

# FREE LITERACY & COLLEGE PREPARATION

LIFE CAN BE DIFFERENT IF YOU HAVE A DIPLOMA!

YOUR FUTURE IS CALLING . . .

- With a high school equivalency diploma, more doors open to a better job, college, and the respect you deserve.
- Need help? We are here for you!
- Call 845-331-5050, ext. 2243 for more information about preparation programs in your area.
- Do not wait! Let us help you to succeed!
- All Ulster BOCES adult literacy classes are free of charge!

## ADULT LITERACY HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY (HSE)

### ELLENVILLE

Ellenville Learning Center  
104 Center Street

T/W 9am-noon & / or  
T/W 5-8pm

### KINGSTON

Everette Hodge Community Center  
15-21 Franklin Street

M/R 9:30am-12:30pm & / or  
M/R 5:30-8pm  
T/W 11am-2pm

Ulster County Career Center  
521 Boices Lane

M/W 9am-noon & / or  
M/W 12:30-3:30pm

### NEW PALTZ\*

Duzine Elementary School  
31 Sunset Ridge (Library)

M/W 6-9pm

### PORT EWEN

Ulster BOCES  
Adult Career Education Ctr  
319 Broadway (room 114)

M-R 5:30-8:30pm

## TASC™ TEST ASSESSING SECONDARY COMPLETION

Ulster BOCES is Ulster County's site for TASC™!

### TASC™ TEST LOCATIONS & DATES 2020

Career & Technical Center  
Port Ewen (3:30pm arrival time for both days)  
319 Broadway, Port Ewen, NY 12466

Feb 11 & 12 (computer)  
Mar 3 & 4 • May 5 & 6 • Jul 14 & 15

Ellenville Learning Center  
(8:30am arrival time for both days)  
104 Center St, Ellenville, NY 12428  
Apr 2 & 3 & Jul 16 & 17

TASC™ Applications can be found at  
[www.acces.nysed.gov/hse/taking-hsetasc-tests](http://www.acces.nysed.gov/hse/taking-hsetasc-tests).

Have you signed up to take the test but feeling nervous about the math section?

Come to our free FastTrack Math Intensive session to brush up on your skills.  
Call 845.331.5050, ext.2243 to ask questions or to register for the next available FastTrack math class.



Giving Rural Adults a Study Program (**GRASP**), a Distance Learning Program, offers an alternative learning opportunity for those individuals that cannot attend a traditional classroom setting. Home study students must be 21 years of age or older and willing to study independently for at least six-hours per week. Pre-registration is required to attend an orientation, with a \$20 orientation fee.

Call 845-331-5050, ext. 2243 for assistance and to reserve a seat for the next scheduled orientation date.

**WHY?** Prepare for the new TASC™ Exam.

**HOW?** Work at your own pace with this home-based study program. Teacher support available through electronic communication. Assignments based on educational need. Pick-up assignments from a library conveniently located near you.

**WHERE?** Evening Orientations are typically held at 5pm on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month. Convenient personal scheduling is provided by calling 845-331-5050, ext. 2243 for assistance.

## DID YOU KNOW?

New York State has a NEW pathway to obtaining your High School Equivalency Diploma?

This pathway to a diploma allows candidates to substitute passing scores on Regents examinations taken in high school for up to 4 out of the 5 required corresponding TASC™ subtests.

If you think you may be eligible for this new pathway, contact the Ulster BOCES Adult Literacy Department at 845-331-5050, ext. 2243 for more information.

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## ADULT LITERACY & ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

**WHY?** Learn to converse and understand English.

**HOW?** Classroom instruction in speaking, reading, and writing English; includes citizenship education. No charge for English classes.

**ENROLL** at any time – simply walk into the classroom at the facility which is most convenient for you. Must be 18 years of age or older to participate.

Call 845-331-5050 for up to date information on class meeting times and locations.

### ELLENVILLE

Ellenville Learning Center • 104 Center Street

T/W 1-4pm & / or 5-8pm

### KINGSTON

Everette Hodge Community Center • 15-21 Franklin Street

M/R 5:30-8pm

### NEW PALTZ\*

Duzine Elementary School • 31 Sunset Ridge (Library)

M/W 6-9pm

### PORT EWEN

Ulster BOCES • Adult Career Education Ctr. • 319 Broadway (room 209B)

T/R 8-11am

\* Public school locations classes will break in May 2020.

Call 845-331-5050, ext. 2243 for up-to-date information of program operations throughout Ulster County.

## MEJORA GRATUITA DE ESL/CNA CLASE

¿Es usted un aprendiz de inglés que le gustaría convertirse en un asistente de enfermería? Si es así, entonces este programa podría ser para usted! para más información comuníquese con el Departamento de alfabetización de adultos al 845-331-5050, ext. 2243.

## FREE ENHANCED ESL/CNA CLASS

Are you an English Language Learner who would like to become a nursing assistant? If so, then this program might be for you!

For more information contact the Adult Literacy Department at 845-331-5050, ext.2243.

## ADULT LITERACY

Providing total Literacy for the whole family, from birth through adulthood.

Visit our Literacy Centers, an Ulster BOCES Community Partnership located at:

- Everette Hodge Community Center • 15-21 Franklin St., Kingston
- Ulster County Career Center • 521 Boices Ln. • Kingston, NY 12401
- Ulster BOCES Career & Technical Center • 319 Broadway (Route 9W) • Port Ewen

Coleen Macaluso, Literacy Coordinator • Call 845-331-5050, ext. 2243 for more information.

## FASTTRACK!

Join us for an intensive turnaround program designed to provide test takers with a greater confidence in Math and English fluency for a future retake of the TASC exam.

### FASTTRACK MATH

PE Feb 22 9am-3pm

EL Mar 28 9am-3pm

PE Apr 18 9am-3pm

EL Jun TBD

PE Jun TBD

### FASTTRACK ENGLISH/MATH

PE Feb 3 & 5 4-8 pm

For more information on the dates and times and to register

for FastTrack classes, call 845-331-5050, ext. 2243.

## WORKER READINESS CREDENTIAL

Employers from all sectors report that new hires need support on entry level skills and concepts. This customizable 12-hour course hones specific skills for new employees in effective communication, interpersonal relations, decision making and situational judgment with problem solving. In addition common work-based math skills are reinforced plus basic use of information and communication technology.

Call **ULSTER BOCES** at 845-331-5050  
for more information or to schedule on-the-site training for new and incumbent employees.

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