

GREEN RIVER COLLEGE

CONTINUING EDUCATION SCHEDULE

SUMMER 2026

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A LIFETIME

Classes for skill enrichment
and personal interests.



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EXPAND YOUR BUSINESS

GREEN RIVER COLLEGE SMALL BUSINESS CENTER



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The Green River College Small Business Center (SBC) helps any business, at any stage, in any industry, reach the next level of success.

We provide one-on-one business advising at no cost for business owners as well as low-cost small business classes to the community. We also provide no-cost government contracting assistance to business owners.

Schedule a no-cost appointment with one of our business or government contracting advisors today!

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Stay Relevant with Continuing Education!

Continuing Education non-credit courses are for professional Continuing Education, job training and personal enrichment. These are self-supporting courses, not supported by tax funds. Classes are held at a variety of locations. Continuing Education Units (CEUs) are available for most classes. Every effort was made to print an accurate schedule. We encourage you to visit our website for the most current information. Greenriver.edu/ce.

EASY WAYS TO REGISTER

 **REGISTER AND PAY ONLINE**
greenriver.edu/ce

 **PHONE**
 Auburn Campus 253-333-6030
 Auburn Center 253-288-3455
 Kent Campus 253-520-6290
 Enumclaw Campus 253-288-3400

 **LOCATIONS**
 Email ce@greenriver.edu, or call to register and pay in person at:

GREEN RIVER LOCATIONS

Main Auburn Campus
 Continuing Education | WT Building
 12401 SE 320th Street
 Auburn, WA 98092

Auburn Center
 1221 D Street NE
 Auburn, WA 98002

Kent Campus
 417 Ramsay Way, Suite 112
 Kent, WA 98032


Enumclaw Campus
 1414 Griffith Avenue
 Enumclaw, WA 98022

Use your Visa, MasterCard, AmEx or Discover card for phone, online, and in-person registration.

HOURS

Main Auburn Campus:	Monday–Thursday Friday	8:00AM–5:00PM Closed
Auburn Center:	Monday–Thursday Friday	7:00AM–5:00PM Closed
Kent Campus:	Monday–Thursday Friday	7:30AM–9:00PM Closed
Enumclaw Campus:	Monday–Thursday Friday	8:00AM–5:00PM Closed

Payment is due upon registration. If you withdraw less than three business days before your first class, do not attend, or stop attending, you will not receive a refund. A full refund is given if the college cancels a class. Questions? Contact us at 253-333-6030.

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CLASS TYPE DEFINITION

As you view the class schedule, you'll see classes are designated in one of three ways: virtual, hybrid/virtual, or online. The following definitions explain the how each type of course will be delivered:

- **VIRTUAL:** Class will meet online at the time listed in the class schedule. For example, if your class begins at 9 a.m. in the class schedule, then it will begin at 9 a.m. on Zoom. You will be attending the class at the same time as your classmates, just as you would on campus.
- **HYBRID/VIRTUAL:** Part of the class will be held online without a set time to attend. The other part will occur at the time listed in a virtual format (e.g. Zoom).
- **ONLINE:** The entire class will be held online without a set time to attend. The class will still have assignment deadlines and due dates.

Professional Development

HUMAN RESOURCES

This program will start again in the Fall.
Contact us for information.



Program Overview

Human Resource Leaders transform the workplace. As an HR Generalist you will be in a position to affect the organization you work for.

Benefits:

- Increased career opportunities. Earn valuable industry-recognized certifications that open doors to new jobs and promotions.
- Enhanced knowledge and skills. Gain in-depth understanding of critical HR concepts, preparing you for real-world challenges.
- Confidence and competitiveness. Stand out from the crowd with demonstrable expertise and qualifications.
- Professional development, good for stacking industry credentials.
- Demonstrate your commitment to excellence by getting a certification.

Who Should Attend:

- HR professionals seeking to expand skillset and advance their careers.
- Job seekers looking for a career path into an organization.
- Individuals who perform basic HR tasks within an organization.

Employment Outlook:

From the US Bureau of Labor and Statistics:

To view the current outlook at the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics go to: <https://www.bls.gov>

Visit greenriver.edu/ceCertificates for course details.

LEADERSHIP AND SUPERVISION

This program will start again in the Fall.
Contact us for information.



Program Overview

Our Leadership and Supervision Certificate prepares you to take on management tasks within an organization. It will help you improve your communication and interpersonal skills.

Benefits:

- Increased career opportunities. Earn valuable industry-recognized certifications that open doors to new jobs and promotions.
- Enhanced knowledge and skills. Gain communication skills and learn how to supervision and lead.
- Confidence and competitiveness. Stand out from the crowd with demonstrable expertise and qualifications.
- Professional development, good for stacking industry credentials
- Demonstrate your commitment to excellence by getting a certification.

Who Should Attend:

- Professionals seeking to develop their leadership skills.
- Job seekers looking for a career path into an organization.
- Individual contributors who seek to move into a management or supervisory job.
- People in organizations who need additional skills to work across teams.

Employment Outlook:

From the US Bureau of Labor and Statistics:

To view the current outlook at the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics go to: <https://www.bls.gov>

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PROJECT MANAGEMENT

4 Class Series

Project Management Certificate Part B



Take the Project Management Certificate Part B (4 Class Series) at a discounted rate. Series includes the final four required courses in the Certificate Program: Project Stakeholder and Communication Management, Agile Project Management, Microsoft Project 2019 and the Project Management Certificate Capstone. Fee: \$1279

Item: 14362 Daniel Yeomans, Mikel Anne Aldrich Zoom
Sessions: 26 M, W Jun 29 – Sep 23 6 – 9PM

Project Stakeholder and Communications Management

Effective communication is the glue that holds the project together, and managing stakeholders is arguably the greatest challenge a project manager faces. Learn your individual communications style and how it compares to others. Explore your own Emotional Intelligence. Discover how to effectively build, develop and manage a team. You'll also learn how to manage up and successfully influence difficult stakeholders. Price includes an iSpeak questionnaire and manual. See website for required and recommended textbooks. PDU's: 15. Fee: \$379

Item: 14643 Daniel Yeomans Zoom
Sessions: 5 M, W Jun 29 – Jul 13 6 – 9PM

Agile Project Management: Scrum and Kanban

Many companies use a combination of both traditional and Agile pm methods to implement requirements. This course features Agile methodology, highlighting Scrum and Kanban. Learn the Agile process, explore roles and responsibilities of the product owner, Scrum Master and team, develop product and sprint backlogs, and build fun products using the methodology. Our goal is to prepare you to enter an Agile environment and succeed. Prerequisite: Project Management Basics: Initiating the Project or knowledge of Agile Project Management. PDU's: 15 Fee: \$379

Item: 14644 Daniel Yeomans Zoom
Sessions: 5 M, W Jul 15 – Jul 29 6 – 9PM

Coming This Fall



***NEW* Agile and Scrum Essentials**



Master Agile and Scrum through hands-on learning. Gain practical skills in scrum roles, sprint execution, and estimation through simulations and real-world activities. Includes certification-style assessments to accelerate your path to industry credentials.

- 21 hours of instruction
- CEU/PDU hours
- Presented live online by 2 industry experts

Dan Yeomans, PMP® brings more than thirty-five years of consulting and leadership experience to his client work. He is a highly proficient and an acknowledged expert as a senior project manager, process manager, business analyst and trainer. Dan has designed and implemented the majority of project management certification and application courses currently offered at Microsoft and has also developed their PM Certification Learning Module series.

Puja Gupta, MBA, CSM® I have over 15 years of experience leading Agile programs at T-Mobile MedAssets and Dell Healthcare, working on large-scale transformations across digital platforms. I've worked hands-on with Scrum teams, managing backlogs, sprint planning, and driving delivery in complex environments. In this course, I'll focus on making Agile practical and real for you through hands-on exercises, real-world examples, and certification-focused preparation. My goal is to help you not just learn Agile, but confidently apply it and succeed in your certifications.

Visit greenriver.edu/ceCertificates for course details.

Microsoft Project 2019

Microsoft Project should be one of the most frequently used tools in your project management toolbox. Learn the basics of Project; create a project from scratch; work with task types, scheduling options and constraints; set-up resources, resolve resource conflicts and pool them for sharing; manage the schedule consistent with the critical path and project baseline; consolidate projects; print project dashboards, views and reports and much more. See website for prerequisite and textbook information. PDUs: 15 Fee: \$399

Item: 14645 **Mikel Anne Aldrich** **Zoom**
Sessions: 5 M, Tu, W Aug 4 – 17 6 – 9PM

Instructor Bio

Mikel Anne Aldrich

Mikel Anne Aldrich has over 30 years of experience in training, facilitation, and instructional design. Mikel Anne has worked in the telecommunications and banking industries, as well as at multiple colleges. She facilitates MS Project and other MS Office applications.

Mikel Anne has taught at several local community colleges. She currently is an instructor at Green River College Continuing Education.

Project Management Certificate Capstone

This advanced Capstone course guides students through the development of a comprehensive Hybrid project plan, integrating both predictive (Waterfall) and adaptive (Agile) methodologies. Learners create a full end-to-end Waterfall schedule, craft Agile User Stories and a Sprint Backlog, and present their integrated plan using a proven Kickoff Meeting framework. The course introduces practical applications of Microsoft Project for both Waterfall and Agile workflows, explores Generative AI tools for project research, and culminates in the creation of a business case to justify a real-world project initiative. PDUs: 15

Item: 18710 **Dan Yeomans** **Zoom**
Sessions: 5 M, W Aug 24 – Sep 14 6 – 9PM

*No class on 9/2 or 9/7

Why Attend Green River Continuing Education:

Green River CE is able to offer quality classes at an economical cost as part of the state educational system.

Some programs are grant funded to make them accessible to all income levels.

In our professional programs instructors are industry professionals with current industry experience.

Programs are not burdened with extra classes and electives like a full degree or other programs.

Coming This Fall

Paralegal Certificate



Your paralegal career starts here with building the knowledge and skills needed to succeed in the field. You will learn to conduct legal research, prepare legal documents, interview witnesses, investigate facts and assist in trial preparation. This comprehensive introduction to the legal system includes real-world examples, practical applications, ethical dilemmas and hands-on assignments - all relevant to Washington State.

- 90 hours of instruction
- Revised program and a new schedule!

Meet Your Instructor:

Brenda Cothary graduated from the University of Idaho with a degree in Political Science and Criminal Justice. She has a paralegal certificate from Highline Community College and in 2015, she graduated from Champlain College with an M.S. in Law. Ms. Cothary has been a member of the Washington State Paralegal Association (WSPA) since 2001. She has served WSPA as Regulation Coordinator, CLE Coordinator, Chapter Director, Vice President, President, NFPA Secondary and NFPA Primary. She has also served NFPA as its Education Coordinator, Legislative Committee Co-Coordinator, and Case Law Coordinator.

Visit [greenriver.edu/ce/Certificates](https://www.greenriver.edu/ce/Certificates) for course details.

Stay tuned. New programs in nonprofit leadership, collaborative leading for the family, and more are on the horizon.

REAL ESTATE

Real Estate Licensing Series

In this online, self-paced, non-credit class, you will be able to meet the Real Estate requirements as outline by the Washington State Department of Licensing. This 90-hour package combines Washington Fundamentals, Real Estate Practices, and the Broker's Cram to provide you with the best pre-license education available. You must complete both Fundamentals and Practices before taking the Washington real estate license exam. Please see our website for more details and to register. Fee: \$659

Item: 16152 Open Enrollment

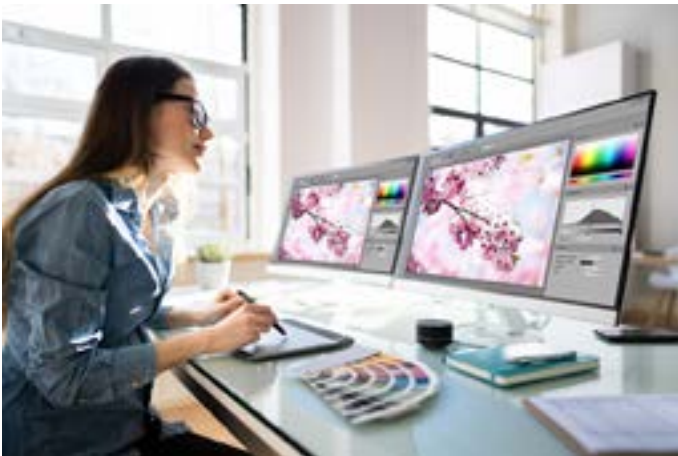
Technology

AI/NOW

AI is no longer a distant possibility, it's shaping the way we work, think, and engage today. AI / NOW is a quarterly seminar series designed to help professionals, entrepreneurs, and teams keep pace with the present real-world impacts of Artificial Intelligence. The series blends foundational knowledge with job-specific applications, offering topics such as: prompt engineering, language models, project management applications, design tools, and more. Fee: \$25

View course details at greenriver.edu/ce.

WEB AND GRAPHIC DESIGN



Canva for Beginners

Learn the ins and outs of this design platform for creating graphics for social media, blogs, websites, and other visual content such as presentations and even book publishing. We will also cover built-in video creation and AI tools. Utilize this platform effectively for both personal and professional content needs. No graphic design background required. This is a hands-on class. Tools Needed: Students need a paid Canva Pro account. Fee: \$125

Item: 16457 Michele Sweeney Zoom
Sessions: 4 W Jul 8 – Jul 29 6:30 – 8:30PM

Editing 101: CapCut Crash Course

CapCut is powerful, and surprisingly easy once you know what buttons to press. In this hands-on workshop, you'll learn how to edit a short-form video from start to finish, cut clips, add music, captions, transitions, effects, and export for any platform. Fee: \$70

Item: 16459 Michele Sweeney Zoom
Sessions: 2 W Aug 5 – 12 7 – 8:30PM

YouTube Jumpstart: Set Up & Upload Like a Pro

Want to start YouTube but don't know where to begin? This one is for you. Learn how to create a channel, write killer titles, upload your first video, and design eye-catching thumbnails in Canva. We'll also peek into YouTube Studio and cover basic analytics. Fee: \$70

Item: 16458 Michele Sweeney
Sessions: 2 W Aug 19 – 26 7 – 8:30PM

Instructor Bio

Michelle Sweeney

Michele holds an AAS in Design and multiple certifications in User-Centered Design, merging her creative and technical skills across various industries, including consulting, marketing, and product development. Her diverse expertise has made her a versatile professional, able to adapt her talents while maintaining a strong passion for culinary arts.

We have partnered with **UGotClass** to offer the following online courses. Please refer to our website for more information.

Classes start June 1st

Bookkeeping Certificate | \$495

Certificate in Accounting and Finance for Non-Financial Managers | \$495

Coding Certificate | \$595

Digital Marketing Certificate | \$495

Management Certificate | \$595

Web Design Certificate | \$595

Non-Profit Administration Certificate | \$595

Spanish for Medical Professionals | \$290

Workplace Communication Certificate | \$595

Certificate in QuickBooks Online | \$375

AI Certificate | \$495

Six Sigma Green Belt Certificate | \$495

ed2go Fundamentals

Gain skills for professional and personal development



INSTRUCTOR-LED COURSES

Courses are fun, convenient and highly interactive. They include lessons, quizzes, hands-on assignments and more.

Courses may be completed 24/7 from any location with internet access.

Program Features:

- Expert instruction
- Online discussions
- 6-week format
- Start monthly
- Non-credit

Accounting Fundamentals Personal Finance

Gain hands-on experience with handling accounts receivable, accounts payable, payroll procedures, sales taxes and more. This course will give you a solid foundation in financial matters.

Administrative Assistant Fundamentals

This course will help you master essential job responsibilities, implement solutions, and increase productivity.

Certificate in Nutrition, Chronic Disease and Health Promotion

Learn about the impact of foodborne diseases, genetically engineered food, malnutrition and chronic diseases.

Administrative Assistant Applications

Gain the skills and knowledge you'll need to prepare for the Certified Administrative Professional exam, and begin a rewarding career as an administrative assistant.

Get Assertive!

Learn specific techniques to become more assertive in all types of situations, with all types of people, and in all aspects of your life.

Set clear financial goals, make the right investments, increase financial security, and be prepared to retire someday. This course will help you gain control over the financial impact of your choices with tools that are useful, realistic, and easy to work into your regular routine.

Become a Veterinary Assistant

Learn about pet nutrition, health and safety and how to treat and prevent parasites. Explore current thoughts on spaying and neutering and issues of euthanasia and pet loss.

Introduction to Interior Design

Get the know-how to design a room floor to ceiling using the principles of good design.

Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

In this course you will gain a foundational knowledge of the science behind creating computer systems that can perform tasks requiring human intelligence.

ed2go Advanced Career Training

Prepare for a new career, certification or advancement



SELF-PACED COURSES

Prepare for employment in some of today's hottest careers with a comprehensive, affordable Career Training Program.

Courses may be completed 24/7 from any location with internet access.

Program Features:

- Instructor mentor access
- Materials and books included
- 6-12 months to complete
- Start anytime
- Non-credit

Business Operations Specialist

Learn the fundamentals of business management and operational planning with a veteran supply chain manager

Career Counselor and Life Coach

Learn all aspects of career counseling and life coaching, from working with clients to establishing a business. Learn career development stages, planning fundamentals, and how to work with diverse audiences. Gain the industry-recognized skills needed to establish a successful coaching business as a career counselor and certified life coach.

Certificate in Family Mediation

Experience comprehensive training in the InAccord model of mediation with a special focus on a wide range of family disputes.

Front-End Web Developer

Learn the core skills needed to build websites. In this online web development course you will learn how to use HTML, CSS and JavaScript.

Full Stack Software Developer

Become an industry-ready software developer by learning different coding languages and intuitive

technologies to create web applications that allow people to achieve specific tasks on a computer or another device.

Information Security Training

This online cybersecurity training course will prepare you for three globally recognized certifications. This course offers enrollment with or without vouchers. Proctor fees may apply, which are not included.

Salesforce: Power User

Salesforce is the most popular CRM in the world. Having a strong knowledge base in Salesforce not only enhances your marketability but gives you skills to be more efficient in day to day use.

Medical Billing and Coding (Voucher Included)

Train for an in-demand healthcare career in medical billing and coding. This course will help you prepare for industry certification.

Procurement and Purchasing Management

Learn the basics of the supply chain process, purchasing, and contracting issues to provide you with the skills needed for a successful career.

To view the entire catalog or to register, visit:

greenriver.edu/ce-ed2go

To view the entire catalog or to register, visit:

greenriver.edu/ce-careertraining

Personal Interest

CREATIVE ARTS AND CRAFTS



Art of Photography

Learn the art of photographic composition. Train your eye to find the beauty around you and capture it in a compelling artistic way. Class will cover portrait, macro, and landscape styles with weekly photo assignments and detailed critiques. Fee: \$169

Item: 16151 **Roger Young** **Enumclaw** **ENM-15**
 Sessions: 6 Tu Jul 7 – Aug 11 6:30 – 9:00PM

Instructor Bio

Roger Young

Roger Young took up photography as a hobby in 1975, sold his first photo in 1977, and shot his first wedding in 1983. He has taken photography courses at Montana State University the University of Great Falls and Green River Community College.

Roger specializes in portrait, wedding, real estate, hobby, landscape, and nature photography and has won several awards in Photography including at the Washington State Fair. Roger also had a private show at the Enumclaw City Hall in 2012.

He has judged several photography contests including the 2013 Washington State Fair (International Photographers Exhibit), and the 2013 Puyallup Spring Fair. Roger is also the Technical Director of the Rainier Hills Photography club in Buckley/Bonney Lake, WA.

Paint and Sip

This class is open to beginners and all levels of artists looking to unwind, socialize and reconnect with their creativity. Gather your friends, co-workers, plan a date night or join solo to enjoy a social paint and sip evening! Participants will follow guided step by step instructions to create a beginning seasonal landscape painting. Previous art skills are not required to learn, have fun, and take home your new artistic creation! Take in stunning views of the beach, marine life, and Olympic Mountains while you create your masterpiece. Wine and all supplies are included. Must be 21+ with valid ID.

Item: 16672 **Amanda Hood-Sweeney** **MaST Aquarium**
 Sessions: 1 Th Jul 16 5:30 – 7:30PM
 Individual Rate: \$99

Item: 16675 **Amanda Hood-Sweeney** **MaST Aquarium**
 Sessions: 1 Th Jul 16 5:30 – 7:30PM
 Rate for pairs: \$149

DANCE AND FITNESS



Zumba Fitness

Join Ana Morales, Zumba Instructor extraordinaire for a fun and energetic class where you will dance, sweat, and most of all, have a great time! Whether you've never set foot in a dance class, or you are a seasoned dancer, you'll find moves that work for you because this class is open to all fitness levels. Get ready for an exciting workout filled with great music, high-energy vibes, and a supportive atmosphere. Come move your body, burn calories, and enjoy the rhythm, everyone is welcome!

Fee: \$99

Item: 16676 **Ana Morales** **Highline Col. Bldg 27, Rm 106**
 Sessions: 6 Th Jul 9 – Aug 13 6:30 – 7:30PM

GRC RESOURCES

Community Computer Access Card to Holman Library

Gain access and check-out privileges to the Holman Library's Information Commons for one quarter. Access includes use of library computers, including Internet privileges. An introductory information session can be provided by the library staff upon request. Fee: \$60

Item: 16155 Open Enrollment

HOME, GARDEN AND OUTDOORS



From Plan to Plate: Cold Weather Comforts—Fall Garden Beds for Cozy Cooking

In this online class design a productive fall garden bed for cool season cooking. You'll learn what to plant and when, using three themed garden plans that make it easy to grow what you cook. We'll cover timing, frost protection, and how to rotate crops for better results. You'll focus on fall-friendly vegetables that grow well in Seattle's cooler weather and lower light. You'll also get simple recipes that match each theme, so you can plan meals around what's in your garden. No experience needed, just an interest in food and a plan to grow it. Fee: \$70

Item: 16703 Michele Sweeney Zoom
Sessions: 1 Su Aug 23 2–5PM

Instructor Bio

Michelle Sweeney

As the founder of Epicurean Delights, Michele has built a thriving community of food lovers and culinary enthusiasts. She also successfully ran a specialty bakery and retail supply shop, further cementing her influence in the specialty food industry. Her expertise extends to product development, where she has contributed to the growth of innovative culinary tools and products. Michele's dedication to teaching and her hands-on approach have made her a sought-after instructor, helping students and professionals alike master both culinary techniques and marketing strategies for the food industry. Her passion for sharing knowledge is evident in every class she teaches.

Easy, Healthy Cooking

Learn quick, affordable ways to eat healthy. Learn the basics of nutrition. Learn Do you want to improve how you eat but don't have a lot of time to meal prep? Then Healthy, Easy Cooking is for you! In this hands-on course, you will learn how to make easy and affordable meals that are both delicious and nutritious! You'll receive tips and tricks that will enable you to understand the basics of nutrition while providing affordable ways to prepare them. Recipes can be modified to cater to different dietary needs. Please note, there is an additional required \$25 fee (for food), that will be paid in cash directly to the instructor on the first day of class. Fee: \$99

Item: 16696 Lisa Berhagen Highline Coll Bldg 23, Rm 115
Sessions: 4 M Jun 29 – Jul 20 5–7PM



Dry Fly Strategies for Trout

The most exciting moment in Fly fishing is when a Trout rises to the surface to take a well presented Dry Fly. We will cover upstream, cross stream and downstream dry fly presentations in this hands-on waterside workshop. You will practice the techniques while fishing for wild Rainbow and Cutthroat trout. Class will be held on the Snoqualmie River. Directions and additional information will be sent after registration. Fee: \$59

Item: 16036 John Fiskum Snoqualmie River
Sessions: 1 Tu Jul 14 6:00 – 9:00PM

European Nymph Fishing

This method of angling incorporating elements of the Czech, Polish, Spanish & French fishing systems that has dominated the world of competitive fly fishing for years and is just now catching on with recreational anglers. In the classroom session, you will learn about the specialized equipment, leaders and flies for this method. I will demonstrate how to create your own "Euro" Nymphing Leader. After the classroom session, there will be an outing to the Cedar River for hands on instruction and fishing. Fee: \$119

Item: 16024 John Fiskum
Sessions: 1 W Jul 1 6:30 – 8:30PM Cedar Hall CH-208
Sessions: 1 Sa Jul 11 7 – 11AM Cedar River

Fly Fishing on Puget Sound Beaches

Sea-run cutthroat, resident Coho and Chinook, and seasonal migrating salmon can all be taken on flies from beaches all over Puget Sound. We'll discuss tackle, equipment, lines and productive fly patterns. You will learn about tides, points of access and where and when to fish. Class includes written resources. After the classroom session, there will be an optional outing to a local beach for hands-on instruction and fishing. Sign up for the classroom session only, or both. Rent rod, reel, and line from instructor for \$10.

Item: 16044	John Fiskum	Enumclaw	ENM-15
Sessions: 2 W	Jun 24	6:30 – 8:30PM	
Sessions: 1 Sa	Jun 27	7 – 11AM	Arranged
Fee: \$119			

Item: 16070	John Fiskum	Enumclaw	ENM-15
Sessions: 1 W	Jun 24	6:30 – 8:30PM	
Fee: \$59			



Fly Fishing Secret Creeks

If you like to get away from the crowded rivers and explore much lesser fished water, these fisheries are for you. In the classroom session we will discuss where to find these streams, when to fish them, and cover strategies for success. Class will include a resource guide. After the classroom session there will be an outing to experience these fisheries. Fee: \$159

Item: 16017	John Fiskum		
Sessions: 1 W	Jun 10	6:30 – 8:30pm	Cedar Hall, CH 208
Sessions: 1 Sa	Jun 20	8AM – 2pm	Arranged

Introduction to Fly Casting

Fly casting is the foundational skill to becoming a successful fly fisher. In this 2 session, hands-on course, you will get all the fundamentals needed to become a good caster. This class is designed for new casters or those with just a little experience. Class includes use of rods, reels and lines. Held at lake Meridian Park in Kent. Fee: \$79

Item: 16051	John Fiskum	Lake Meridian
Sessions: 1 Tu	Jul 7	6 – 8PM
Sessions: 1 W	Jul 8	6 – 8PM

Summer Steelhead Strategies

You don't have to stand in icy cold water freezing to death to catch the Northwest's premier sport fish. Summer Steelhead opportunities are alive and well both locally and regionally. During the lecture, you will learn about tackle and equipment, essential lures and baits, and where to go for success. Lecture also includes a resource guide loaded with information about summer steelhead and fishing opportunities. Students who sign up for the bundle will attend an outing to a local river for hands-on instruction and fishing. Rod, reel, and line set-ups can be rented from the Instructor for \$10.

Item: 16341	John Fiskum		
Sessions: 1 W	Aug 12	6:30 – 8:30pm	Cedar Hall CH 208
Sessions: 1 Sa	Aug 15	6 – 10am	
Fee: \$119			

Item: 17885	John Fiskum	Lecture only	
Sessions: 1 W	Aug 12	6:30 – 8:30pm	Cedar Hall CH 208
Fee: \$59			

Instructor Bio

John Fiskum

John takes great pleasure in introducing anglers to new techniques, skills, and destinations. He has spent the last 20 years sharing his passion for fly fishing with students both in the classroom and on the water. Through his company "Fiskum Fly Fishing Enterprises" he guides, instructs, and ties custom flies. He has escorted angling adventure tours to Alaska, British Columbia, Mexico, the Rockies, and around the Pacific Northwest.

LANGUAGE AND CULTURE



Beginner Italian 2

Designed for those who have completed Beginner Italian I or have a solid grasp of basic Italian, this class focuses on improving pronunciation, expanding vocabulary, and building conversational fluency for both personal and professional use. Fee: \$165

Item:16678 **Barbara Pau** **Online** **Zoom**
 Sessions: 6 S Jul 11 – Aug 15 9:30 – 11AM

Instructor Bio

Barbara Pau

Born and raised in Milan, Italy, Barbara is a dedicated teacher and musician that recently moved to Seattle. Her grandmother was a piano teacher, and she grew up been surrounded by music and musicians. She attended the Conservatory of Milan graduating in Music Theory and Complementary Piano. Deeply passionate about places and cultures, and about how humans and territory interrelate, Barbara spent many years traveling and learning about humanities, social studies, cultural studies, music as a mean of communication and expression. In her spare time, she reads a lot of books, watches a lot of documentaries and hikes in the wonderful nature of the PNW. As a musician, she has performed and recorded with several artists both in Europe and the US. She works as a professional teacher and musician, mostly teaching music, Italian language, Italian history and culture. In addition to teaching, Barbara is currently completing a BA in Human Sciences of the Environment and Territory.

Italian Conversation Series

This course is designed for intermediate to advanced learners who have a strong desire to strengthen their spoken Italian in an engaging, interactive environment. Each class focuses on a different cultural or contemporary topic. Sessions begin with a brief presentation in Italian to introduce key ideas and vocabulary, followed by a guided discussion where participants practice expressing opinions, asking questions, and interacting naturally in Italian. The course emphasizes fluency, active participation, and confidence in real-life communication while exploring themes related to Italian culture, society, and everyday life. Fee: \$165

Item: 18483 **Barbara Pau** **Zoom**
 Sessions: 6 Sa, Jul 11 - Aug 15 11:30AM – 1PM

Beginner Mandarin Chinese

Explore the beauty of Mandarin through language and culture in this fun, beginner-friendly course. Learn to speak, read, write, and listen using songs, crafts, and hands-on activities, plus enjoy a field trip to Seattle's Chinatown! You'll build practical skills and learn essential characters and phrases for everyday use. Fee: \$169

Item:16677 **Robin Mann** **Highline Coll. Bldg10, Rm 103**
 Sessions: 8 M,W Jul 6 – 29 4–6PM

Intermediate Mandarin Chinese

Explore the beauty of Mandarin through language and culture in this fun, beginner-friendly course. Learn to speak, read, write, and listen using songs, crafts, and hands-on activities, plus enjoy a field trip to Seattle's Chinatown! You'll build practical skills and learn essential characters and phrases for everyday use. Fee: \$169

Item:16698 **Robin Mann** **Highline Coll. Bldg 10, Rm 103**
 Sessions: 8 T,Th Jul 7 – 30 4 – 6PM

MONEY MATTERS

Medicare Made Clear

Learn about the different Medicare options in this seminar. We will discuss Medicare Part A & B as well as Medicare advantage health plans, prescription drug health plans, supplemental insurance and more! Fee: \$0

Item: 16369 **Joyce Joneschiet** **Virtual Class** **Zoom**
 Sessions: 1 W Jul 8 6:30 – 8:00PM

Item: 16370 **Joyce Joneschiet** **Virtual Class** **Zoom**
 Sessions: 1 W Aug 5 6:30 – 8:00PM

Item: 16371 **Joyce Joneschiet** **Virtual Class** **Zoom**
 Sessions: 1 W Sep 2 6:30 – 8:00PM

MUSIC AND VOICE

An Introduction to Voiceovers (Getting Started in Voice Acting) One-on-One Video Conference Class

Do you have a passion for voiceovers? Do you want to earn income using your talents from the comfort of your home? If so, explore the fun, rewarding possibilities of the growing remote voiceover industry! During this one-time, 90-minute course, you will discover the current trends in the industry and how easy and affordable it can be to learn, set up and work from home. You'll also learn about different types of voiceovers and tools you'll need to find success. Please see our website for more details and to register. Fee: \$49

Item: 16154 **Open Enrollment**

Enumclaw Classes

CREATIVE ARTS AND CRAFTS



Art of Photography

Learn the art of photographic composition. Train your eye to find the beauty around you and capture it in a compelling artistic way. Class will cover portrait, macro, and landscape styles with weekly photo assignments and detailed critiques. Fee: \$169

Item: 16151 Roger Young Enumclaw ENM-15
 Sessions: 6 Tu Jul 7 – Aug 11 6:30 – 9:00PM

HOME, GARDEN AND OUTDOORS



Fly Fishing on Puget Sound Beaches

Sea-run cutthroat, resident Coho and Chinook, and seasonal migrating salmon can all be taken on flies from beaches all over Puget Sound. We'll discuss tackle, equipment, lines and productive fly patterns. You will learn about tides, points of access and where and when to fish. Class includes written resources. After the classroom session, there will be an optional outing to a local beach for hands-on instruction and fishing. Sign up for the classroom session only, or both. Rent rod, reel, and line from instructor for \$10.

Item: 16044 John Fiskum
 Sessions: 1 W Jun 24 6:30 – 8:30pm Enumclaw, ENM-15
 Sessions: 1 Sa Jun 27 7 – 11am Arranged
 Fee: \$119

Item: 16070 John Fiskum Enumclaw ENM-15
 Sessions: 1 W Jun 24 6:30 – 8:30PM

About Green River College Continuing Education

Green River College Continuing Education offers multiple opportunities for you to advance your career, stay current and have fun!

Whether you're looking for short-term, non-credit certificate programs, professional development opportunities, technology courses, personal enrichment classes or programs for seniors or kids, there's something for everyone!

We also offer assistance to small businesses and provide customized training for corporations.



PRIME TIME

Prime Time is a program for active adult learners ages 55 and older. The yearly membership fee of \$55 entitles members to a discount on Prime Time and Continuing Education classes and special invitations to campus events. Join us and enjoy stimulating, intellectual, short-term classes and tours! Non-members are also welcome to participate.

Prime Time Membership Fee: \$55 (Item: 31730)

Membership is valid for one year from the registration date.



Time History/Politics

Discussion about current and historical events in the United States and globally.

The Supreme Court's Decisions on Major Trump Executive Orders: Ending Race as a Reason for Redistricting, The Independence of the Federal Reserve, Whether the President Has Authority to Control Government Agencies or Whether Congress Does a full stop.

Tuesday, Jul 7 (10am - 12pm)
Auburn Center - AC-160 Richard Elfers

Member Fee: \$29 (Item: 16157)
Public Fee: \$39 (Item: 16158)

The War Against Iran: Trump's Goals and Miscalculations

President Trump seemed to have specific goals in mind regarding Iran, but he didn't voice them to either Congress or the American people. His approach was not clearly defined in public nor did he limit his goals as he "listened to his gut," and not to his advisors. It appears that President Trump had not thought through the details before he entered this war under Israel's influence. During this session, we're going to consider the calculations and miscalculations and whether President Trump is a masterful negotiator or a terrible one.

Tuesday, Aug 4 (10am - 12pm)
Auburn Center - AC-160 Richard Elfers

Member Fee: \$29 (Item: 16159)
Public Fee: \$39 (Item: 16160)

How has the Middle East Changed as a Result of the Israeli /U.S. Wars against Arabs and Iranians

If you wrap a rubber band tightly around your fingers and then try to move one of them, the rest of your fingers will feel the pressure. This is what is happening in Israel in the aftermath of America's attack on Iran. All of the nations surrounding Iran have been affected and possibly, forever changed, whether or not they supported the war. Join us as we explore the potential short-term and long-term effects of the Iran War on the nations surrounding Iran and the Persian Gulf, and ultimately on the rest of the world.

Tuesday, Sep 8 (10am - 12pm)
Auburn Center - AC-160 Richard Elfers

Member Fee: \$29 (Item: 16161)
Public Fee: \$39 (Item: 16162)

Instructor Bio

Richard Elfers

Rich has a Master's in History from Pepperdine university in California. He taught high school history and current events at Sumner High School for 31 years. During that time he was an adjunct professor at Green River Community College. He continues to teach senior adult continuing education

classes on current events. Richard served four years on the Enumclaw City Council and writes a political column in two local newspapers. He is co-president of the Enumclaw Plateau Historical Society. Rich has published a book called "The Goldilocks Zone" which is a compilation of nine years of his columns.

GREEN RIVER COLLEGE CLASS LOCATIONS

Main Auburn Campus

Continuing Education (WT Building)
12401 SE 320th St., Auburn, WA 98092
253-333-6030

Auburn Center

1221 D Street NE, Auburn, WA 98002
253-288-3455

Enumclaw Campus

1414 Griffin Avenue, Enumclaw, WA 98022
253-288-3400

Kent Campus

417 Ramsay Way, Suite 112, Kent, WA 98032
253-520-6290

Off-Campus Locations

Blue Dog Glass Art	29304 168 th Ave. SE, Kent
Covington City Hall	16720 SE 271 st St., Covington
Covington Library	27100 164 th Ave. SE, Covington
Highline College	2400 S. 240 th St., Des Moines
Kentwood High School	25800 164 th Ave. SE, Covington
Master Carving School	10722 151 st Ave. SE, Renton
NorthWest Handling	1100 SW 7 th St., Renton
Tahoma Learning Center	27500 228 th Ave. SE, Maple Valley
Renton Technical College	3000 NE 4 th St., Renton

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For all students, applicants, employees and public/visitors:

Korland Simmons, Equity Compliance Manager

Kent Campus 279

Phone: 253- 833-9111, ext. 3361

Email: TitleIXcoordinator@greenriver.edu

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HOW TO LAUNCH YOUR BUSINESS SUCCESSFULLY

This no-cost webinar is hosted by the Washington SBDC at Green River College.

In this class, the presenter will outline steps on how to successfully launch a new business. It can be confusing to know which steps to take or what agencies to contact. This class will address those issues in order to provide you with a clear direction. Having this information will save you time in moving forward with your business opening. Peppared with practical stories and examples, this interactive class will give you concrete ideas on how to make your business start as successful as possible

Participants will also learn more about the resources provided by the Small Business Center at Green River College. You can schedule a future appointment with an SBDC (Small Business Development Center) counselor for one-on-one business advising. This is available at no cost to the small business owner.

Time for Q&A will follow the presentation.

Date: Sep 24, 2026

Time: 12 – 1:30PM (PDT), online

Registration Deadline: Sep 24, 2026, 11AM (PDT)

Fee: No Fee, but registration required.

Instructor Bio

Taryn Hornby

Taryn Hornby joined the SBDC after 13 years in the banking industry. She began her career in the asset-based/commercial finance industry. She held positions ranging from auditor to vice president, new business development. She was first employed with a small lender specializing in loans ranging from \$250,000 to \$5M. As her career progressed, she moved to the tenth largest bank in the world and finally to a sub of the largest bank in the world where she sourced loans ranging from \$5M to \$100M.

She also worked for a cashflow lender, one of the largest in the U.S. as a small business banker, new business development.

She has owned her own business, which she started with an original idea, developed into a business of value and then sold several years later.

She received her MBA from Northern Illinois University and her B.S. in accounting from the University of Illinois. She has also passed the CPA exam.



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