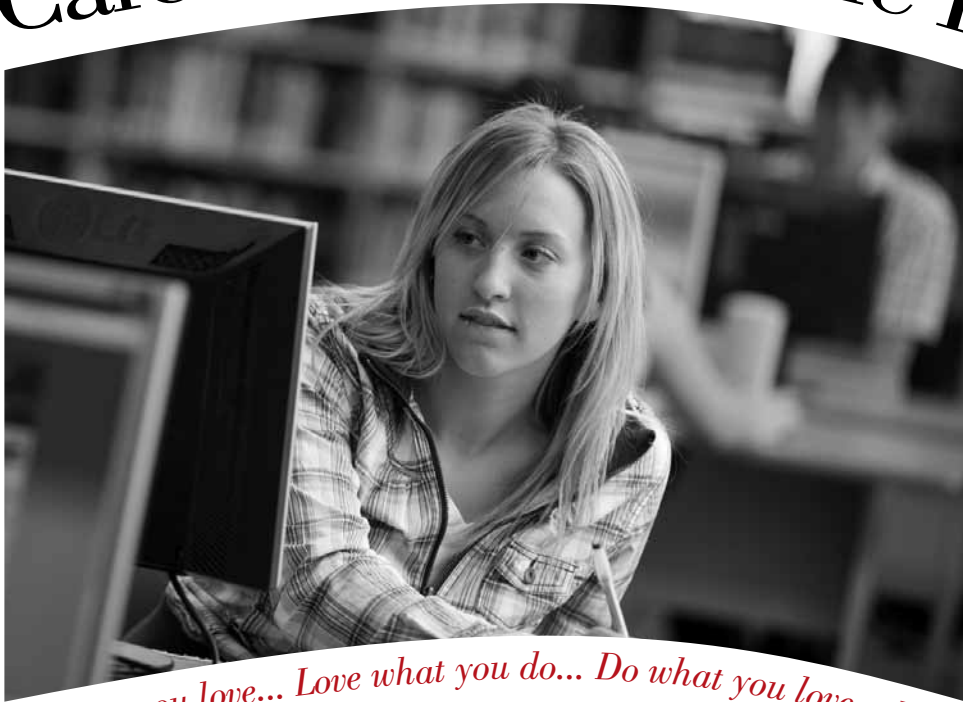


Career and Academic Preparation

Upgrading



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MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR FUTURE

- Ever think about completing high school?
- How about improving your high school marks?
- Have you got a career in mind that starts at college or university or requires a new skill set?

Regardless of what high school courses, or skills training or you want to attend as a full-time or a part-time student, Olds College can accommodate your learning goals with a wide range of courses. Olds College in partnership with Chinooks Edge School Division (CESD) is providing opportunity for adult students to remain in their home communities and complete their high school courses. Olds College Academic Upgrading will be present in the communities of Sylvan Lake, Red Deer, Innisfail, Didsbury and Olds at the CESD Career High Schools. Students will be registered as Olds College students and will receive support and assistance from staff from both Olds College and CESD.

What people say about us...

"I was very apprehensive about returning to school after more than 20 years in the workforce. But the instructors and support staff at Olds College offered the support and encouragement I needed to help me succeed and achieve my goals. It was a very memorable experience which allowed me to grow both mentally and socially."

➤ Lynne Monteith



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Program Description *Career Opportunities*

With our Career and Academic Preparation program, you can customize your education towards skill training programs, prepare for entrance into colleges and universities, or update your computer training to get a better job. This program is designed to meet your individual needs by improving your academic skills.

High School Program

High School courses are offered in a self pace environment with support from certified teachers. You will be placed into courses according to your needs, career goals and results of placement tests (if required).

Career and Academic Preparation allows adult learners the opportunity to upgrade academic high school courses from September to June. The goal of our program is to prepare learners for post-secondary opportunities.

Many of our learners eventually go into full-time certificate, diploma and degree programs once they have completed upgrading. This program offers Alberta high school curriculum courses which are accepted at all post-secondary institutions.



Admission Requirements

If you have been out of school for three or more years you must arrange testing through the Career and Academic Preparation office at (403) 556-8351. If you have attended school within the last three years, you must make an appointment with the program personnel to discuss your academic plans.

The program is designed to meet your individual needs. There is continuous intake for this program throughout the school year from September - June. You may participate on a full-time or part-time basis. You may apply for financial assistance to attend full-time through the Student Finance Board.

Upon completion of your program you will be able to enter post-secondary programs with the appropriate high school courses or you will be able to enter employment with a higher academic ability.

Career and Academic Preparation Courses

All required courses in English, Math, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, and Social Studies are available as well as many career and technology studies modules.

Student Funding

If you have any questions pertaining to funding availability please contact Jason Heistad at 403-556-8351.

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