

ENROLLMENT

Students intending to enroll in the OASIS Program (Pre-vocational or Work Place Skills) must apply through Saddleback College in the program courses area. All program courses are considered non-credit college courses and are, therefore, free of charge. Students can enroll directly, but are encouraged to meet and consult with a Disabled Students Programs and Services (DSPS) counselor. To schedule an appointment:
Phone: (949) 582-4885; Video phone: (949) 482-4430; or visit www.saddleback.edu/dsps.

Program Highlights

- No entrance requirements
- Non-credit courses are free of charge and repeatable
- Program emphasis on development of independence and vocational skills consistent with student's ability and personal goals
- Connections with community resources and supports
- Ability to complete any program certificate within an academic year

Students in the OASIS Program (Pre-vocational and Work Place Skills) must be able to:

- provide transportation to/from campus each day
- communicate needs and wants with program staff
- independently use the restroom and tend to personal care needs, or have made arrangements for a Personal Care Attendant
- be unsupervised during a small group or individual break/lunch
- demonstrate measured progress toward objectives
- adhere to the College Student Code of Conduct: www.saddleback.edu/uploads/vpss/CodeofConduct.pdf

OASIS Program Locations

Saddleback College

28000 Marguerite Parkway, Mission Viejo

Saddleback Adult Education Mission Viejo

on the Silverado High School campus
25632 Peter A Hartman Way, Mission Viejo

Vocational Visions

26041 Pala, Mission Viejo

APPLY

www.saddleback.edu/admissions/new-students

STEP 1: Create your OpenCCCApply Account.

STEP 2: Complete your Admissions Application; choose Educational Development as your goal. In the supplemental questions, click "YES" for the Adult Education Program.

STEP 3: Read your application email response from Saddleback College and follow the directions.

REGISTER

<https://mysite.socccd.edu>

Use your Saddleback Student ID# and Pin to log on.

STEP 1: Choose **Register For Classes** from the My Classes dropdown menu.

STEP 2: Choose the current semester by clicking on the **Add/Drop Classes** button. You will be taken to the next page where you will enter your class ticket numbers (ID#) located on your class schedule.

STEP 3: Complete all registration steps. **Print and Save** Confirmation page.

For assistance, call: 949-582-4555



Saddleback Adult Education

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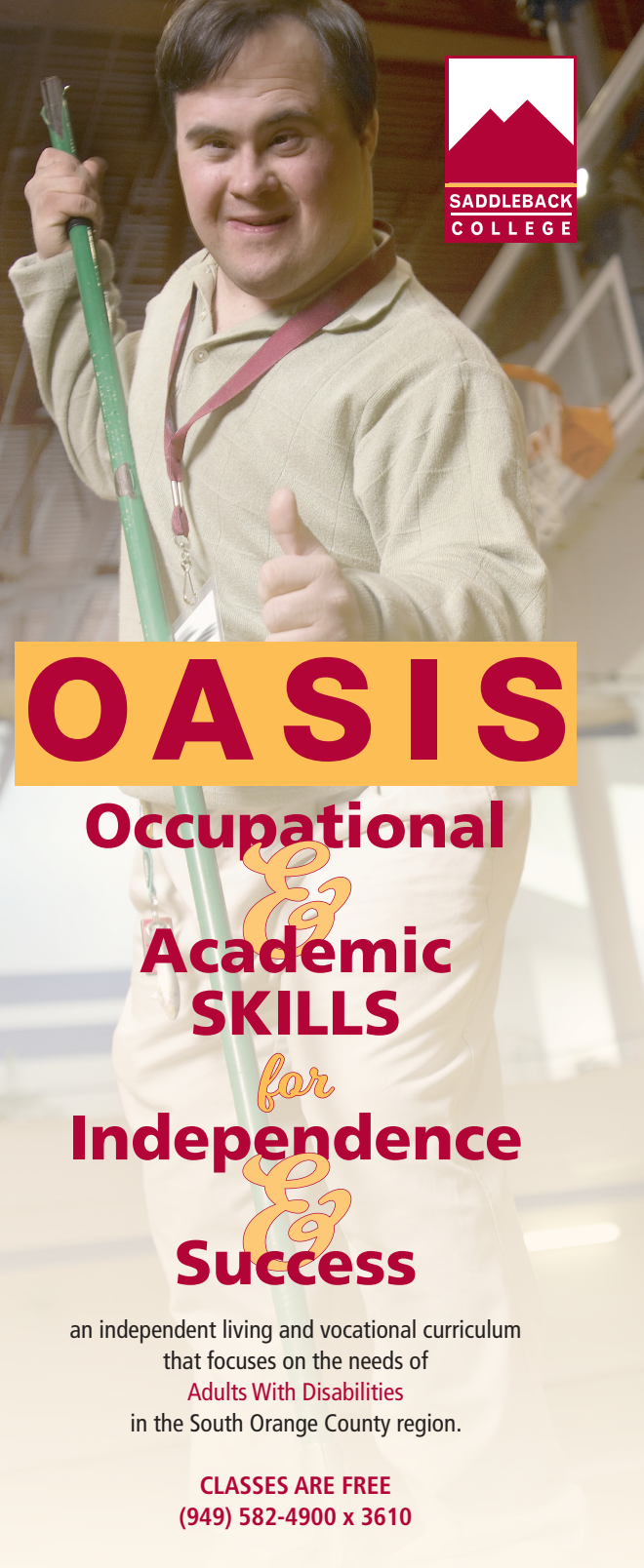
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an independent living and vocational curriculum
that focuses on the needs of
Adults With Disabilities
in the South Orange County region.

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OASIS

About OASIS

The Occupational and Academic Skills for Independence & Success (OASIS) program for Adults with Disabilities at Saddleback College has an independent living and vocational curriculum that focuses on the needs of adults with disabilities in the South Orange County region. The objectives of the OASIS program are to help students: advance their level of independence; participate actively in their local community; and transition to academic courses or career pathways, as desired.

Classes are available for individuals with various abilities and educational attainment, sequenced from Pre-Vocational to Work Place Skills, incorporating life skills and work skills consistent with best practices for adult learners with disabilities. Core classes integrate independent living skills, functional academics, social skills, and vocational skills. Students in the OASIS program learn functional living skills and identify resources that will lead them to their academic, professional, or personal goals.

Based on individual needs, OASIS students will progress through a sequence of courses that may ultimately transition into credit courses or may result in employment opportunities. Other students may take AEWD courses for lifelong learning and to increase community integration. Optional, specialized SPS course topics, such as reading, functional mathematics, and memory or attention skills, can assist their progress through the sequence and may be taken along with core classes as needed. Courses are offered throughout the South Orange County region on days, evenings and weekends during fall, spring and summer sessions.

AEWD Certificate of Completion: Pre-Vocational Skills

The Pre-Vocational Skills Certificate of Completion program at Saddleback College is an independent living and vocational curriculum that focuses on the needs adults with disabilities in the South Orange County region. The objectives of the Pre-Vocational Skills Certificate of Completion program are to help students advance their level of independence and participate actively in their local community. Core classes integrate independent living skills, functional academics, and social skills, and vocational skills. Students in the Pre-Vocational Skills Certificate of Completion program learn functional living skills and identify resources that will lead them to their academic, professional, or personal goals. The following required courses are available:

AEWD 771 - Mobility Skills

Addresses the need to navigate various transportation options in order to secure meaningful employment.

AEWD 772 - Independent Living Skills

Addresses independent living, community living, and academic skills. Instruction is provided both in the community and in the classroom. The college campus is also utilized.

AEWD 773 - Job Skills

Addresses various job skills, including goal identification, social skills, and job search skills. Lecture, lab, and field trips are combined to provide the student with a comprehensive and meaningful educational experience.

AEWD 774 - Self-Advocacy Skills

Trains and instructs students in self-advocacy skills in order to promote independence in the community and the workplace. Students learn their strengths and weaknesses. They learn about their disability and their abilities. Students define realistic goals, objectives and the skills needed to reach goals, and learn to communicate in a respectful and responsible way. Students learn how to locate advocacy support as well as learn rights and laws that pertain to people with disabilities.

AEWD 775 - Computer Skills Lab

Supports development of computer and technological skills in real-world situations. This specific course will be part of a larger program designed to address workplace skills for adults with disabilities.

AEWD Certificate of Completion: Work Place Skills

The Work Place Skills Certificate of Completion program at Saddleback College is a vocational curriculum that focuses on the needs adults with disabilities in the South Orange County region. The objectives of the Work Place Skills Certificate of Completion is to help students advance in their career pathways, as desired. Classes are available for individuals with various abilities and educational attainment, incorporating life skills/work skills consistent with best practices for adult learners with disabilities. Core classes address vocational skills. Students in the Work Place Skills Certificate of Completion learn functional living skills and identify resources that will lead them to their academic, professional, or personal goals. The following courses are required:

AEWD 781 - Personal Safety

Supports the development of personal safety awareness. Students with disabilities are presented with proactive steps to take to avoid dangerous situations in the community and at home. Students with disabilities are also presented with basic techniques for self-defense and first aid.

AEWD 782 - Personal Budgeting and Basics of Banking

Supports the development of financial awareness, including the basics of banking and budgeting. This is an introductory class that teaches banking and budgeting vocabulary and step-by-step guidelines on how to open and manage a checking account as well as creating personal budgets.

AEWD 783 - Communication in the Workplace

Supports the development of necessary workplace skills. This course will include activities to enhance written and verbal skills.

AEWD 784 - Critical Thinking Skills

Supports the development of soft skills, critical thinking, and problem-solving skills in real-world situations. It is designed to assist adult students in acquiring or improving critical thinking skills necessary to function independently in a variety of activities, situations, and environments with an emphasis on problem solving and decision making through understanding and evaluating situations, utilizing knowledge of cause and effect relationships, exploring options, and planning and implementing strategies.