Financial Education and Career Boost Programs

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Topics presented:

Free Financial Education Classes

Making Ends Meet

Budgeting and Saving

Hands-on Banking Learn to make informed decisions about competing financial priorities and how to address financial short falls using crisis management tools.

Learn money management skills to achieve short-term household stability and take steps towards creating long-term financial security.

An overview of banking services and 09/14/23 how to use them successfully and 6pm-8pm responsibly.

Building, Repairing and Protecting Credit Explore the fundamental components of building, repairing and protecting your credit.

10/19/23 6pm-8pm

07/20/23

6pm-8pm

08/17/23

6pm-8pm

Retirement 101

Learn how to assess different types of retirement accounts, and create a plan for retirement based on your needs.

11/16/23 6pm-8pm



Free Financial Education

2 series of 5 classes provided yearly:

- February June
- July November

Classes presented on Zoom

Interpretation in Spanish is provided



Classes presented by: Innovative Solutions NE

Free Financial Education

Classes open to all; priority is given to Washington County residents

Next class is November 16th

Next Series begins in February 2024



Free Financial Education Participants this year: 94

Participants who attended 2+ classes: 40

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CAREER BOOST for SNAP recipients:



Career Boost provides coaching services for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) customers.



These include Employment and Training (E&T) Services that provide opportunities to gain skills, training or work experience that will improve their job-readiness and increase their ability to obtain living-wage employment in desired career path.



Career Boost services follow the rules of the Oregon Department of Human Services (ODHS) and are supported through Federal US Department of Agriculture funding.

CAREER BOOST

Training & Employment opportunities:

- Health Care
- Manufacturing
- Truck Driving/Waste Hauling
- Construction & Trades
- Work Experience
- GED resources

CAREER BOOST

Career Coaching:

- One on One coaching
- Resumes
- Interviewing
- Training scholarships
- Employment search
- Support & Encouragement
- Resource navigation

CAREER BOOST

Eligibility:

- SNAP recipient
- No TANF
- Registered with WorkSource
- Info Sessions monthly

Partners:

- WorkSource Portland-Metro
- **PCC**
- WorkSystems Inc.



"Oregon seeks to jump-start semiconductor workforce with intensive, two-week program" --OregonLive

Contact:

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QUESTIONS?



Child Care Resource & Referral of Washington County

A Program of Community Action







Who We Are

CCR&R helps build the supply of high-quality, developmentally appropriate, culturally and linguistically responsive child care in Washington County

We recruit and support with retention of early learning and care professionals and business owners in Washington County

CCR&R Services

CCR&R staff provide FREE individualized support. They will create a plan to help you achieve your early childhood career goals.

Most required introductory trainings are free and available online. Scholarships are available.

Child care programs in Washington County are hiring. We will help connect you to job openings.

Eligibility



Pass a background check Live in Washington County*

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Have an interest in working with young children

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How We Can Help

If you are interested in...

- Becoming an early childhood educator
- Working as an aide, assistant teacher or teacher
- Opening your own child care business
- We have staff that speak Spanish, Arabic and Somali with interpretation services for other languages as needed

Contact CCR&R!

- 971.223.6100
- <u>ccrr@caowash.org</u>
- <u>Appointment Form</u>

CCR&R is here for YOU



Make a difference in the lives of young children. Start a career in the early learning and care field!

Contact us today:

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<u>Website</u>