

## Ask About Career Development Classes and the new

### Career Pathways Program

Adult Transition Services at Lamar Community College provides personal and career development classes in the CAREER PATHWAYS program with a new curriculum to help students learn computer and presentation skills, in the context of team projects, resume building, and career exploration activities. For more information, please contact: Robb Scott, Director, Adult Transition Services, 719-336-6646. This program is funded by the Prowers County Department of Social Services and offered free to TANF recipients. There is a fee for participants from other agencies.

### English as a Second Language

Adult Transition Services instructors also teach English as a Second Language (ESL) on campus as well as in nearby communities. Our ESL curriculum is research-based, and the classes are free to any adult. This program is funded by the U.S. government, through a grant administered by the AEFLA office at the Colorado Department of Education. E-mail: PoderIngles@lamarcc.edu .

### Our Vision Statement

We envision any person who has educational aspirations to be able to come to Lamar Community College and find assistance to a pathway for success.

Adult Transition Services can be the beginning for many potential students in our service area. The courses and workshops can begin to prepare students to enter and be successful in a chosen pathway. Staff members can work with students to help them achieve their educational goals.

The Office of Adult Transition Services plays a vital and important role in the educational mission of Lamar Community College.

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**The LCC Mission:** We enrich lives through learning.

**The LCC Vision:** At Lamar Community College, we are committed to providing the highest quality education in an environment of service excellence.

**LCC Values:** Integrity, Valuing People, Open Communication, Respect.

## GED Prep

*We will get you to your destination*



### Adult Transition Services

**NEW CLASSES START  
AUGUST 23rd!**

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## The General Equivalency Diploma (GED) at Lamar Community College

Lamar Community College is a GED Testing Site, approved by the Colorado Department of Education. The GED Examiner is Amy Jaime, who can be contacted at 719-336-6644 or by e-mail at Amy.Jaime@lamarcc.edu .

The GED Exam includes five sections: Mathematics, Reading, Language/Writing, Social Studies, and Science. To pass the exam and earn a GED diploma, a candidate must score at least 410 on every section, but also must average 450 across all five sections. It is a demanding requirement, but the satisfaction of passing and the opportunities that a GED diploma opens for you are well worth the investment of time and hard work.

### Taking a Placement Test:

The first step is to take a placement test called the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE) in order to find your current levels in Reading, Mathematics, and Language/Grammar. Based on these scores, the individual is either ready to try the GED exam or is advised to take GED-prep classes first.

### Traditional Classroom Based GED

On the Lamar Community College campus, students can take **FREE** traditional classroom-based GED-prep instruction, either on a daytime or evening schedule. Based on TABE scores, students are placed in either an intermediate-level group or an advanced-level, in order to receive individualized attention that meets their specific learning needs and personal styles.

The teachers have education degrees and are trained to work with adult learners. The curriculum is research-based, and uses textbooks and activities that are practical and directly relevant to achieving success on the GED exam. **FREE**

Call Cheryl Hart, Head GED Instructor, for more information: 719-336-6647.

### Daytime and Evening Schedules:

The intermediate and advanced GED classes meet on the second floor of Bowman Building, on this schedule:

Intermediate—8:00-10:00 a.m. MTW

Advanced—10:00-12noon MTW

Intermediate—6:00-8:00 p.m. MTW

Advanced—6:00-8:00 p.m. MTW

### New Intensive GED Classes Too!

The new **INTENSIVE GED PREP** classes function separately and in a different instructional design than the traditional classroom based GED classes.

The new **INTENSIVE GED PREP** classes meet two hours per day, five days per week, and students work exclusively using the WIN WorkKeys software on Lamar Community College computers, under the direct supervision and guidance of a specialized tutor.

Students work on three key skills—Reading for Information, Locating Information, and Applied Mathematics—because research from WIN user data has demonstrated that anyone who passes the fifth level in these three skill areas is nearly guaranteed to pass the GED exam the first time they take it.

*Cost of the INTENSIVE GED PREP is \$350 per 8-week session, or \$44 weekly.*

*Partial scholarships are available.*

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### Adult Transition Services @ LCC

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