

College and Career Readiness Programs

The College and Career Readiness (CCR) department aims to equip students with academic skills and college-going knowledge so they have the confidence to select a career and complete the program of study associated with that career. CCR staff members take a student-focused approach in helping students develop vital knowledge and skills required to successfully enter college or employment. Students are supported in developing an individual career path to help them track their progress during their educational and career journey.

To ensure a smooth transition into a post-secondary education institution or into the workforce, department team members guide students through an assortment of College and Career Readiness courses, including college and career-focused programs, high school completion, English as a Second Language and Special Learning Needs. Career awareness and work-related skills are integrated into all instruction to help students see the relevancy and application of what they are learning.

Programs include:

1. **Adult High School**
2. **English Classes (ESL)** (<http://catalog.cpcc.edu/programsofstudy/collegeandcareerreadiness/adultesl>)
 - a. Refugee Education (<http://catalog.cpcc.edu/programsofstudy/collegeandcareerreadiness/refugeeduc>)
3. **GED or HiSET Preparation** (<http://catalog.cpcc.edu/programsofstudy/collegeandcareerreadiness/hsequivalency>)
4. **Getting Ready for College and Careers**
 - a. Career Development (<http://catalog.cpcc.edu/programsofstudy/collegeandcareerreadiness/careerdev>)
 - b. Pathways to Careers (<http://catalog.cpcc.edu/programsofstudy/collegeandcareerreadiness/pathways>)
 - c. Way to Work (<http://www.cpcc.edu/ccr/College%20and%20Career%20Readiness%20Programs/way-to-work>)
 - d. Work and Learn (<http://catalog.cpcc.edu/programsofstudy/collegeandcareerreadiness/workandlearn>)
 - e. Working in America (<http://www.cpcc.edu/ccr/College%20and%20Career%20Readiness%20Programs/working-in-america>)
5. **Independence and Literacy Education for Adults with Disabilities (I-LEAD)** (<http://catalog.cpcc.edu/programsofstudy/collegeandcareerreadiness/i-lead>) (<http://catalog.cpcc.edu/programsofstudy/collegeandcareerreadiness/i-lead>)