

Employment and Adult Education Resources

GED, High School Programs for Adults and National External Diploma Programs in Washington, D.C.

Academy of Hope

- 202-269-6623
- aohdc.org

Ballou Stay

- 202-645-3390
- balloustay.com

Goodwill Excel Center

- 202-839-3675
- goodwillexcelcenter.org

Living Wages

- 202-574-3962
- livingwages.org

The Next Step PCS

- 202-319-2249
- nextsteppcs.org

Carlos Rosario

- 202-797-4700
- carlosrosario.org

GED, High School Programs for Adults and National External Diploma Programs in Maryland

Adult Education and Literacy Services

- dllr.state.md.us/gedmd/programs.shtml

Literacy Council of Montgomery County

- 240-715-2198
- lcmcmd.org/ged-preparation
- info@lcmcmd.org
- <https://www.learnwithc2c.org/student-programs#our-programs>

Maryland Department of Labor High School Diploma Options and Adult Education

- dllr.state.md.us/gedmd/geddiplomaoptions.pdf

Montgomery College

- 240-567-8950
- ged@montgomerycollege.edu
- <https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/workforce-development-continuing-education/test-prep/index.html>

Prince George's Community College

- 301-546-0891 or 301-546-8350
- ged@pgcc.edu
- pgcc.edu/go/ged

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GED, High School Programs for Adults and National External Diploma Programs in Virginia

Adult Education Programs by county:

- <https://www.doe.virginia.gov/teaching-learning-assessment/specialized-instruction/adult-education/adult-education-regional-programs>

Virginia GED

- 1-877-37-MY-GED or 1-877-376-9433
- gedva.vcu.edu

Resume and Job Search Assistance in Washington, D.C.

Jubilee Jobs

- 202-667-8970
- jubileejobs.org

Resume and Job Search Assistance in Maryland

WorkSource Montgomery

- Main: 301-929-6880
- Germantown: 240-406-5485
- <https://worksourcemontergomy.com/job-seekers/what-we-offer/>

A Wider Circle

- 301-608-3504
- workforcedevelopment@awidercircle.org
- <https://awidercircle.org/get-help/career-support/>

Maryland Workforce Exchange

- mwejobs.maryland.gov/vosnet/Default.aspx

English as a Second Language (ESL) in Washington, D.C.

Briya PCS

- 202-232-7777
- briya.org

Carlos Rosario

- 202-797-4700
- carlosrosario.org

English as a Second Language (ESL) in Maryland College of Southern Maryland

- 443-550-6149 and 240-725-5473
- adulthood@csmd.edu
- <https://www.csmd.edu/programs-courses/non-credit/adult-basic-education/index.html>

Literacy Council of Montgomery County

- 240-715-2198
- info@lcmcmd.org
- <https://www.learnwithc2c.org/student-programs>

Montgomery College

- Basic: 240-567-8950
- Intermediate: 240-549-2691
- esol@montgomerycollege.edu
- esl-rockville@montgomerycollege.edu
- <https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/workforce-development-continuing-education/english-language-skills/index.html>

Prince George's Community College

- 301-546-8350
- adulthoodeducation@pgcc.edu
- <https://www.pgcc.edu/go/adulthoodeducation/esl/>

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English as a Second Language (ESL) in Virginia Alexandria City Public Schools English Language Learners

- 703-619-8027
- adulted@acps.k12.va.us
- acps.k12.va.us/programs-services/adult-education

Health Care Training

University of the District of Columbia

- Medical administration and direct care
- 202-274-7209
- <https://www.udc.edu/workforce-development/>

Briya PCS

- Medical assistant
- 202-232-7777
- briya.org

Additional Opportunities in the DMV

SOME's Center for Employment Training-DMV

- Training and certificates in healthcare (Medical Assistant & Medical Administrative Assistant) or building trades (HVAC & Building Maintenance Service Tech).
- Eligibility: Adults over the age of 18 living in the DMV area. Applicants do not need to have a high school diploma or GED. Students with criminal histories are still eligible. Programs start students each week.
- 202-797-8806
- some@some.org
- <https://some.org/services/education-workforce-development/career-training/>

Ticket to Work Resource through Social Security Administration- DMV

- Supports career development for people ages 18-64 who receive Social Security disability benefits and want to work.
- <https://choosework.ssa.gov/>

Additional Opportunities in Washington, D.C.

Briya PCS

- 202-232-7777
- briya.org

Byte Back IT training & certifications

- 888-511-2983
- byteback.org

Child Development Associate Training

University of the District of Columbia

- 202-274-7209
- workforce@udc.edu
- <https://www.udc.edu/cc/programs-majors/education-aa/>

DC Career Connections

- Work Readiness program for DC residents 20-24 years old with permission to work in the US. Up to nine months of paid training.
- 202-698-5599
- dccareerconnections@dc.gov
- does.dc.gov/service/dc%20career%20connection-0

DC Central Kitchen Culinary Training

- dccentralkitchen.org/enroll

DC Infrastructure Academy

- 202-899-6040
- dcia@dc.gov
- <https://dcia.dc.gov/>

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Additional Opportunities in Washington, D.C.

DC Out-of-School Program

- Skills training, work readiness support, GED preparation and internship experiences for DC residents ages 16-24 no longer enrolled in school.
- 202-559-4180
- outofschoolprograms@dc.gov
- does.dc.gov/service/out-school-program

Four Walls Career & Technical Education Center

- HVAC, electrical and OSHA-10 training
- 202-332-8022
- fourwallsctec.org/services

Job Corps

- 1 DC Village Ln. SW, Washington, DC 20032
- Free Education and Job Training Program with training available in Construction, Carpentry, Cement, Electrical, HVAC, Plumbing, Office Administration, Pharmacy Technician, Security, Culinary Arts, Hotel and Lodging and Advanced Transportation. On-campus housing, meals, clothing, basic medical care, small allowance recreational activities and transportation are included.
- Eligibility: 16-24 years old, household receives public assistance, earns poverty-level income, is homeless, is a foster child or qualifies for free or reduced-price lunch.
- Admissions Counseling Manager: 202-373-3054
- http://s3-us-west-2.amazonaws.com/jobcorps.gov/2017-04/Job_Corps-information_booklet.pdf
- <https://potomac.jobcorps.gov/>

Per Scholas IT training & certifications

- info@perscholas.org
- <https://perscholas.org/>

University of the District of Columbia

- Hospitality, IT, property management and construction training
- 202-274-7209
- workforce@udc.edu
- <https://www.udc.edu/workforce-development/>

Additional Opportunities in Maryland

Maryland Workforce Exchange

- Search for training providers, Financial Assistance and Scholarship database.
- mwejobs.maryland.gov/vosnet/Default.aspx

Montgomery Connects

- Provides access to free laptops and home internet for residents of Montgomery County at least 7 years old.
- montgomeryconnects@montgomerycountymd.gov
- montgomerycountymd.gov/obp/digital-equity.html

Skillup

- Prince George's County job seekers can explore career pathways, view local job postings, register for free online learning and receive workforce services.
- pgc.skillupamerica.org

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Additional Opportunities in Maryland

Train Up

- Provides unemployed and underemployed Baltimore City residents with free job training and skills including carpenter, electrician, plumber, IT, laboratory technician, healthcare, heavy equipment operator, mechanic training etc.
- moed.baltimorecity.gov/train

Additional Opportunities in Virginia

Center For Employment Training

- Training programs for Business, Childcare, Construction, Culinary, Medical, Technical Trades and Truck Driving/Logistics.
- 6295 Edsall Rd., Plaza 500, Suite 220, Alexandria, VA 22312
- 703-461-9767
- <https://cetweb.edu/location/alexandria-va/>

Community College Workforce Alliance

- Training in Healthcare, Information Technology and Skilled Trades.
- 804-523-2292
- help@ccwa.vccs.edu
- ccwatraining.org

Fast Forward VA

- Short-term workforce training program to train Virginians for industry credentials and certifications for the most in-demand jobs across the Commonwealth.
- fastforwardva.org

Northern Virginia Family Services: Training Futures

- 571-748-2869
- tftrainee@nvfs.org
- <https://www.nvfs.org/our-services/workforce-development/training-futures/>

VA Ready

- 6-12 week credential program in technology, healthcare, manufacturing or skilled trades. May receive tuition grant from Fast Forward VA and earn a \$1000 Credential Achievement Award from VA Ready.
- vaready.org/learn

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