



Adult training & career resources

Programs, organizations & support—all in your area

Curtis COV Training Scholarship

COV Training Scholarships assist Vermonters who are interested in short-term training programs that lead to a certificate or industry recognized credential. Scholarships range from \$50–\$1,500 and can be combined with other financial aid to help pay for tuition and fees. Please contact your local adult EOC counselor for details about eligibility and potential programs.

Local Community College of Vermont academic center

- Academic advising
- Financial aid
- Registration information
- tutor.com (24/7 free online tutoring)

Brattleboro: 802-254-6370 <https://ccv.edu/location/ccv-brattleboro>

Local Department of Labor career resource centers

- Resource room with personal support
- Computers and free Internet
- Information on employers
- Specific resources for veterans

Brattleboro: 802-254-4555; 28 Vernon Street, Suite 212

Springfield: 802-289-0999; 56 Main Street, Suite 101

<https://labor.vermont.gov/workforce-development/find-your-local-career-resource-center>

Local HireAbility VT centers

Free, flexible services to any Vermonter dealing with a disability that affects employment.

Brattleboro: 802-251-2140; 28 Vernon Street, Suite 400

Springfield: 802-289-0567; 100 Mineral Street, Suite 308

<https://www.hireabilityvt.com>

Local career technical centers

- Adult education
- Daytime courses
- Online courses
- Career training, and more

River Valley Technical Center Springfield <https://www.rvtc.org>

Windham Regional Career Center Brattleboro <https://www.wrccvt.com>

Champlain Online <https://online.champlain.edu>

Additional resources

- **Jump on Board for Success** (JOBS) program of HCRS supports emotionally challenged youth who have dropped out of school or are at risk of dropping out <https://www.hcrs.org>
- <https://resourcevt.org/training-programs/> to enable adult and youth who have barriers to employment to develop job skills and prepare for a successful work life
- vsac.org/adultlearners for info on college and training, financial aid, and career exploration
- www.vtadultlearning.org for basic skills education, high school completion, GED prep and testing, work readiness, and college transitions; services in Rutland, Windsor, and Windham counties
- www.vermont211.org for everyday needs—housing, legal help, alcohol/drug problems, crisis services, help with utilities, education support services, and more
- www.ed2go.com for online learning in skill building and career areas. Over 3000 courses with instructor-led or self-paced options. Some industry recognized certifications available.
- <https://northeastdrivertraining.com> to learn the skills you need to become a truck operator. TheNortheast Driver Training provides commercial driver's license (CDL) training for class A and B vehicles.
- www.sevca.org (Southeastern Vermont Community Action) for workshops in small business, money management, and work readiness — all free of charge!

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VSAC's EOC program can help you!

VSAC's federally funded adult program, Education Opportunity Center (EOC), is a state-wide program that provides assistance with career decision-making, educational choice, and financial aid to help adults successfully enroll in postsecondary education to begin working toward their education and career goals. As a federal TRIO program, we promote education and training to end the cycle of poverty.

VSAC's EOC Program provides:

- **guidance** linking career choices with education
- **navigation** on education opportunities for first-time and transfer students
- **information** about financial aid resources
- **assistance** with admissions and financial aid applications

Think you're too busy to go back to school?

The VSAC EOC Program can help you with options that work for you, your family, and your job:

- part-time study, including day, evening, and weekend classes
- online classes
- college credit for prior learning and life experience
- short-term trainings that lead to certificates or credentials

Financial aid is available for eligible adult students:

- state and federal grants for both full-time and part-time study
- advancement grants for short-term education/training or college "tryout" courses to encourage further study
- scholarships
- partner program resources, such as WIOA and VocRehab
- interest-free (possibly forgivable) loans for short-term training

Suzie Wagner is your local VSAC **counselor**. To make an appointment: call toll-free **877-961-4369** or email wagner@vsac.org.

TDD for the hearing impaired: **800-281-3341**

EOC locations for appointments & workshops



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