

Celebrate Adult Education And Literacy In St. Charles County!

ATTEND THE AEL STUDENT RECOGNITION CEREMONY

7 p.m. Wednesday
June 18, 2008

Donald D. Shook Fine Arts Building

Adult Education and Literacy (AEL/w/ESL)

St. Charles Community College coordinates a four-county effort (St. Charles, Warren, Lincoln, and Pike) to teach basic reading, math, and writing skills, to prepare people to take the GED Tests, and to assist non-native speakers in gaining English proficiency. Free day and evening classes are available. Students must be at least 16 years of age and not enrolled in secondary school. For more information about class times, locations, or the services below, call SCC at 636-922-8411 or visit www.stchas.edu/ael.

English as a Second Language (ESL)

Classes provide reading, writing, listening, and speaking activities at English proficiency levels for people wishing to improve their English proficiency skills. Special ESL classes address community services, workforce vocabularies, TOEFL preparation, and citizenship preparation.

Basic Skills Instruction/Literacy

Instruction is available for students to improve their basic skills. Literacy tutors provide one-on-one tutoring for students with low reading levels.

Citizenship Preparation

Classes help students prepare for the citizenship interview. Students must have a resident card for four years or more (two years if spouse is a citizen) and at least intermediate level English skills.

Fast-Track Classes

A 15-hour Fast-Track class is available for students who want an overview of the GED Tests before taking the exam.

GED Demographics Form

Ninety-minute sessions meet on the first and second Fridays of each month. Students complete the demographics form, view an instructional video related to the GED math exam, and practice using the scientific calculator. You must attend one 90-minute session, and you must bring your GED Testing Authorization form for admission to this class.

GED Testing

The GED Tests are given monthly at SCC. The exam begins at 8 a.m. and ends at about 5 p.m. Test applications are available at all AEL class sites or online at <http://dese.mo.gov/divcareered>. Examinees are required to complete and submit the exam demographics forms before their test date. An official GED Testing Authorization is required to complete the demographics form. To make a testing appointment, call 636-922-8299. The GED Test application fee and testing fee are \$20 each.

GED TESTING DATES

8 a.m.-5 p.m.

6/14, 7/19, 8/16, 9/20

You might qualify for a

GED scholarship! Call 636-922-8269.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON AEL/GED/ESL,

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OR VISIT THE WEB SITE AT

WWW.STCHAS.EDU/AEL.