time permits. PREREQUISITE: Computers Basics One or equivalent experience with computers. Textbook from Computer Basics One is required.

- 5 classes @ 3 hours each 1.5 CEU 18 CPE
- \* 2620-01 ALC Tu & Th 8:30 am 3:30 pm 9/13-9/20 Schmidt 2620-02 ALC M & W 12:30 3:30 pm 10/1-10/15 Schmidt 2620-03 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 9:30 pm 10/9-10/23 D. Smith 2620-04 ALC M & W 6:30 9:30 pm 10/10-10/24 N. Smith 2620-05 ALC Tu & Th 12:30 3:30 pm 10/23-11/6 Schmidt 2620-06 ALC Th 6:30 9:30 pm 11/8-12/13 Sealey
- \* 2620-07 ALC M & W 8:30 am 3:30 pm 1/23-1/30 Schmidt
- \* COMPUTER BASICS TWO EXPRESS 3 classes @ 5 hours each



#### 2621 QUICK PREP FOR OFFICE 2010

\$68 Senior Price \$54

Confirm basic computer and software skills for today's job market, or determine readiness for more advanced skills. Essential computer know-hows will be developed using Windows 7, PowerPoint, Microsoft Word and Excel. Ideal course for those preparing for Medical Office Simulation Software or interested in Office 2010 upgrades. PREREQUISITE: Previous software experience and comfortable with equivalent skills in course 2620. (A computer novice should take both 2615 Computer Basics One and 2620 Computer Basics Two.) PLEASE NOTE: Bring travel drive to class.

3 classes @ 3 hours each 0.9 CEU 10.8 CPE 2621-01 ALC M & W 8:30 - 11:30 am 9/12-9/19 Jenkins 2621-02 ALC Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 10/4-10/18 Phillips 2621-03 ALC W,Th & F 8:30 - 11:30 am 1/2-1/4 Jenkins

#### 2625 KEYBOARDING SKILLS

\$152 Senior Price \$117

Keyboarding is still an important skill! Learn to type or improve your speed and accuracy! The instructor will develop a customized sequence of exercises and tests for your skill level. Perform exercises to increase speed and accuracy, learn to touch-type without looking at your keyboard, and practice posture tips to minimize fatigue and help prevent carpal tunnel syndrome. Great course!

9 classes @ 2.5 hours each 2.3 CEU 27 CPE 2625-01 ALC Tu & Th 9:00 - 11:30 am 9/25-10/23 Moncol 2625-02 ALC Tu & Th 9:00 - 11:30 am 11/6-12/6 Moncol 2625-03 ALC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 1/3-1/31 ALC Staff

#### **JOB SKILLS & SOFTWARE**

#### NEW! 2627 WORD 2010 ESSENTIALS 1 AND 2

\$154 Senior Price \$126

A lot of important fundamental Word topics are packed into this course. Discover super shortcuts and tips while learning ribbons, tool bars, formatting, paragraph and page tools, templates, mail merge, and a variety of illustrative word and art tools. Lots of hands-on! PREREQUISITE: Computer Basics Two, Quick Prep, or very comfortable with equivalent skills. PLEASE NOTE: Bring travel drive to class.

6 classes @ 3 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE 2627-01 ALC M & W 8:30 - 11:30 am 10/1-10/17 Jenkins 2627-02 ALC Tu,W & Th 8:30-11:30 am 12/11-12/20 Schmidt 2627-03 ALC Tu & Th 8:30 - 11:30 am 1/8-1/24 **Jenkins** 

#### NEW! 2628 EXCEL 2010 ESSENTIALS 1 AND 2

\$154 Senior Price \$126

After Word, Excel is the next "must know" software for the job market or business use. Lose your fear of numbers and learn to apply several concepts, templates and applications. Topics include tool bars, ribbons, format tools for worksheet and cell, basic editing, introduction to formulas and functions, some graphics, and the use of workbooks. Lots of hands-on, shortcuts and tips! PREREQUISITE: Computer Basics Two, Ouick Prep. or very comfortable with equivalent skills. PLEASE NOTE: Bring travel drive to class.

6 classes @ 3 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE 2628-01 ALC M & W 8:30 - 11:30 am 10/29-11/19 Jenkins 2628-02 ALC Tu,W & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 12/4-12/13 Schmidt 2628-03 ALC Tu & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 1/8-1/24 Schmidt

#### **NEW!** 2629 OFFICE 2010 STREAMLINED

\$178 Senior Price \$145

Are you out of work or concerned about your job security? Understanding Microsoft Office is one of the best ways to ensure that you can compete in today's job marketplace. Take this course if you are new to Office and need a guick introduction to the programs and essentials skills. Update your abilities and understand the new features in version 2010. Hands-on practice will teach you how to create basic spreadsheets, develop a data base, generate correspondence, store multiple files, and design a slide show. PREREQUISITE: Computer Basics Two, Quick Prep, or very comfortable with equivalent skills. PLEASE NOTE: Bring travel drive to class. 7 classes @ 3 hours each 2.1 CEU 25.2 CPE 2629-01 ALC M & W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 10/29-11/26 Smith

#### 2639 WINDOWS 7 ESSENTIALS

\$86 Senior Price \$67

Frustrated with Windows 7? Can't find "My Documents", nothing looks right, you don't understand Libraries, and can't search or find files? Join this quick course to get comfortable while learning lots of tips. Laptops welcome. PREREQUISITE: Computer Basics Two or previous computer experience opening and saving files, and basic editing skills. Not for a novice. 4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 2639-01 ALC Tu & Th 12:30 - 3:30 pm 11/8-11/20 Schmidt

#### OPERATING SYSTEM & MAINTENANCE

#### 2641 KEEPING UP WITH YOUR PC - SHORT & SIMPLE

\$49 Senior Price \$40

Great course for home users who want to know how to keep their computers safe and have them run faster, and how to respond to odd pop-up questions.

2 classes @ 3 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE 2641-01 ALC Tu 6:00 - 9:00 pm 9/4-9/11 Weller 2641-02 ALC M 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/1-10/8 Weller

#### 2642 BASIC PC MAINTENANCE

Senior Price \$66 \$83 Cars have regular maintenance and so should your computer. Learn how to clean and maintain your PC, how it works, and how to keep it safe. This course includes notes and a maintenance CD. 3 classes @ 3 hours each 0.9 CEU 10.8 CPE 2642-01 ALC Tu 6:00 - 9:00 pm 9/25-10/9 Weller 2642-02 ALC M 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/22-11/5 Weller

#### 2643 ADVANCED PC STUDIES

\$131 Senior Price \$102

This course covers the basic needs of the home user from basic repairs to protecting your system and data. Have a PC you want to work on? Students can bring their PC to class with the instructor's permission. If you have never opened a PC case and don't know what components are inside you may want to take "Basic PC Maintenance" (Course 2642) first.

5 classes @ 3 hours each 1.5 CEU 18 CPE 2643-01 ALC M 12:30 - 3:30 pm 11/19-12/17 Weller

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#### **BOOKKEEPING**

#### 2645 QUICKBOOKS PRO 2012

\$230 Senior Price \$192

Develop more bookkeeping skills and better manage your business finances. QuickBooks helps you take control of and enhance your financial capabilities. Begin by setting up a new company and then walking through the steps and features like customer lists, vendors and employees, forms, reports, estimating, invoicing, and billing. Online and hardcopy are also covered along with a lot of tips and shortcuts. PREREQUISITE: Computer Basics Two or previous computer experience opening and saving files, and basic editing skills. Not for a novice. PLEASE NOTE: QuickBooks 2013 will be used ASAP. Bring a travel drive to class.

8 classes @ 3 hours each 2.4 CEU 28.8 CPE 2645-01 ALC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 1/3-1/29 McGrady

#### 2646 OUICKBOOKS 2012 ADVANCED

\$59 Senior Price \$47

Step up to the next QB level! Use QuickBooks to the max by discovering the value of many great features like credit card security, capital investments, multiple companies, owner equity, owner draw, gift certificates, up front deposits, year end or closing books, and remote access. PLEASE NOTE: Bring a flash drive to the first class.

#### OUTLOOK/ONENOTE

#### 2647 OUTLOOK 2010 - ESSENTIALS

\$88 Senior Price \$74

Outlook is a lot more than just emailing. This crash course will include attachments, contacts-including groups, and the calendar-including recurring appointments. Lots of "I didn't know that!" and "Wow, that's nice!" in this course. If you are in the job market, Outlook IS the business world's email software-better know it! PREREQUISITE: Important Basics or comfortable with the mouse and can minimize/maximize Windows.

#### 2649 ONENOTE 2010

\$48 Senior Price \$39

Do you know the secret powers in OneNote? This course will show you how to collect data, connect with others, run a business, and share and duplicate info easily. You can do all of this remotely! OneNote is a great program with a variety of uses.

2 classes @ 3 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE

2649-01 ALC M 6:30 - 9:30 pm 10/1-10/8 Schmidt

2649-02 ALC M 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/29-11/5 Schmidt

2649-03 LHS W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 11/14-11/28 Schmidt

2649-04 ALC W 12:30 - 3:30 pm 1/2-1/9 Schmidt

#### **WEB DESIGN**

#### **NEW! 2650 ANALYZING WEBSITES**

\$32 Senior Price \$27

Does your business need a website, but you don't know where to start? Do you have a website that someone else maintains, but you want to more control and understanding? Discover what you will need to know if you are taking over an existing site and the four important questions about your website. This course will remove intimidation and reveal the magic of creating a professional and effective website.

#### **NEW!** 2651 FOUNDATIONS OF WEB DESIGN 1

\$86 Senior Price \$67

Great entry-level course! Learn fundamentals of effective web page development and proper design practices and how to create a website with simple tools such as Notepad, MS Paint, and other freeware tools. Learn how to use HTML and Cascading Style Sheets (CSS) to construct web pages that include navigation and hyperlinks, without the need for complex software. PLEASE NOTE: Students will be notified about required book to purchase prior to first class. Bring flash drive to first class.

4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 2651-01 ALC W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/26-10/17 Thomas

#### **NEW!** 2652 FOUNDATIONS OF WEB DESIGN 2

\$86 Senior Price \$67

Learn advanced HTML coding and how to use CSS to style and format web pages. Incorporate content (i.e.images, text) to enhance a web site and increase visitor traffic. Receive an introduction to JavaScript and PHP programming and develop and submit a web design plan as a final project. Your plan could potentially be utilized in subsequent courses to build a complete website. PREREQUISITE: Foundations of Web Design I. This course is not for a novice. PLEASE NOTE: Bring flash drive to first class and book from level one is required.

4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE
2652-01 ALC Tu 6:30 - 9:30 pm 11/6-11/27 Thomas



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#### PHOTO EDITING

#### 2674 PHOTO ORGANIZER

\$32

Before you use Photoshop Elements to edit photos and create projects, you need to import your photos and other media files into catalogs. Learn how to attach keyword tags, search and fix photos and media files, group photos into albums, and view photos in the photo browser by folder location or date.

#### 2675 PHOTOSHOP ELEMENTS 10.0 - LEVEL 1

\$135 Senior Price \$111

Adobe Photoshop Elements 10.0 is a popular photo-editing program you can use to modify and optimize your digital images. Make snapshots clearer and more colorful, and retouch and restore older photos. Push your creativity and software to the max! PREREQUISITE: Experience with Photo Organizer is preferred.

5 classes @ 3 hours each 1.5 CEU 18 CPE 2675-01 ALC M & W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 10/31-11/19 Roberts-Holland

#### 2676 PHOTOSHOP ELEMENTS 10.0 - LEVEL 2

**\$137** Senior Price **\$113** 

More tips, tricks and magic in Level 2! Do you know how to easily make movie posters, design textures, and create caricatures? Can you save files accurately for speedy Internet delivery - including those with animations? Does your screen match your printout? This course is generally compatible with all previous versions of Elements, but is not for a novice to Elements software.

#### PROGRAMS & APPLICATIONS

#### 2681 MS PUBLISHER 2010 BASICS

\$51 Senior Price \$42

Volunteer to help students with math, language, grammar, and conversational English.

Please call the Volunteer Coordinator at 648-6050, ext. 64628.

#### **NEW!** 2686 POWERPOINT VITALS AND EXTRAS

\$48 Senior Price \$39

Liven up and upgrade your PowerPoint by adding animation, videos, sounds, and transitions. Learn how to hide slides and how to use master slides to save time. Lots of information packed into this short course! PREREQUISITE: Familiar with MS Word.

\* 2686-03 ALC M 8:30 am - 3:30 pm 12/3 Jenkins \* POWERPOINT VITALS AND EXTRAS - EXPRESS 1 class @ 6 hours

#### 2687 ACCESS 2010 - LEVEL 1 STREAMLINED

\$127 Senior Price \$99

Develop powerful ways of managing data by using relational databases. Develop database management: deleting and/or adding records, sorting and updating records, running reports, creating and modifying tables, examining table relationships, querying the database, creating and designing forms, and creating and modifying reports.

3 classes @ 6 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE 2687-01 ALC F 8:30 am - 3:30 pm 9/21-10/5 Schmidt 6 classes @ 3 hours each 2687-02 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 11/27-12/13 Schmidt

#### 2688 ACCESS 2010 - LEVEL 2 STREAMLINED

\$89 Senior Price \$70

Do you have a MS Access database started that is still too much work? This power course will help you improve forms, automate data entry, and make queries work for you. Macros will save even more keystrokes and see a bit of VBA coding. Lots more to learn! PREREQUISITE: Comfortable with basics of creating a database or Access 2010 Level 1. PLEASE NOTE: MS Office 2010 will be used.

4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 2688-01 ATC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 1/8-1/17 Schmidt

#### 2691 EXCEL 2010 - LEVEL 1 STREAMLINED

\$89 Senior Price \$70

This beginning level of Excel is streamlined to introduce essential design and development skills. Learn vital shortcuts, important essentials to basic structure, formatting, absolute/relative, and formulas. Graphics, pivot tables, and filters will be introduced. Experienced instructor shares lots of practical applications and tips. PREREQUISITE: Computer Basics Two (2620) or equal skills. Not for a novice.

#### 2692 EXCEL 2010 - LEVEL 2 STREAMLINED

\$89 Senior Price \$70

Are you comfortable with the topics in the Level 1 course and now need to increase productivity and streamline repetitive tasks? Join Level 2 to learn the next set of features and tools! If you work with a lot of numbers or data, get ready to be impressed at how much can be customized and automated. Discover functions such as IF, embedded IF, and payment. Level 2 will also include scenarios, linking, mail merging from Excel to Word, and simple macros. Great price!

4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 2692-01 LHS W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 10/17-11/7 Schmidt

### **FUN THINGS TO DO**

#### 2810 FONDANT FUN

\$34 Senior Price \$28
Fondant is a sugary paste used to create elegant and whimsical decorations for desserts, and made popular by shows like "Cake Boss".

Learn how you can use this edible cake decorating clay to create fondant leaves and foliage for cakes and cupcakes.

1 class @ 2 hours each 0.2 CEU 2.4 CPE

2810-01 RA Tu 6:30 - 8:30 pm 10/23 Stace

#### **NEW! 2815 COLOMBIAN CRAFT DOUGH**

\$58 Senior Price \$45

Discover the creative possibilities of this fun and inexpensive cultural craft dough. Learn to mix and mold whimsical characters and accessories out of colorful material, made from basic household ingredients. Perfect for homemade gifts and holiday decorations! The course is taught by a Colombian native. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list is available online at www.alc.ybschools.com.

#### **GENEALOGY**

#### 3200 GENEALOGY - GETTING STARTED

\$38

If you don't start it, who will? What a great gift to your family! Learn basic techniques for tracing family history using home records, online census data, and vital documents (birth, marriage, death).

#### 3201 GENEALOGY - INTERMEDIATE

\$38

Now you are ready to understand and use deed and probate records in genealogical research. Class members must be familiar with basic principles of genealogy and have experience with vital records (birth, marriage, death) and census records.

3 classes @ 1.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 5.4 CPE 3201-01 RA Tu 6:30 - 8:00 pm 10/9-10/23 Moore

#### 3202 GENEALOGY - ADVANCED

\$38

Advanced Genealogy will cover techniques of research methodology, document and evidence analysis, and problem solving. Requires basic and intermediate knowledge of genealogy. Discover your roots faster!



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**FENG SHUI** 

3204 LEARN ABOUT FENG SHUI \$68 Senior Price \$52

Feng Shui is much more than shapes, colors, and clutter - it is a serious study of natural cycles and how they impact our personal lives and environment. Health, prosperity and abundance can be enhanced while sabotaging energies can be neutralized. Discover what makes up a true Feng Shui reading and explore the trigrams, East/West Theory, sitting and facing directions, remedies and enhancements.

4 classes @ 2.5 hours each 1 CEU 12 CPE
3204-01 RA Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/16-10/25 Covell

#### **NEW!** 3205 PERSONAL FENG SHUI

\$53 Senior Price \$41

Feng Shui can identify a person's best direction to enhance career growth, health, and relationships. Explore highly advanced personal Feng Shui directions including the creative and analytical mind, robbery direction, prosperity and consuming directions.

#### **JEWELRY MAKING**

#### **NEW!** 3208 WIRE JEWELRY MAKING

\$105 Senior Price \$80

Develop the skills to make beautiful wire and beaded jewelry pieces. Learn to make wire wrapped rings; thread beads with wire; and make "s" links, necklaces, bead cage spirals, headpins for earrings, chain bracelet, clasps, latches and bails. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list is available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

8 classes @ 2 hours each 1.6 CEU 19.2 CPE 3208-01 RA Tu & Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 10/2-10/25 Branch

#### **NEW!** 3209 WIRE JEWELRY ONE DAY WORKSHOP

\$29 Senior Price \$23 Explore the art of wire jewelry making with this introductory class. Learn

with this introductory class. Learn beginning techniques to make one of a kind pieces that are perfect for holiday gifts.

3209-01 ALC F 10:00 am - 2:00 pm 10/26 Branch 3209-02 ALC F 10:00 am - 2:00 pm 11/30 ALC Staff

#### 3212 BEAUTIFUL BEADING ONE DAY WORKSHOP

\$28 Senior Price \$23

Create a unique, beautiful beaded necklace and/or bracelet in one fun-filled session. Skills covered include crimping, sizing, color theory, jewelry design, and finishing techniques. All levels welcome. Experienced students will be given more advanced instructions. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

3212-03 ALC F 9:30 am - 12:30 pm 12/7 Wertheimer 3212-04 ALC S 9:30 am - 12:30 pm 1/26 Wertheimer

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#### PERFORMING ARTS

#### 3214 YOU'RE ON THE AIR: HOW TO REALLY MAKE IT IN VOICEOVERS

\$35

Voiceovers are hot today! With such notable talent as James Earl Jones and Donald Sutherland lending their voices to commercials, films, and videos, one would think that it would be next to impossible to break into this field. Not so! In this class you'll learn how to turn voiceovers into a thrilling full or part-time business!

1 class @ 2 hours each 0.2 CEU 2.4 CPE 3214-01 ALC Th 7:00 - 9:00 pm 10/18 Such A Voice Staff

#### **3216 BEGINNER GUITAR**

\$43 Senior Price \$34 Unleash your inner musician! Tuning, music symbols and chords are the basics of playing guitar, Lessons will cover the skills needed and the information most frequently asked for by beginning guitarists. Students must have an electric or acoustic guitar; a guitar tuner is optional. No experience needed. 4 classes @ 1.5 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE

3216-01 LKMS M 7:00 - 8:30 pm 9/10-10/1 Burrus 3216-02 LKMS M 7:00 - 8:30 pm 10/15-11/5 Burrus 3216-03 LKMS M 7:00 - 8:30 pm 11/19-12/10 Burrus



#### **NEW!** 3220 INTRO TO STAND-UP COMEDY \$28 Senior Price \$23

Interested in standup comedy? Get an insider's view of this funny form of entertainment and try it for yourself in this fun introductory class. Standup veteran Ken Phillips shares what he has learned during his 25 years of experience in the field and gives students a chance to test the waters in this one-night course.

1 class @ 2.5 hours each 0.3 CEU 3 CPE 3220-01 RA Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/27 Phillips 3220-02 RA Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 1/10 Phillips

#### **NEW!** 3221 THE COMEDY COACH WORKSHOP

\$133 Senior Price \$101

Always wanted to try stand-up comedy? Learn the secrets of a successful stand-up comedy routine - from writing humor to performing for an audience - in this comprehensive course. Stand-up veteran Ken Phillips draws on 25 years of experience to help you explore and practice the craft of stand-up comedy. Students will gain confidence and feedback, and will perform a final routine on stage. 8 classes @ 2.5 hours each 2 CEU 24 CPE

3221-01 RA Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/4-11/29 Phillips

#### WORLD INTEREST

#### 3227 UNDERSTANDING THE MIDDLE EAST

\$26 Senior Price \$21

In a time when so many news headlines deal with the Middle East, many westerners have limited knowledge of the history of the area. This course will provide historical background, address some common misconceptions, and look at current geopolitics for the region from the cradle of civilization to the current revolutions.

1 class @ 2.5 hours each 0.3 CEU 3 CPE 3227-01 ALC S 9:30 am - 12:00 pm 10/20 Harris

#### SEWING & CROCHET

#### 3300 ONE-ON-ONE SEWING PROJECTS

\$90

Want individual help to improve your sewing skills? Working on a special project and need extra instruction? One-on-one sewing sessions are available in 3-hour increments one Saturday each month. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

1 class @ 3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE ALC Tyler

#### 3301 SEWING FOR THE BEGINNER

\$118 Senior Price \$90

Save money, create fun home décor and design, and alter your own clothes by learning to sew! Whether you sewed years ago and need a refresher, or have never sewed a stitch, this class will take you through the basic steps of sewing to a finished project. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc. vbschools.com.

6 classes @ 3 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE 3301-01 LHS W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/5-10/10 Tyler

#### 3302 SEWING BEYOND THE BASICS

\$118 Senior Price \$90

Want to try a more challenging sewing project? Under the guidance of a professional, take your sewing skills beyond the beginner level and tackle a more advanced project of your choice in this class. PREREQUISITE: Previous sewing course or experience. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www. alc.vbschools.com.

6 classes @ 3 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE 3302-01 LHS W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 10/24-12/5 Tyler

#### **NEW!** 3312 CROCHET TODAY!

Senior Price \$43 \$55

This classic craft is a great pastime. Learn basic crochet stitches and how to read a pattern.

Crochet a finished project - a unique bag- by the end of the course. Perfect for beginners or those needing a refresher. Advanced students will get higher level projects. All levels welcome. PLEASE NOTE: Supply list available online at www.alc.vbschools.com.

3 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.8 CEU 9 CPE 3312-01 LKMS W 6:00 - 8:30 pm 9/5-9/19 Wertheimer 3312-02 ALC F 10:00 am - 12:30 pm 10/12-10/26 Wertheimer 3312-03 ALC F 10:00 am - 12:30 pm 1/11-1/25 Wertheimer

### **HEALTH & FITNESS**

#### FITNESS & TRAINING

#### 3100 ONE-ON-ONE PERSONAL TRAINING

Reach your fitness goals with positive encouragement and training from a certified personal trainer, and develop a personalized program specifically designed for your exercise level and health needs. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

3 classes @ 1 hour each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE RA Woodbury

#### **3104 ZUMBA**

\$39 Senior Price \$30

Interested in Zumba, but not sure where to start? Join us for an introduction to the hit exercise! The first class will include safety tips, an introduction, and a mini-lesson. After that, it is all music and fun! No experience necessary! PLEASE NOTE: Bring water and wear comfortable clothes and shoes.

6 classes @ 1 hour each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE 3104-01 RA Th 6:30 - 7:30 pm 10/25-12/6 Harris

#### 3109 GENTLE YOGA ONE

Senior Price \$49 \$65 Gentle yoga for beginners is a perfect introduction to the healing art of yoga. Benefits include reduced stress, toned muscles, and increased strength and flexibility. It also connects your whole body and mind through the breathing, poses, and meditation. PLEASE NOTE: Students should bring a yoga mat and water bottle. Yoga block is optional.

8 classes @ 1.25 hours each 1 CEU 12 CPE 3109-01 RA Tu 6:00 - 7:15 pm 9/4-10/23 Lucas 3109-02 RA Tu 6:00 - 7:15 pm 10/30-12/18 Lucas

#### 3110 GENTLE YOGA TWO

\$65 Senior Price \$49

Continue the healthy, healing habits of a yoga routine and learn new techniques in Gentle Yoga Two. Practice additional poses, breathing techniques, and boost your flexibility with this next level course. Some yoga experience preferred but not necessary. PLEASE NOTE: Students should bring a yoga mat and water bottle. Yoga block is optional.

8 classes @ 1.25 hours each 1 CEU 12 CPE 3110-01 RA Tu 7:15 - 8:30 pm 9/4-10/23 Lucas 3110-02 RA Tu 7:15 - 8:30 pm 10/30-12/18 Lucas



#### 3130 PERSONAL FITNESS TRAINER - NATIONAL CERTIFICATION THROUGH WORLD INSTRUCTOR TRAINING SCHOOLS

\$599

Become a CERTIFIED PERSONAL TRAINER! This challenging course is taught over a eight-week period. The national exam is held on week nine. Fifteen hours of hands-on practical training will prepare you to work with clients and fifteen hours of lectures cover topics such as anatomy, exercise physiology, nutrition, health screening and CPR. A 30 hour internship will prepare you to work successfully in the fitness field while providing a great opportunity to network with employers. For more information check out: www.witseducation.com PLEASE NOTE: College credits are available for this course through W.I.T.S. Call W.I.T.S at 428-4796 with any questions and for information about your textbook.

18 classes @ 2 hours each 3.6 CEU 43.2 CPE 3130-01 FC Tu & Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 9/25-11/29 W.I.T.S. Staff Tuesday night classes will be held at First Colonial High School and Thursday night classes will be held at at One Life Fitness - 3809 Princess Anne Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23456.



#### **NUTRITION**

#### 3120 STAY SHARP NATURALLY!

\$63

Learn one-on-one holistic strategies for deterring Alzheimer's Disease. Scientific studies show lifestyle habits significantly affect the development of this disease. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

2 classes @ 1 hour each 0.2 CEU 2.4 CPE ALC **Tompanis** 

#### 3122 PERSONAL NUTRITION COACH

\$93

One-on-one dietary counseling can help you recognize how food choices and lifestyle patterns control how you feel. Holistic dietary habits can resolve weight management problems without discomfort. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

3 classes @ 1 hour each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE ALC **Tompanis** 

#### 3123 ALZHEIMER'S: NATURAL PREVENTION

\$42 Senior Price \$33

Learn how to significantly decrease the odds of developing Alzheimer's disease through natural dietary and lifestyle changes. Discover nutrition choices, fitness routines and mental exercises to keep you sharp.

3 classes @ 2 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE 3123-01 ALC F 1:00 - 3:00 pm 10/12-10/26 Tompanis

#### 3124 REVERSE THE AGING PROCESS

\$56 Senior Price \$43

Learn how to maximize your activity and health level through lifestyle practices that promote longevity and youthfulness at the cellular level. Discover habits to improve your quality of life now and for years to come.

4 classes @ 2 hours each 0.8 CEU 9.6 CPE 3124-01 ALC M & W 7:00 - 9:00 pm 10/29-11/7 Tompanis

#### 3126 FROM FLAB TO FAB

STUDENT \$58 Senior Price \$45 Explore foods that fill you up and decrease body and abdominal fat naturally. Improve your health through a new set of dietary and lifestyle habits and enjoy a healthier new year! 4 classes @ 2 hours each 0.8 CEU 9.6 CPE 3126-01 ALC M & W 7:00 - 9:00 pm 9/24-10/3 Tompanis 3126-02 ALC M & W 7:00 - 9:00 pm 1/7-1/16 Tompanis

#### 3128 HOLISTIC MANAGEMENT OF DISGESTIVE **DISORDERS**

\$58 Senior Price \$45

Suffer from occasional digestive discomfort? Sensitive to gluten? Holistic strategies using anti-inflammatory dietary habits and natural supplements can improve GI health. Learn how to attain balance within the digestive system and promote healthy absorption of nutrients naturally to improve digestive health.

4 classes @ 2 hours each 0.8 CEU 9.6 CPE 3128-01 ALC M & W 7:00 - 9:00 pm 10/8-10/17 Tompanis

#### 3129 MANAGE TYPE 2 DIABETES NATURALLY

Senior Price \$45

Research shows that natural dietary and lifestyle strategies known to stabilize blood glucose can suppress the development of Type 2 diabetes. Learn to build up immune system function and promote nutrient absorption, and understand the role of fats, carbohydrates and proteins to best manage your Type 2 diabetes.

4 classes @ 2 hours each 0.8 CEU 9.6 CPE 3129-01 ALC M & W 7:00 - 9:00 pm 9/10-9/19 Tompanis

#### **NEW!** 3125 BOOST YOUR BRAIN POWER!

Senior Price \$45 \$54

Lifestyle changes can improve memory and overall brain functioning. Children learn better and adults remember more when incorporating new habits to optimize brain power. Find out what you can do to improve mental performance with all natural strategies for satisfaction in school, on the job, and in day-to-day living.

3 classes @ 2 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE 3125-01 ALC M & W 7:00 - 9:00 pm 11/26-12/3 Tompanis

### **JOB SEARCH & CAREERS**

#### **NEW! 2205 JOB SEARCHING ON THE WEB**

\$35 Senior Price \$29

Are you finding all the jobs listed on the Internet? Does your résumé bring back a response? Do you understand the online process of job applications? Can you name 10 important job search tips and do you know the websites to avoid or to use when job hunting? The instructor is a professional career

2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE 2205-01 ALC M 6:30 - 8:30 pm 10/15-10/22 Harrison 2205-02 ALC M 6:30 - 8:30 pm 12/3-12/10 Harrison 2205-03 ALC M & W 6:30 - 8:30 pm 1/28-1/30 Harrison

#### **NEW! 2207 DISCOVER YOUR GENIUS**

\$127 Senior Price \$114

Are you not sure what career to choose? Do you feel unfulfilled and dissatisfied with your work? How do you choose the best career for you? A personal assessment is given to show what your natural talents are, what motivates you to use them, and how you prefer to use them. Learn the secret of why most successful people break with conventional wisdom to enjoy high levels of satisfaction with their lives. 4 classes @ 2 hours each 0.8 CEU 9.6 CPE 2207-01 LHS W 6:30 - 8:30 pm 10/3-10/24 Murden 2207-02 LHS W 6:30 - 8:30 pm 1/9-1/30 Murden

#### **CIVIL SERVICE**

#### 2211 CIVIL SERVICE JOBS FOR NON-VETERANS

\$78

Why aren't you looking for a Civil Service job? Civil Service jobs are open to everyone and offer great opportunities, pay and benefits. This Ten Step Workshop, taught

by a certified federal job search trainer/résumé writer, will show you how to make your application more competitive. Sign up today! PLEASE NOTE: Bring flash drive to class. REMINDER: Military spouses whose service member died while on active duty may be eligible to use the service member's preference for government employment. Qualifying member must receive a certificate of eligibility from Department of Veteran Affairs 1-800-827-1000.

2 classes @ 3 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE 2211-01 ALC Tu 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/4-9/11 Palmer 2211-02 ALC M 6:30 - 9:30 pm 1/7-1/14 Palmer

#### 2212 ONE-ON-ONE CIVIL SERVICE JOBS FOR **NON-VETERANS**

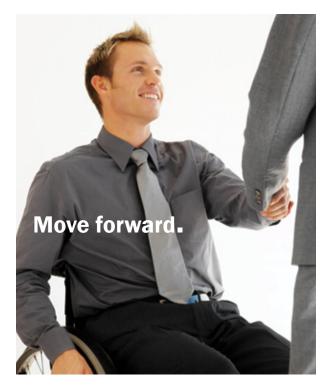
Can't make it to class? We offer 1-on-1 assistance throughout the semester. See course description 2211 for details. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting

1 class @ 2.5 hours each 0.3 CEU 3 CPE ALC **Palmer** 

#### 2213 ONE-ON-ONE CIVIL SERVICE JOBS FOR VETERANS \$78

Do you need help with those confusing applications for Civil Service jobs? If you served in the military, or retired after 20+ years of service and want those years to count toward federal retirement, consider civil service employment. This workshop shows you how to apply, and addresses Veterans Recruitment Appointment, Veterans Employment Opportunities Act, and 30+ percent disabled veteran preferences. Instructor is a former Virginia Employment Commission employee who worked as a Disabled Veterans Outreach Program Specialist. PLEASE NOTE: Bring flash drive to class. REMINDER: Military spouses whose service member died while on active duty may be eligible to use the service member's preference for government employment. Qualifying member must receive a certificate of eligibility from Department of Veteran Affairs 1-800-827-1000. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a

1 class @ 2.5 hours each 0.3 CEU 3 CPE ALC **Palmer** 



READY, SET, HIRE!

### 2216 ONE-ON-ONE OUTSTANDING CUSTOMER SERVICE

Is your customer service costing you? In today's economic competition you have to be "outstanding" in everything you do. Do your employees need to refresh or learn new skills? This course emphasizes the best ways to build outstanding rapport, effectively communicate through e-mail, how to understand non-verbal communication, stay professional in stressful situations, find win-win solutions, and more. Customized courses available for businesses. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999). or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

1 class @ 2 hours each 0.2 CEU 2.4 CPE ALC

2219 ONE-ON-ONE RÉSUMÉ AND JOB SEARCH \$112

Do you want face-to-face consultation for your résumé, the job market, and realistic goal setting as it relates to your

résumé? Gain an honest evaluation and assessment of your hopes, talents, experiences, likes and dislikes. Hear the latest techniques, tips, and expectations when interviewing. With help from a professional résumé writer you will learn the tools needed to develop a powerful market specific résumé. Available throughout the semester and résumés can be designed through email. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

1 class @ 3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE ALC M,Tu,W,Th & F Harrison

#### 2221 ONE-ON-ONE ACING THE INTERVIEW \$65

Are you going on job interviews but not getting hired? It's time to meet with a seasoned professional who can teach you how to "sell " yourself to the interviewer. Using these techniques, you'll never leave another interview wondering what happened. If you don't get hired on-the-spot, you'll know the steps to take to get the job for which you've been searching. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time. 2 classes @ 1 hour each 0.2 CEU 2.4 CPE ALC

### **LANGUAGES**

### 3700 ONE-ON-ONE LANGUAGE TUTORING

\$90

Perfect your language skills with personal attention and immediate conversational feedback in a casual and relaxed atmosphere. Grammar may or may not be included. Please indicate your language choice on the registration form. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time. 1 class @ 3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE ALC

#### 3717 **BEGINNER FRENCH**

\$82 Senior Price \$63

Learn basic vocabulary and expressions that will assist you in the French-speaking world. You will learn about a variety of topics including various cultural aspects of France. PLEASE NOTE: Bring notebook and pen/pencil to class. A French dictionary is recommended.

6 classes @ 2 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 3717-01 RA Tu 6:00 - 8:00 pm 10/16-11/20 Ezell



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**NEW!** 3719 BEGINNER GREEK

\$158 Senior Price \$120
Learn the fundamentals of Greek
language, customs and civilization in
this introductory course. Explore the Greek
alphabet, gain conversation skills, get travel tips, and
discover interesting facts about ancient Greece and Greek
architecture. Classes will be taught by a Greek native.
12 classes @ 2 hours each 2.4 CEU 28.8 CPE
3719-01 RA Tu 6:00 - 8:00 pm 10/2-12/18 ALC Staff

#### 3730 BASIC RUSSIAN

\$132 Senior Price \$100

From the Land of the Czars comes the opportunity to learn about the Russian language and culture. Designed for beginners, you will learn from a native of Russia who promises an interesting and easy class!

8 classes @ 2.5 hours each 2 CEU 24 CPE

3730-01 RA Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 9/18-10/11 Biarozkina

#### 3731 MORE BASIC RUSSIAN

\$132 Senior Price \$100

If you've already taken Basic Russian Conversation or have some experience with the language, this is your chance to learn more. Improve your conversation skills, learn more about the Russian culture, and increase your vocabulary with this next level course.

8 classes @ 2.5 hours each 2 CEU 24 CPE 3731-01 RA Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/23-11/15 Biarozkina

#### 3741 ITALIAN 1

\$150 Senior Price \$120

Learn Italian! This course, designed for absolute beginners, teaches greetings and basic communications for daily life situations while exploring the culture. Develop elementary skills in grammar, reading and writing.

9 classes @ 2 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE 3741-01 TECH Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 9/6-11/1 Schaller 3741-02 ALC F 1:00 - 3:00 pm 10/19-12/21 Reyes

#### 3742 ITALIAN 2

\$126 Senior Price \$96

If you have already taken Italian 1 or have some experience with the language, this

STUDENT FAVORITE!

is your level. Elevate your proficiency and increase vocabulary while learning new verbs and the future tense. There will be an emphasis on speaking. PREREQUISITE: Textbook from Level 1. Please call the ALC prior to the first class to request the ISBN#.

9 classes @ 2 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE 3742-01 TECH Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 11/8-1/17 Schaller

#### 3761 SPANISH 1

**\$147** Senior Price **\$117** 

Learn Spanish! This course, designed for absolute beginners, teaches greetings and basic communications for daily life situations while exploring the culture. Develop elementary skills in grammar, reading and writing.

9 classes @ 2 hours each 1.8 CEU 21.6 CPE 3761-01 LKMS M & W 6:00 - 8:00 pm 9/17-10/15 Reyes 3761-02 ALC Tu & Th 7:00 - 9:00 pm 9/18-10/16 Temoche

#### 3762 SPANISH 2

\$127 Senior Price \$97

If you have already taken Spanish 1 or have some experience with the language, this is your chance to practice your conversation skills. Elevate your proficiency and increase vocabulary while learning new verbs and the future tense. There will be a greater emphasis on speaking. PREREQUISITE: Textbook from Spanish 1. Please call the ALC prior to the first class to request the ISBN#.

#### LANGUAGE IN A DAY

#### 3765 SPANISH IN A DAY

\$30 Senior Price \$25

Heading to a Spanish speaking destination? This half-day crash course will give you just enough conversational phrases, travel tips, cultural insights and a pocket language guide.

#### 3767 RUSSIAN IN A DAY

\$30 Senior Price \$25

Fascinated by the Russian language? Get a cultural profile of Russia and take away handy everyday phrases and a pocket language guide.

#### 3769 ITALIAN IN A DAY

\$30 Senior Price \$25

Planning a trip to Italy? This half-day crash course will give you just enough conversational phrases, travel tips, cultural insights, and a pocket language guide to make your travel a success.

#### 3770 JAPANESE IN A DAY

\$30 Senior Price \$25

Interested in Japanese? This half-day crash course will introduce you to the alphabet characters, conversational phrases, and cultural insights of the Japanese language. 1 class @ 3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE 3770-01 ALC S 12:30 - 3:30 pm 11/17 Ezell

#### 3771 FRENCH IN A DAY

\$30 Senior Price \$25

If you love all things French, you'll love this half-day crash course on the French language. Get handy conversational phrases, travel tips, cultural insights, and a pocket language guide.

### **MATH**

#### 3400 ONE-ON-ONE MATH

\$101

Receive personal attention and immediate feedback from an instructor who will tailor the course to your math needs. Available throughout the semester. Register by mail, fax (306-0999), or in person at the Adult Learning Center. The instructor will contact you to arrange a meeting time.

1 class @ 3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE ALC Meehan

#### 3401 NUTS AND BOLTS MATH 1

\$77 Senior Price \$61

Basic math is a big part of our daily lives.
Have trouble using fractions for projects or
when cooking? Know how to apply percentages?
Learn about whole numbers, fractions, decimals, and
percents in a fun, informal environment with an instructor
who is passionate about math. All knowledge levels welcome!
5 classes @ 2 hours each 1 CEU 12 CPE
3401-01 LKMS M 7:00 - 9:00 pm 9/24-10/22 Meehan

#### 3402 NUTS AND BOLTS MATH 2

\$77 Senior Price \$61

Do you know how percentages affect the cost of travel, groceries, gas, or other purchases? Continue learning to make sense of percents, rates, and proportions. Join this no-pressure math class taught by an instructor who respects everyone's knowledge level. PREREQUISITE: Nuts and Bolts Math 1 or basic knowledge of fractions, decimals, and percents.

#### 3403 ALGEBRA WORKSHOP

\$77 Senior Price \$61

Does Algebra sound like a foreign language? After conquering basic math, take the next step to Algebra. Build a foundation of algebraic properties, real numbers, integer operations, inequalities, and absolute value. Learn how to apply algebra in the real world.

5 classes @ 2 hours each 1 CEU 12 CPE 3403-01 LKMS M 7:00 - 9:00 pm 12/10-1/28 Meehan

### **MEDICAL**

#### CAREER TRAINING - PHARMACY TECH

#### 3504 PHARMACY BOARDS EXAM CRAM

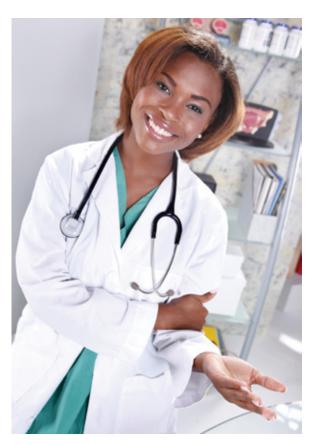
\$49 Senior Price \$40

Designed for students who have already completed the Pharmacy Tech program and are preparing to take their National Certification Board exam. This comprehensive review will cover pharmaceutical classifications, math formulas, terminology and law. Perfect for those taking the exam for the first time, second time, or already working in a pharmacy setting!

#### 3505 PHARMACY TECH 1

\$502 Senior Price \$416
This Virginia state sanctioned course introduces you to the world of pharmacies in retail, hospital or institutional settings. Course content includes history of pharmacology, terminology and math specific to the pharmacy, reading and interpreting prescriptions, and defining drugs by generic and brand names. After completing PT 1 and 2, students will be prepared to take the National Pharmacy Technician Certification Board (PTCB) exam.

17 classes @ 3 hours each 5.1 CEU 61.2 CPE 3505-01 ATC Tu & Th 9:30 am - 12:30 pm 9/4-10/30 Turnipseed 3505-02 ALC M & W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/5-10/31 Lowenthal 3505-03 RA Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/4-10/30 Lowenthal



#### 3506 PHARMACY TECH 2

\$372 Senior Price \$286

Delve further into the workings of a pharmacy. This continuation of Pharmacy Tech 1 covers sterile preps, laws, rules on disposal and handling of hazardous material. PLEASE NOTE: Textbooks from Pharmacy Tech 1 are required for this course. PREREQUISITE: Pharmacy Tech 1 or work experience in a pharmacy is required.

17 classes @ 3 hours each 5.1 CEU 61.2 CPE 3506-01 ATC Tu & Th 9:30 am-12:30 pm 11/13-1/22 Turnipseed 3506-02 ALC M & W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 11/14-1/28 Lowenthal 3506-03 RA Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 11/13-1/22 Lowenthal

### 3507 EXPRESS PHARMACY TECHNICIAN CERTIFICATION

**\$237** Senior Price **\$181** 

This class is designed for past Pharmacy Tech students or licensed Pharmacy Technicians who want to become nationally certified. Pharmacy math formulas, national laws, and drugs will be reviewed in this short, information-packed exam preparation class. PREREQUISITES: Students must have completed Pharmacy Tech 1 & 2 or be a state-licensed Pharmacy Technician.

12 classes @ 3 hours each 3.6 CEU 43.2 CPE 3507-01 LKMS W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 9/26-12/19 Turnipseed

#### 3510 PHARMACY TECH 1 MATH REVIEW

\$28 Senior Price \$23

Designed for students enrolled in Pharmacy Tech 1, this oneday three-hour review will cover pharmacy math formulas and conversions. Perfect for students struggling with pharmacy math concepts.

1 class@3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE 3510-01 ALC F 9:30 am - 12:30 pm 10/19 Turnipseed 3510-02 ALC S 9:30 am - 12:30 pm 10/20 Turnipseed

#### 3511 PHARMACY TECH 2 MATH REVIEW

\$28 Senior Price \$23

Designed for students enrolled in Pharmacy Tech 2, this oneday three-hour review will cover pharmacy math formulas and conversions. Perfect for students struggling with pharmacy math concepts.

1 class@3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE 3511-01 ALC F 9:30 am - 12:30 pm 12/14 Turnipseed 3511-02 ALC S 9:30 am - 12:30 pm 12/15 Turnipseed

#### 3512 PHARMACY TECH 1 STUDY SUPPORT

\$53 Senior Price \$40

Designed for Pharmacy Tech students determined to succeed, this Friday study course will offer students a chance to review with peers and get extra help from a Pharmacy Tech instructor. Memorize, review, study, succeed!

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#### 3513 PHARMACY TECH 2 STUDY SUPPORT

\$90 Senior Price \$68

Created to meet the increased study requirements for Pharmacy Tech 2 students, this Friday study course offers more opportunities to review, get help, stay on track and prepare to successfully pass the course and the state board exams.

7 classes @ 2 hours each 1.4 CEU 16.8 CPE
3513-01 ALC F 10:00 am - 12:00 pm 11/16-1/18 Lowenthal



#### CAREER TRAINING - MEDICAL ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

#### 3516 FOUNDATIONS OF MEDICAL TERMINOLOGY

\$240 Senior Price \$202

Basic medical terminology is essential for anyone working in the medical field. The instructor will remove the mystery from medical terms by teaching students how to decode words using root words, prefixes and suffixes.

8 classes @ 3 hours each 2.4 CEU 28.8 CPE 3516-01 RA Tu & Th 6:00 - 9:00 pm 9/4-9/27 Watkins 3516-02 RA Tu & Th 6:00 - 9:00 pm 11/6-12/4 Watkins

#### 3517 ESSENTIAL MEDICAL OFFICE SKILLS

**\$260** Senior Price **\$222** 

Learn the lingo of a medical front office. The focus will be on scheduling appointments and interacting with patients and staff members in a professional manner. HIPPA Laws will be discussed.

8 classes @ 3 hours each 2.4 CEU 28.8 CPE 3517-01 RA Tu & Th 6:00 - 9:00 pm 10/2-10/25 Watkins 3517-02 RA Tu & Th 6:00 - 9:00 pm 12/11-1/15 Watkins

#### 3518 MEDICAL OFFICE SIMULATION

\$257 Senior Price \$224

Get hands-on experience with medical office software. Become familiar with scheduling, posting and billing, claims tracking, CMS-1500 claim forms, prebilling report, and much more! Practice all you want. Each student will own their copy of MOSS 2.0. PREREQUISITE: Comfortable with most computer basics skills in (2620) and 2621. Not for a software novice, minimum keyboarding speed 35 GWPM, or enrolled in keyboarding course. PLEASE NOTE: Bring a travel drive to class. 7 classes @ 3 hours each 2.1 CEU 25.2 CPE

3518-01 ALC Tu & Th 6:30 - 9:30 pm 10/30-11/20 Phillips 3518-02 ALC W 6:30 - 9:30 pm 12/5-1/23 Phillips

#### 3520 CMAA EXAM REVIEW

\$92 Senior Price \$73

Designed for Career Training students pursuing the Medical Administrative Assistant track. This course covers additional content, reviews past material and offers a practice exam essential for passing the Certified Medical Administrative Assistant exam. PREREQUISITE: Medical Terminology and Essential Medical Office Skills.

4 classes @ 3 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 3520-01 RA Tu & Th 6:00 - 9:00 pm 1/22-1/31 Watkins

### 3523 BASIC LIFE SUPPORT CERTIFICATION

\$79

Get American Heart Association certification in Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers through this 3-hour class. Instruction includes Adult and Child CPR, AED and CPR for Infants. BLS certification is required for many professionals, including personal trainers, nurses, and emergency medical personnel. AHA book included.

### 3524 HEARTSAVER CPR CERTIFICATION

\$79

Get American Heart Association certification for Heartsaver CPR, which includes First Aid and AED through this 3-hour class. CPR certification is often required for daycare professions, medical workers, and government employees. AHA book included.

### 3525 HEARTSAVER BLOODBORNE PATHOGEN CERTIFICATION

\$46

The American Heart Association Heartsaver Bloodborne Pathogens Course is designed to meet Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) requirements for personnel in manufacturing, hospitality, health and fitness, childcare, security, and other industries where this training is required. Students will receive a certificate of completion. AHA book included.

#### 3526 HEARTSAVER FIRST AID

\$64

The American Heart Association Heartsaver First Aid teaches critical skills needed to respond to and manage an emergency in the first few minutes until emergency medical services (EMS) arrives. Students learn skills such as how to treat bleeding, sprains, broken bones, shock and other first aid emergencies. You will receive a completion card valid for two years.



**CAREER TRAINING - EKG TECHNICIAN** 

#### 3530 EKG TECHNICIAN

\$999

The EKG Technician Certification Program prepares students to function as EKG Technicians and to take the ASPT-EKG Technician national certification exam. This course will include important practice and background information on anatomy of the heart and physiology, medical disease processes, medical terminology, medical ethics, the Holter monitor, electrocardiography and echocardiography. Hands-on labs include proper use of the EKG machine, 12-lead placement, and more. PREREQUISITE: High school diploma or GED® test credential.



#### CAREER TRAINING - DENTAL ASSISTANT

#### 3531 DENTAL ASSISTANT

\$1199

Recognized by the American Dental Association, this program provides training necessary for an entry level position as a Dental Assistant. Learn about the dental office, legal aspects of dentistry and dental assisting, policies and guidelines, as well as clinical aspects including oral anatomy, dental equipment, tooth structure, the oral cavity, dental anesthesia, sterilization and more.

17 classes @ 3.5 hours each 6 CEU 71.4 CPE 3531-01 RA Tu & Th 6:00 - 9:30 pm 10/9-12/6 ALC Staff



#### **CAREER TRAINING - MEDICAL BILLING & CODING**

#### 3532 MEDICAL BILLING AND CODING \$1799

This combined medical billing and coding course offers the skills needed to solve insurance billing problems, file and trace claims, complete common insurance forms, and use generic forms to streamline billing procedures. Content includes CPT (Introduction, Guidelines, Evaluation and Management), specialty fields (such as surgery, radiology and laboratory), ICD-9 (Introduction and Guidelines) and basic claims processes for medical insurance and third party reimbursements. Students will learn how to find the service and codes using manuals (CPT, ICD-9 and HCPCS). After obtaining the practical work experience (6 months to 2 years), students who complete this course could be qualified to sit for the American Academy of Professional Coders (AAPC) - Certified Professional Coder exam (CPC or CPC-H Apprentice); the American Health Information Association (AHIMA) Certified Coding Associate (CCA) exam; and/or other National Certification exams. PLEASE NOTE: In addition to Tuesday and Thursday classes at the Renaissance Academy, students will meet two Saturdays from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm November 17 and December 15, 2012. Saturday classes will be held at the Adult Learning Center at 4160 Virginia Beach Boulevard.

21 classes @ 3.81 hours each  $\,\,$  8 CEU  $\,\,$  96 CPE  $\,\,$  3532-01 RA Tu,Th & S  $\,$  6:00 - 9:30 pm  $\,$  10/9-12/18 ALC Staff

#### **CAREER TRAINING - PHYSICAL THERAPY AIDE**

#### 3533 PHYSICAL THERAPY AIDE

\$999

This program prepares students to step into the growing field of physical therapy. Course instruction includes the non-technical duties of physical therapy, such as preparing treatment areas, ordering devices and supplies, transporting patients, and working under the direction of the physical therapist. Students learn techniques to assist physical therapists in providing services that help improve mobility, relieve pain, and prevent or limit permanent physical disabilities of patients suffering from injuries or disease.

15 classes @ 3.5 hours each 5.3 CEU 63 CPE

3533-01 RA Tu & Th 6:00 - 9:30 pm 10/9-11/29 ALC Staff

#### CAREER TRAINING - CNA CERTIFICATION PREP

#### 3534 CNA CERTIFICATION PREP

\$187 Senior Price \$143

Are you a Certified Nursing Aide whose certification has lapsed? Are you worried about passing the CNA certification exam? This course is designed for individuals preparing to take the CNA certification exam. Content will include a review of the NNAP written exam and nursing skills evaluation with experience in the classroom. Whether you want to get recertified or are preparing to take the test for the first time, this course will offer you the preparation and confidence you need to pass your exam. PLEASE NOTE: For questions about individual Eligibility Routes for Nurse Aide Application for Certification by Examination, visit the Virginia Board of Nursing at <a href="https://www.dhp.virginia.gov/nursing">www.dhp.virginia.gov/nursing</a> or call (804) 367-4515. 8 classes @ 3.5 hours each 2.8 CEU 33.6 CPE 3534-01 ALC M,Tu,W & Th 9:00 am - 12:30 pm 11/5-11/19



#### **CAREER TRAINING - PERSONAL CARE AIDE**

#### 3535 PERSONAL CARE AIDE

\$339 Senior Price \$263

The perfect stepping stone into the health care field! Following the curriculum from the Virginia Department of Medical Assistance Services, this course trains care professionals to take basic vital signs, safely move, bathe, dress, and provide basic care for clients. Individuals who complete the course will be eligible to provide care to Medicaid recipients and achieve a PCA Level 1 Certificate of Completion from the Adult Learning Center. PLEASE NOTE: Students cannot miss more than one class period during the course. Students will be required to wear health care uniforms to class and will be responsible for purchasing their own uniform by the second class meeting. Specific uniform information will be provided in your confirmation letter.

14 classes @ 3.5 hours each 4.9 CEU 58.8 CPE 3535-01 ALC M,Tu & Th 6:00-9:30 pm 9/4-10/4 Ross-Clemmons 3535-02 ALC M,Tu & W 9:00 am - 12:30 pm 10/1-10/30 Wheeler 3535-03 ALC M,Tu & W 9:00 am - 12:30 pm 1/7-2/6 Wheeler

#### 39 MEDICAL CAREER HEARTSAVER BLOODBORNE PATHOGEN

\$4

CAREER TRAINING - CLINICAL MEDICAL ASSISTANT

**NEW!** 3536 CLINICAL MEDICAL ASSISTANT

\$2399 This program prepares medical assistant students to perform patient clinical skills in the medical office setting. Clinical procedures include administering medications, assisting with minor surgery, performing an electrocardiogram, obtaining laboratory specimens for testing, educating patients, and maintaining clinical equipment. After completing the course. students will be prepared to take the NHA Clinical Medical Assistant national certification exam. Upon completion of the 140 hour classroom requirement, students will be eligible to participate in a 160 hour clinical externship rotation. PLEASE NOTE: In addition to Tuesday and Thursday classes at the Renaissance Academy, students will meet four Saturdays from 9:00am-4:00pm September 4, October 20, November 17 and December 15, 2012. Saturday classes will be held at the Adult Learning Center - 4160 Virginia Beach Boulevard. 36 classes @ 3.89 hours each 14 CEU 168 CPE 3536-01 RA Tu,Th & S 6:00 - 9:30 pm 9/25-1/26 ALC Staff

### AMERICAN HEART & OTHER EMERGENCY TRAINING

### 3537 MEDICAL CAREER BASIC LIFE SUPPORT CERTIFICATION

\$79

Get American Heart Association certification in Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers. Instruction includes Adult and Child CPR, AED and CPR for Infants. BLS certification is required for many professionals, including personal trainers, nurses, and emergency medical personnel. AHA book included.

### 3538 MEDICAL CAREER HEARTSAVER FIRST AID \$64

The American Heart Association Heartsaver First Aid Course teaches critical skills needed to respond to and manage an emergency in the first few minutes until emergency medical services (EMS) arrive. Learn how to treat bleeding, sprains, broken bones, shock, and respond to other first aid emergencies. You will receive a completion card valid for two years. AHA book included.



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### NEW! 3542 PET FIRST AID AND DISASTER RESPONSE \$61

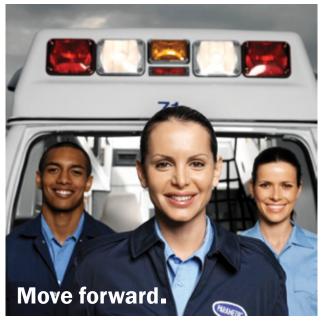
Are you prepared to help your pet during an accident or weather emergency? This unique course covers common health and safety issues, first aid, CPR basics, and disaster planning steps for pets and other animals. Ideal for pet owners, pet care givers, disaster aid volunteers, veterinarian technicians, animal shelter volunteers and animal grooming professionals.

1 class @ 3 hours each 0.3 CEU 3.6 CPE 3542-01 ALC F 1:00 - 4:00 pm 9/28 Henley 3542-02 ALC F 1:00 - 4:00 pm 12/7 Henley

### NEW! 3543 ACLS PROVIDER \$256

This two-day ACLS (Advanced Cardio Life Support) Provider course prepares medical professionals to treat adult victims of cardiac arrest or other cardiopulmonary emergencies. Emphasis will be on high-quality CPR with advanced cardiovascular life support interventions and effective team interaction during resuscitation.

2 classes @ 8 hours each 1.6 CEU 19.2 CPE 3543-01 ALC F & S 8:00 am - 4:00 pm 9/14-9/15 ALC Staff 3543-02 ALC F & S 8:00 am - 4:00 pm 12/14-12/15 ALC Staff



### MONEY

#### 3004 ABC'S OF INVESTING

\$68

Break down the myths of investing including CDs, municipal government and corporate bonds, mutual funds, stocks, and retirement planning tools. Learn to assess your current financial situation, set financial goals, and develop an investment plan to meet your goals.

3 classes @ 2 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE 3004-01 RA Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 9/20-10/4 Ely 3004-02 RA Tu 6:30 - 8:30 pm 11/27-12/11 Ely

#### 3005 PREPARING YOUR ESTATE PLAN

\$35

Investigate the basic steps of estate planning. Course will cover wills, trusts, life insurance, and tax information. An attorney will be present.

2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE 3005-01 RA Tu 7:00 - 9:00 pm 9/11-9/18 Cole 3005-02 FC Tu 7:00 - 9:00 pm 1/8-1/15 Cole

### 3006 TAKE STOCK IN THE MARKET

\$32

Become one of the select few who understand the basics of the stock market! Learn how to own stock, earn money by investing, and the basics of the Standard & Poor's Index and Dow Jones Industrial Average.

#### 3007 KNOW YOUR RETIREMENT MONEY

\$44 Senior Price \$35

Learn what you need to know BEFORE you decide to retire! Learn about investing including CDs, bonds, mutual funds, stocks, and other retirement planning tools. Assess your current financial situation, set financial goals and develop an investment plan. If you want to retire someday, YOU have to make it happen.

3 classes @ 2 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE 3007-01 RA Tu 6:00 - 8:00 pm 10/2-10/16 Robbins 3007-02 RA Tu 6:00 - 8:00 pm 1/15-1/29 Robbins

#### 3009 CHOOSE THE RIGHT MORTGAGE

\$36 Senior Price \$29

Here's a really smart move - save money BEFORE you purchase or refinance! Learn the different finance options and which is best for you. Mortgage guidelines and programs are constantly changing, so keep up and stay smart! 2 classes @ 2.5 hours each 0.5 CEU 6 CPE 3009-01 RA Tu 6:30 - 9:00 pm 10/2-10/9 Scott 3009-02 RA Th 6:30 - 9:00 pm 1/17-1/24 Scott



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### 3010 REVERSE MORTGAGE - SEPARATE FACT FROM FICTION

\$26

### **PHOTOGRAPHY**

#### DIGITAL

#### 2700 DIGITAL CAMERA FOR SENIORS \$39

Are you comfortable using your digital camera? If you rarely or never use your digital camera, join us for hands-on experience that will help you understand the menu, become familiar with features, and learn the basics of operating your camera. PLEASE NOTE: Bring your camera, all cables and instruction book.

2 classes @ 3 hours each 0.6 CEU 7.2 CPE 2700-01 ALC F 8:30 - 11:30 am 9/21-9/28 McGrady 2700-02 ALC W 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/10-10/17 McGrady 2700-03 ALC F 9:00 am - 12:00 pm 1/11-1/18 McGrady

#### 2701 BETTER DIGITAL PHOTOS - SENIORS ONLY \$54

What better way to learn to take great photos than with a group reviewing controls, settings, and good techniques? Better yet, apply all that on a field trip and use the last class to analyze and evaluate photos.

3 classes @ 3 hours each 0.9 CEU 10.8 CPE 2701-01 ALC W 12:30 - 3:30 pm 10/31-11/14 McGrady

#### 2702 DIGITAL CAMERA - COMPACT - INTRODUCTION

\$31 Senior Price \$25

Start here if you haven't used your digital camera much or are afraid to start. This quick course covers all those buttons and positions while including essentials like exposure modes, lighting controls, flash, drive modes, printing and transferring images. PLEASE NOTE: Bring camera, all cables, extra batteries and instruction book to ALL classes.

2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE 2702-01 RA Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 9/13-9/20 Burrus 2702-02 RA Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 10/18-10/25 Burrus



### 2703 DIGITAL SLR CAMERA - INTRODUCTION

#### \$31 Senior Price \$25

If your digital camera has interchangeable lenses, start with this course, not 2702. This introductory course will cover: exposure modes, photography foundations, the lens, lighting controls, flash, drive modes, printing and transferring images. PLEASE NOTE: Bring camera, all cables, extra batteries and instruction book to ALL classes.

2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE 2703-01 RA Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 10/4-10/11 Burrus 2703-02 RA Tu 6:30 - 8:30 pm 11/27-12/4 Burrus 2703-03 RA Th 6:30 - 8:30 pm 1/10-1/17 Burrus

#### **IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS**

### 2704 TAKE BETTER PHOTOS WITH YOUR POINT AND SHOOT

\$35 Senior Price \$29
Still unsure what all those dials and menus mean on your point and shoot camera and how to use them? Professional photographer Dee Akright will review procedures so you can take better photos right away. PREREQUISITE: Course 2702, 2703 or comfortable taking photos but want to improve photo quality. PLEASE NOTE: Bring your camera (with fresh battery) and camera manual.

#### 2705 PHOTOGRAPHY 101 - EXPOSURE

\$35 Senior Price \$29

To become a better photographer you need to understand photographic theory. Dee Akright professional photographer will help you apply theory and learn the fundamentals of proper exposure, the relationship between aperture, shutter speed, ISO, meters, readings, and give you tons of tips. PLEASE NOTE: Bring your camera (with fresh battery) and camera manual.

#### **NEW! 2707 PORTRAIT PHOTOS**

\$31 Senior Price \$25

Do you need a good portrait for your website, business presentation or advertisement, or of a loved one? Photographer Reginald Burrus will show you the rules so your digital camera can do its best job. No special equipment required!

2 classes @ 2 hours each 0.4 CEU 4.8 CPE 2707-01 RA Tu 6:30-8:30 pm 11/6-11/13 Burrus 2707-02 RA Tu 6:30-8:30 pm 12/11-12/18 Burrus

#### **NEW! 2710 SETTING UP A HOME STUDIO**

\$31 Senior Price \$25

Is your dream to become a professional photographer, but you lack the money to invest in a studio with lights and backdrops? Professional photographer Dee Akright will teach you how to set up a photography studio inside your home, on a budget. In this hands-on class, she will show you how to set up and use your own shooting space. Bring your cameras and be prepared to shoot. PLEASE NOTE: Your camera must have a hot shoe attachment for an external flash and manual capability. No pocket cameras please.

### **WRITING**

#### 4503 WRITE YOUR MEMOIR

\$99 Senior Price \$75

Everybody has a story and this course will help you put your own story down on paper. Whether you want to publish a book about your experiences or just create a keepsake for your family, you'll learn how to organize and write a personal or family memoir.

#### 4506 GRAMMAR GOOFS AND PUNCTUATION PITFALLS

\$44 Senior Price \$35

Can a semi-colon make a difference? Have fun with punctuation! This great class is sure to improve your writing skills and help you zone in on those grammatical red flags that are often missed. Come prepared to have fun and you will leave ahead of the rest!

3 classes @ 2 hours each  $\,$  0.6 CEU  $\,$  7.2 CPE  $\,$  4506-01 RA Th  $\,$  7:00 - 9:00 pm  $\,$  1/17-1/31 Harris

### 4510 HOW TO WRITE AND PUBLISH FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS

\$80 Senior Price \$61

Write for the children's book and magazine markets! Learn the techniques for writing and submitting picture books, middle grade and teen novels, and non-fiction. Taught by a published children's author, you'll share your work with peers and receive valuable feedback.

6 classes @ 2 hours each 1.2 CEU 14.4 CPE 4510-01 LKMS M 6:00 - 8:00 pm 10/1-11/5 Strauss

### **Online Course Catalog**

Click on the link below to view online courses.

# **Adult Learning Center**

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Consult your school advisor to confirm eligibility.



### Adult Basic Education (ABE)

This program enables students to improve reading, language, math skills, and prepare for the GED® exam. Students 18 and older who are not enrolled in private or public school are eligible to attend a placement evaluation and take the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE). Students are placed in classes based on test scores. Register for classes throughout the semester.

To enter ABE/PRE-GED® and Fast Track GED® classes, attend a placement evaluation (\$5.00).



PLACEMENT EVALUATION DATES			CLASS SCHEDULES		
August 28, 2012	Tuesday	12:30 pm	DAY	EVENING	
August 29	Wednesday	4:30 pm		Adult Learning Center	
August 30	Thursday	9:30 am	Adult Loorning Contor	Monday & Wednesday	
September 26	Wednesday	10:00 am	Adult Learning Center  Monday - Thursday September 10 - May 21 8:29 am – 11:37 am 12:07 pm – 3:15 pm	September 17 - May 15 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm	
October 20	Saturday	9:00 am		·	
October 31	Wednesday	10:00 am		Larkspur Middle School Monday & Wednesday September 17 - May 15	
November 28	Wednesday	10:00 am			
January 8, 2013	Tuesday	10:00 am		6:30 pm - 9:00 pm	
COSTS					
CLASSES					
DI ACEMENT EVALUATION			\$30.00 registration fee for Virginia Beach residents		
PLACEMENT EVALUATION \$5.00		NON-RESIDENTS of Virginia Beach			
		\$40.00/Month (Day)			
		\$30.00/Month (Evening)			
ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE					

What to know about the placement evaluation: Testing is administered on a first-come, first-served basis. (Maximum of 55 participants per test). A valid, current government-issued picture ID for proof of age and identity is required. Cost is only \$5.00. Testing begins on time. No exceptions.



### **GED® Test Credential Information**

Paul Palombo GED Chief Examiner™ City of Virginia Beach



- The GED® exam provides an opportunity for adults 18 or older¹ who did not complete high school to earn an equivalency certificate which is recognized by many employers and colleges. ¹Cannot be enrolled in any high school.
- Prepare for the GED® exam with reading, language, math, and GED® classes at the Adult Learning Center. Placement evaluations and counseling are available to evaluate readiness. GED® practice tests and textbooks are available for purchase. (See OTHER FEES)
- To participate in the May GED® Recognition Ceremony attend a placement evaluation, ABE/GED® classes, and successfully complete the GED® exam.
- Prior to the test date you MUST REGISTER in person at the ALC with your payment and a <u>valid</u>, <u>current government-issued picture ID</u>. Complete the application forms and watch a mandatory video (30-45 minutes). You may pre-register online at <u>www.GED123.org</u>. Print the confirmation and bring to the ALC to complete the registration process.
- ✓ Office hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 am-3:30 pm or Monday through Thursday, 6:00 pm-8:00 pm.

#### **GED® Exam Schedule & Fees**

Accomodations are available upon request.

Registration is required. Candidates must present a valid, current government-issued picture ID as proof of age.

GED® EXAM - COMPLETE \$58.00 first-tir		GED® RETEST - DATES & FEE \$10.00 per test (\$8.00 additional for first time retest in Virginia)		
Monday & Tuesday 12:15 pm-4:30 pm	August 6 & 7		Thursday Only	
Tuesday & Wednesday 12:15 pm-4:30 pm	September 4 & 5	Social Studies Test	August 2  Fridays Only	
Monday & Tuesday 12:15 pm-4:30 pm November 5 &	October 1 & 2 November 5 & 6 December 3 & 4	Science Test Language Arts, Reading Test	September 7 October 5 November 2 December 7	
Wednesday & Thursday 12:15 pm-4:30 pm	January 2 & 3, 2013		January 4, 2013	
Saturday 7:45 am-4:30 pm	August 18 September 15 October 20 November 17 December 15 January 26, 2013	Mathematics Test Language Arts, Writing Test	Thursday Only August 9 Fridays Only September 14 October 12 November 9 December 14 January 11, 2013	

OTHER FEES: Placement Evaluation \$5.00 (see schedule on page 31)

GED® practice tests \$10.00, GED® textbook \$21.00

Reschedule a test date \$15.00

Additional Transcript Request \$5.00 each From our website click the appropriate link:

**TRANSCRIPT - Tested in VIRGINIA BEACH** 

**TRANSCRIPT - Tested ELSEWHERE In Virginia** 

Additional Certificate Request \$10.00 each

**CERTIFICATE** 

Have you failed one or more of your GED® tests? Do you need help with a particular subject? Do you only have time to attend a minimum of two tutoring sessions?

If you answered **YES** to any question above, the Adult Learning Center can help!



For help passing one or more of the GED® Tests try one of these options					
OPTION	LOCATION	ATTENDANCE DATES	COST		
1. Study Group (Day or Evening)	Adult Learning Center	Once a week beginning in October	\$2.00 per session		
2. ABE/GED® Classes (Day or Evening)	Adult Learning Center	Beginning in September	Virginia Beach Resident? One-time fee of \$30.00  Not a Virginia Beach resident? \$40.00 per month - DAY classes \$30.00 per month - EVENING classes		

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## ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE



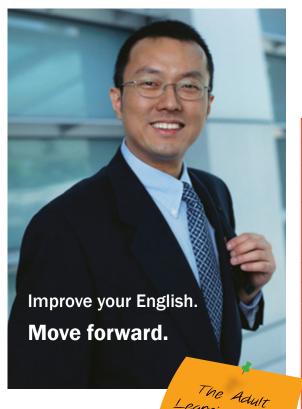
The GED® test battery includes:

Mathematics Test
Language Arts, Writing Test
Language Arts, Reading Test
Social Studies Test
Science Test

Move forward.

### **English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)**

ESOL classes are available for adult non-native speakers of English who are residents or visitors in the United States. The program consists of five levels of reading, writing, speaking, and listening in sessions held daily and bi-weekly in the evening. All levels are welcome. New students must come to one of the interview/registration times; students will enter the program based on class availability. If classes are full, students will be placed on a waiting list and contacted when openings occur. A valid, current government-issued picture ID and proof of residency are required at the interview/registration.



transportation.

#### Fall - Winter 2012 - 2013 Schedule

Interviews are held at the Adult Learning Center at 4160 Virginia Beach Blvd. (next to the Meyera E. Oberndorf Central Library). Register and interview at the same time. No appointment is necessary.

INTERVIEW DATES					
August 21, 2012	Tuesday	8:30 am			
August 23	Thursday	5:45 pm			
August 28	Tuesday	8:30 am			
October 23	Tuesday	8:30 am			
October 25	Thursday	5:45 pm			
November 27	Tuesday	8:30 am			
November 29	Thursday	5:45 pm			
January 29, 2013	Tuesday	8:30 am			

#### CLASS SCHEDULES

	Adult Learning Center
	Tuesday & Thursday
Adult Learning Center  Monday - Friday	September 13 - May 14
September 10 - May 21	6:30 pm - 9:00 pm
8:30 am - 11:00 am	Larkspur Middle Schoo

arkspur Middle School Monday & Wednesday September 12 - May 15 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

**EVENING** 

#### **COSTS FOR CLASSES**

\$30.00 registration fee for residents of Virginia Beach who are also citizens or permanent residents

NON-IMMIGRANTS
(passport holders)
\$40.00/Month (Day)
\$30.00/Month (Evenin

DAY

11:30 am - 2:00 pm

NON-RESIDENTS (live in other cities) \$40.00/Month (Day) \$30.00/Month (Evening)

Students who live in other cities and hold passports must pay both fees each month.

Textbooks = \$15.00 to \$50.00 depending upon class level.

ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL 757-648-6057

### Office Hours and Community Education Registration

4160 Virginia Beach Boulevard Virginia Beach, VA 23452

757-648-6050

\*Office Hours: 8:00 am-4:00 pm, Monday-Friday & 6:00 pm-8:00 pm, Monday-Thursday evenings

Walk-in registrations accepted daily Monday through Friday, 8:00 am - 3:30 pm and evenings Monday through Thursday, 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm. Payment is due at registration. We accept Visa, Mastercard, checks, cash, and money orders. We do not conduct business transactions, including registration, over the phone.



#### **FOUR EASY WAYS TO REGISTER**

- ✓ Online at <a href="https://www.alc.vbschools.com">www.alc.vbschools.com</a>
  From our homepage follow the online registration link any time of the day or night Visa or MasterCard required.
- ✓ In Person

  Visit our office at the Adult Learning Center.
- ✓ By Fax

  Fax registration and Visa or MasterCard information to 757-306-0999.
- By Mail
  Mail registration and Visa or
  Mastercard information or
  check to the Adult Learning
  Center, Attn: Registrar.

Community Education classes are open to adults 18 and older who are not enrolled in public or private high school.

\* Summer Hours The Adult Learning Center is closed Fridays during June, July, and August. Summer evening hours are limited, please call to verify.

Holidays Classes will not be held September 3, November 12, November 22 & 23, December 24, 2012 through January 1, 2013, January 21, and February 18.

**School Closings** Notices of delay or closure for Virginia Beach City Public Schools includes the Adult Learning Center and all of its satellite locations. Announcements will on radio and TV, online at <a href="https://www.vbschools.com">www.vbschools.com</a> or call the 24-hour Beach-Line at 263-1000.

**Tuition Assistance** Individuals receiving tuition assistance from an employer must submit forms at the time of registration. A \$10.00 processing fee is charged per billing.

**Continuing Education Unit (CEU)** Old Dominion University awards one CEU for every ten hours of class time. A \$20.00 processing fee is charged per course.

**Continuing Professional Education (CPE)** CPE points are awarded to accountants for each 50 minutes of class time.

**Certificates** A certificate of completion is available for all courses upon request. Allow two weeks for processing and pick up at the Adult Learning Center or receive by email.

**Waiting List** If a class fills, you will be contacted and offered other available dates or placed on a waiting list.

**Senior Discount** Seniors 60 and older are eligible for a discount on courses which indicate "Senior Price". To verify senior status and qualify for the discount on applicable courses, be sure to include your birth date on your registration form.

**Confirmations** Course confirmations are mailed or emailed and MAY contain additional information about your course.

Cancellations We reserve the right to cancel any course due to insufficient enrollment. If a course is cancelled, you will be notified by phone or email and issued a full refund. Please include an email address and a local phone number on your registration form.

Withdrawals/Transfers and Refunds If you must withdraw or transfer from a course or section, a written request must be received five business days BEFORE the class start date, or it will not be considered. NO REFUNDS will be issued once a course has started. A \$15.00 processing fee will be assessed for any transfer or withdrawal. Refunds are issued within two weeks.

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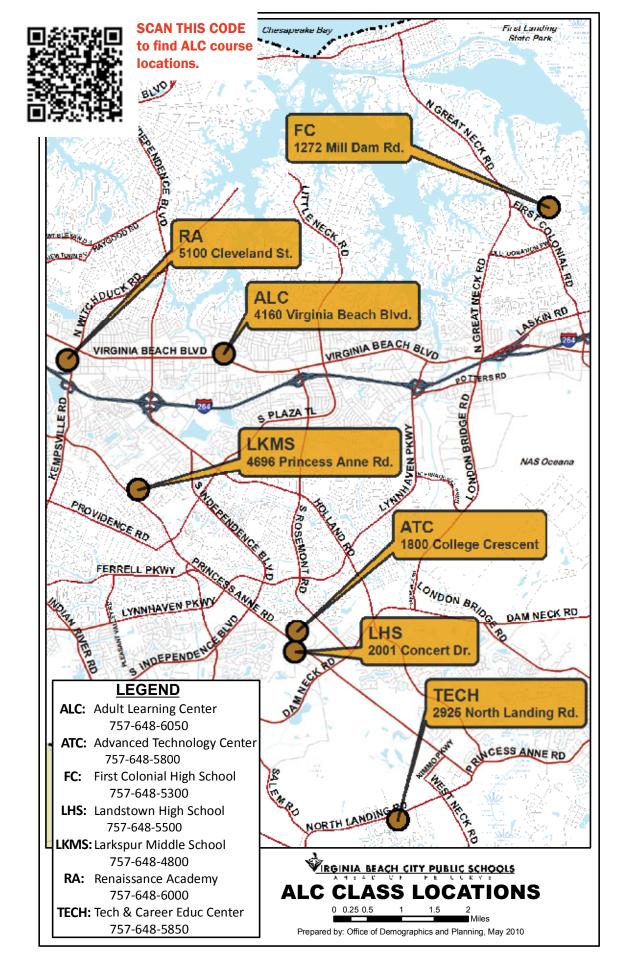
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