

# FOCUS ON EDUCATION

## Achieve Your Full Potential at Penn State Berks

Penn State Berks Continuing Education Department is dedicated to supporting individuals in advancing their careers or transitioning into new fields. With a variety of programs and resources tailored to meet the needs of both traditional students and adult learners, Penn State Berks offers a comprehensive approach to education and professional development.

There are several ways Penn State Berks can help you take the next step in your career or move into a new one. One example of how Continuing Education supports career advancement and transitions is through its credit and noncredit certificate programs. These programs are designed to provide focused education and training that can help you develop new skills, enhance existing ones, and increase your marketability in the job market. Shorter, focused programs are available for those looking to gain specific skills or knowledge in areas like project management, human resources, and leadership.

Penn State Berks offers the flexibility to combine degree programs with certificate courses, allowing you to customize your education to meet your career objectives. For instance, you can pursue a bachelor's degree in business while earning a project management certificate, enhancing your credentials and job readiness simultaneously.

Another example is the Organizational Leadership (OLEAD) program. Continuing Education specifically

developed this accelerated degree and certificate program with adult learners in mind. The shorter certificate program can be earned in under a year and all credits apply towards the B.S. in Organizational Leadership.

A current OLEAD student, Leeann Schnabl, shared, "Penn State Berks and the Organizational Leadership program does a phenomenal job at adapting and tailoring the program to the needs of their students. I'm able to apply what I learn in class at night the next day at work which makes me feel like my education is truly valuable. I am so confident with my decision to be a Penn State student in the OLEAD major."

At Penn State Berks, you'll find the support, resources, and opportunities you need to reach your dreams and achieve your full potential. Whether you're starting your educational journey, seeking to advance in your current career, or looking to explore new possibilities, Penn State Berks is here to help you every step of the way. Learn more about upcoming programs at <https://berks.psu.edu/continuing-education> or contact us at 610.396.6500.



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Current OLEAD student, Leeann Schnabl

**GET AHEAD**  
*in your career*

Professional development classes  
begin **August 2024.**

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For details and registration,  
visit [berks.psu.edu/CE](https://berks.psu.edu/CE)

## Training That Works!

### Fast Track Programs for Industry

(multiple programs available)

- ✓ Construction Trades
- ✓ Engineering
- ✓ Manufacturing
- ✓ Power and Transportation
- ✓ Emission and Inspection
- ✓ Health Careers
- ✓ **New Program!** Medical Assisting

**Train for a Career in Advanced Manufacturing**  
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 **Technical Career Center**  
Continuing Education

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**YOUR CHILD DESERVES THE BEST EDUCATION**

**ROSE GARDEN PREPARATORY DAY SCHOOL**

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**About Us**  
 At Rose Garden Preparatory Day School our fundamental belief revolves around crafting an optimal environment to nurture and educate young children. In fact, our initiative originated from a dedication to our own children and the challenge of finding a high-quality childcare program.  
 Our array of programs caters to your family's needs, encompassing infant and toddler day care, pre-kindergarten, as well as engaging summer camps! We believe strongly that children learn best through active engagement in rich activities that support critical thinking as well as creative expression.

## Rose Garden Preparatory Day School — Where Children Bloom!!!

Discover the heart of childhood at Rose Garden Preparatory Day School, located at 59 West 8th Street, Pottstown, PA 19464.. Our philosophy is rooted in providing a nurturing haven where every child's unique colors shine. With a blend of attentive care and tailored learning, we cultivate a joyful environment that sparks curiosity, embraces diversity, and fosters growth. At Rose Garden Preparatory Day School, we believe in sowing the seeds of confidence, kindness, and a lifelong love for learning. Join us in painting a vibrant foundation for your child's future success and happiness.

At Rose Garden Preparatory Day School, our values form the cornerstone of our commitment to your child's well-being and development. We prioritize safety, creating a secure and nurturing space where children can thrive. Our

dedication to fostering curiosity and a love for learning is unwavering, as we believe these qualities lay the foundation for a successful future. We celebrate diversity and individuality, tailoring our approach to meet each child's unique needs. With a passionate team and a focus on holistic growth, we embark on this journey together, guiding your child toward a colorful and promising tomorrow.

Rose Garden Preparatory Day School offers: Small Class Sizes; Dedicated Teachers; and Healthy Meals. Programs for six weeks to five years old include: Infant Care; Older Infant Care; Young Toddler; PreSchool; Pre-Kindergarten; and Summer Enrichment.

For additional information, please call 484.624.5094; Info@RoseGardenPrep.com; and visit www.RoseGardenPrep.com.

## Adult/Continuing Education at Berks Career and Technology Center (BCTC)

Berks Career & Technology Center Adult/Continuing Education is designed for individuals who are seeking a new career, or for those wanting to upgrade their skills in a technical field or a trade. Adult/Continuing Education at BCTC provides individuals with several options to acquire hands-on skills, knowledge, and industry certifications. The educational programs are highly relevant and are connected directly to the real world of business and industry.

State-of-the-art learning laboratories, a highly skilled faculty, and a curriculum geared to industry standards combine to distinguish BCTC as a leading provider of career and technical education.

The Adult/Continuing Education programs offered at BCTC are very diverse. Adult students are integrated into the same quality educational experience as our

high school students in 31 different program areas during the day.

Apprenticeship programs in concert with business and industry provide theoretical learning that enhances the apprentice's on-the-job practical training. BCTC also provides customized training for business and industry that matches training needs for today's workforce.

Commercial Driver's License Training (CDL) at BCTC offers a professional tractor-trailer driving training program that prepares students to obtain their CDL A or CDL B license. The 160-hour comprehensive course includes classroom theory and behind the wheel instruction on the range and on the road.

Learn more about Adult/Continuing Education opportunities at Berks Career and Technology Center by calling at 610.743.7630 or visiting www.berks.career.com/ACE.



# WE'RE GROWING & HIRING!

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Hiring Part-Time Evening Instructors For:

- Welding
- Plumbing
- Industrial Maintenance



 BCTC is always looking for talented new team members!  
**Instructor Opportunities Available:**  
[BerksCareer.com/employment-opportunities](https://berkscareer.com/employment-opportunities)





# For one night, see what some people can't.

## Dine in the Dark

**Thursday, October 10, 2024**  
 at Berkshire Country Club  
 1637 Bernville Road, Reading, Pennsylvania 19601  
 \*Proper Attire Required-Business Casual\*

**Cocktail Hour 5PM • Dinner 6PM**  
 \$100 per ticket. Sponsorship opportunities available.  
 All proceeds benefit

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**For more information and tickets: [vrcberks.org/dine](https://vrcberks.org/dine)**