



CLEARWATER ADULT EDUCATION CENTER

SEPTEMBER 2017



Countywide Graduation

September 28, 2017

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A Note from the Administrator:

As the Administrator of the Clearwater Adult Education Center, it is my privilege and honor to welcome you to our school. I have been in education for 30 years and served as the CAEC administrator for the past two years. I have worked as an administrator in Pinellas County Schools since 1994.

We truly believe in lifelong learning at Clearwater Adult Education Center and offer a wide variety of opportunities for adults to achieve their personal, academic, and professional goals. Our staff has the experience and expertise to help you improve your skills with our multi-levelled English as a Second Language program (ESOL), Adult Basic Education Program (GED), or adult high school diploma programs. We have regular high school credit classes that allow adults to complete the requirements for a regular high school diploma and we also provide co-enrolled classes for students still in high school who need to replace a missed credit.

If the Staff and/or Faculty at Clearwater Adult Education Center may be of assistance in helping you obtain your high school diploma, GED, or improving your English please contact us. Earning your high school diploma, GED, or bettering your English is just the beginning for your successful future. Classes are conveniently scheduled both during the day and in the evenings throughout the year.

We welcome you to be a part of our success and become a future CAEC graduate.

James M. Joyer

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CAEC Administrator



Vision: 100% Student Success

Mission: To Prepare Our Students for the Workforce

High School Credit/Apex FAQ

What is Apex?

Apex is a credit recovery program which allows students, whether currently in high school or adults without a diploma, to make up high school credits online. This can be accomplished in our lab on the Clearwater Adult Education Center campus or on a home computer with an internet connection. All testing must be completed in the school lab.

What is the admission and registration process?

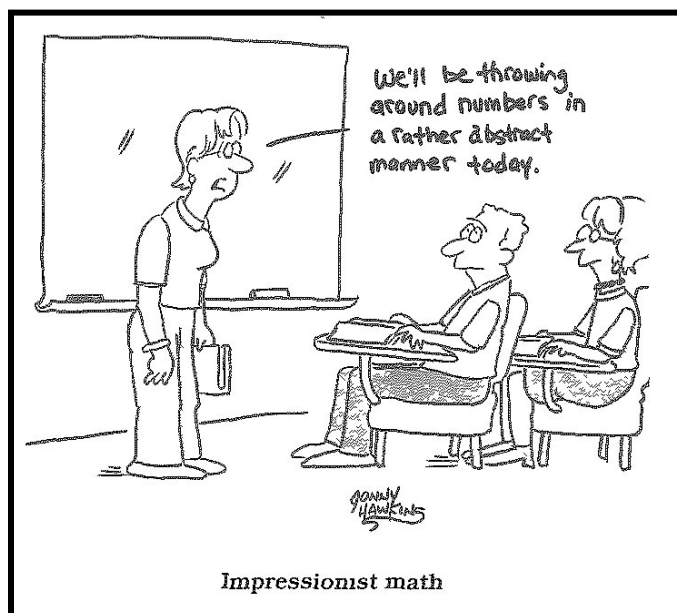
Current high school students wishing to enroll in Apex should speak to their guidance counselor who will issue them the necessary paperwork (PCS Form 2097). Students should then bring their PCS Form 2097 to the Clearwater Adult Education Center office where they will be enrolled in Alex and can begin classes. Tuition does not apply to co-enrolled high school students.

Adult students (not currently enrolled in a Pinellas County school) should come to the Clearwater Adult Education Center office with their transcripts if available.

Tuition fees apply.

Hours:

2:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M., Monday through Thursday



ABE/GED FAQ



Do I need to test first?

Yes, all students must test *before* enrolling in a class. Photo ID is required. TABE testing is offered every Monday through Thursday at 8:00 A.M. and again at 5:00 P.M.

Where are you located?

Arcturas Annex
1895 Gulf-to-Bay Blvd.
Clearwater, FL 33765
Phone: (727) 469-5817

When do classes meet?

ABE/GED classes are 8:00 A.M. till 8:30 P.M., Monday through Thursday, and 8:00 A.M. till 1:00 P.M on Fridays.

Is there a fee?

Yes, tuition is due at time of testing. The \$30.00 fee includes tuition for the current term. We accept cash, checks, and money orders.

Terms:

- Term 1 – August 10, 2017 – November 17, 2017
- Term 2 – November 27, 2017 – March 23, 2018
- Term 3 – April 2, 2018 – July 12, 2018

ABE/GED Out-of-Center Locations:



CAEC St. Petersburg College – Clearwater Campus

2465 Drew Street
Bldg. SS, Rm. 104
Clearwater, Florida 33765
(727) 423-1518

Hours:

8:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M., Monday - Thursday

Coachman Service Center

2235 NE Coachman Road
Clearwater, Florida 33765
(727) 669-1220, ext. 2035

Hours:

7:30 A.M. - 3:00 P.M., Monday - Friday

Martin Luther King Site

1310 North M.L.K. Ave.
Clearwater, FL 33755
(727) 492-0113

Hours:

9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M., Monday - Thursday
9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M., Friday

Ready for Life

Lighthouse Executive Center
2300 Tall Pines Drive, Suite 100
Largo, FL 33771
(727) 954-3989

Hours:

3:00 P.M - 6:00 P.M., Monday and Wednesday
Additional tutoring available Tuesday and Thursday ,
12:00 noon - 2:00 P.M

Kimberly Home Pregnancy Resource Center

1189 NE Cleveland Street
Clearwater, FL 33755
(727) 638-2129

Hours:

Monday, 3:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.
Wednesday, 4:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.
Thursday, 8:00 A.M. - 12:00 noon

Practice GED Questions

Language Arts:

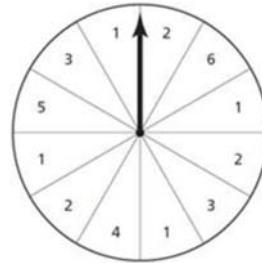
Read each group of four sentences. Choose the sentence that is written correctly.

- A. Do your children take turns sitting the table at your house?
- B. Do they forget to sit out the salad dressing and other condiments?
- C. Then do they always argue over who is going to set in each chair?
- D. At our house, each family member sits in a certain chair.

Math:

What is the probability of the spinner landing on a 1?

- A. 4
- B. $1/3$
- C. $1/2$
- D. 2



Science:

In which state of matter are the atoms closer together (more dense)?

- A. Solid
- B. Liquid
- C. Gas
- D. Plasma

Social Students:

The president of the Senate is:

- A. The oldest senator
- B. An elected senator
- C. The chief justice
- D. The vice president of the United States

ANSWERS:

Language Arts: D. At our house, each family member sits in a certain chair.

Math: B. $1/3$

Science: A. Solid

Social Studies: D. The vice president of the United States

Famous GED Graduates

David Bowie - Musician

Brandon Lee - Actor

Danica Patrick - Racecar Driver

Jamie Lynn Spears - Actress

Fran Lebowitz - Author

Lindsay Lohan - Actress

Jeremy Bonderman - Baseball Player

Greg Mathis - Judge

Christopher Blizzard - Developer Relations Lead for Facebook



CONGRATULATIONS GED GRADUATE!

You are invited to participate in the
COUNTYWIDE
GRADUATION

September 28, 2017

7:00 pm

Ruth Eckerd Hall

Clearwater, Florida

Register at following locations:

<p>Pinellas County School Administration Building Adult Education Office</p> <p><i>301 4th Street SW Largo, FL 33770 8am - 4pm Mon.-Fri.</i></p> <p>727-588-6321</p>	<p>Pinellas Technical College Clearwater Campus Building 17</p> <p><i>6100 154th Avenue Clearwater, FL 33760 8am - 3:30pm Mon.-Fri.</i></p> <p>727-538-7167 ext.2038</p>	<p>Pinellas Technical College St. Petersburg Campus Room G5</p> <p><i>901 34th Street. S. St. Petersburg, FL 33711 8am - 3:30pm Mon.-Fri.</i></p> <p>727-893-2500 ext.2609</p>
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Pre-registration required, space limited!!!
You must bring picture ID and \$15 cash or check.

(See your teacher for procedures if paying by check)



Got Questions??? Call 727-588-6321