



Community Education
ESTRELLA MOUNTAIN
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

COMMUNITY EDUCATION



FALL 2019 Community Education Classes

Art/Photography

***NEW* Woodworking Basics**

This class will provide an overview into the craft of woodworking including different types of wood and the tools used. Ages 10-15 with Adult, or ages 16 and over. MAR 140.

Wednesdays, 10/16-12/11

5:30pm-7:00pm

Section #39211

\$89.00 + \$50.00 Supply Fee

***NEW* Introduction to MakerSpace Technologies**

In this introduction course, you will learn the basics of working with 3D Printers, Laser Engravers, and Vinyl Cutters. Ages 16 and over. MAR 139.

Thursdays, 9/5-9/26

5:00pm-7:30pm

Section #41130

\$49.00 + \$10.00 Supply Fee

***NEW* How to Play Role Tabletop Playing Games**

Learn how to play the popular game system *Dungeons and Dragon!*. Start by playing an introductory adventure complete with miniatures and terrain using with a pre-generated character. Next, learn to create 3 characters of your own through die-roll generation (Set of 7 colored polyhedral dice included), create a backstory, and obtain equipment for the character. You will learn how to paint your characters and then play a more involved game created by the instructor for your characters.

Thursdays, 10/3-10/17

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #41198

\$49.00 + \$25.00 Supply Fee

***NEW* Intro. to Miniature Terrain Building**

Be creative! Create your own settings! Learn techniques of designing, constructing scenery (buildings, ruins, paying tiles/boards, roads, etc. for Role-Playing-Games (RPGs), dioramas, train layouts, etc. Learn methods of cutting/gluing/painting scenery from foam, cardboard, and other materials as well as how to "base" your scenery realistically with miniature 'vegetation,' 'snow,' 'rock,' 'sand,' etc.

Thursdays, 11/7-11/21

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #41199

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Calligraphy, Beginning

Celebrate the art of fine handwriting in this beginner class and add a personal touch to your envelopes, cards and scrapbooking. Supplies required. Please bring a bold or medium tip calligraphy pen (instructor recommends Sheaffer or Speedball brand). You can buy a set or single pen-they come with ink cartridges. MON 130

Tuesdays, 10/8-10/29

6:00pm-7:30pm

Section #39160

\$49.00

Watercolor Basics

Create. Make. Have fun expressing yourself through this relaxing and rewarding lifelong activity. Have you always wanted to learn to paint with watercolor? Learn new techniques? Learn the basics of how to stretch watercolor paper, different wash techniques, dry brush techniques, wet-in-wet painting, using resists, explore brush techniques, achieve special effects, plan your focal point, learn beginning perspective, composition basics, and much, much more. Paint your own subject, or follow along with the instructor's demonstrations. Students are encouraged to bring inspirational images to paint or items for still life painting.

Note: For beginners 16 and older, as well as for those painters who are more advanced. Come to first class to see which supplies are needed. MON 274

Tuesdays, 8/27-9/24

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #39154

\$79.00 + \$20.00 Supply Fee

Acrylic Painting

Create. Make. Have fun expressing yourself through this relaxing and rewarding lifelong activity. Would you like to paint beautiful landscapes, still lifes, portraits? Have you always wanted to learn to paint with acrylics? Learn new techniques? Learn the basics of how to mix and blend acrylic paint, how to prepare your canvas, brush techniques, plan your focal point, learn beginning perspective, composition basics, and much, much more. Paint your own subject, or follow along with the instructor's demonstrations. Students are encouraged to bring inspirational images to paint or items for still life painting. Note: For beginners 16 and older, as well as for those painters who are more advanced. Come to first class to see which supplies are needed. MON 274

Tuesdays, 10/1-10/29

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #39155

\$79.00 + \$20.00 Supply Fee

Oil Painting

Create. Make. Have fun expressing yourself through this relaxing and rewarding lifelong activity. Have you always wanted to learn oil painting? Would you like to paint beautiful landscapes, still lifes, portraits? Learn new techniques? Learn the basics of mixing and blending oil paint, glazing, preparing your canvas, underpainting, brush techniques, plan your focal point, beginning perspective, composition basics, and much, much more. Paint your own subject, or follow along with the instructor's demonstrations. Students are encouraged to bring inspirational images to paint or items for still life painting. Note: For beginners 16 and older, as well as for those painters who are more advanced. Come to first class to see which supplies are needed. MON 274

Tuesdays, 11/5-12/3

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #39157

\$79.00 + \$20.00 Supply Fee

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Landscape Photography

Delve into landscape image making! Learn how to use the camera and lens to produce images from nature's palette, how to see photographically, and use your camera to its fullest potential. You will also learn the tricks the pros use and what you can do to get published. Cameras should have the ability to be manually set and taken off 'auto.' OCT 101

Fridays, 10/11-11/1

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #39159

\$65.00

Digital Photography

Learn to use features on your digital camera and improve your photos in this hands-on class. You will also learn to download photos, explore your camera's features, take pictures and bring them to class for discussion and viewing. OCT 101

Fridays, 9/13-9/27

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #39158

\$49.00

Basic Photoshop **CHANGE IN DATES**

Learn how to use Photoshop to perform many different image processing techniques using tools including brushes, selection tools, layers, blending modes, transforming tools, image adjustments, filters, and much more. Participants should possess basic computer skills including mouse operations, creating folders, creating files and saving files into folders, and some experience with browsing the internet. EST S 251

Mondays, 10/07-10/28

6:30pm-8:30pm

Section #40033

\$65.00

Languages

Spanish Basics

Begin to learn Spanish in this course for students who have very limited skills in speaking Spanish or none at all.

Note: If you have already taken this course, try Spanish II. OCT 102

Saturdays, 9/7-10/12

8:00am-10:00am

Section #40029

\$85.00

Spanish Basics II

Continue to develop skills in understanding and speaking Spanish in a less structured environment for students who have some basic knowledge of Spanish. OCT 102

Saturdays, 9/7-10/12

10:30am-12:30pm

Section #40030

\$85.00



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Spanish Basics III

The Spanish Basic III class is designed for the students who would like to continue developing their skills in understanding and speaking Spanish. The class is a continuation of Spanish basic II. OCT 102

Saturdays, 10/19-11/23

9:00am-11:00am

Section #40028

\$85.00

American Sign Language I

This course will introduce you to American Sign Language. You will learn the alphabet, numbers, and how to finger spell words. If you have ever been interested in this valuable, effective, alternative means to oral communication, this is the ideal way to begin your study. High school age and older. EST N 248

Saturdays, 9/7-10/12

10:00am-12:00pm

Section #40031

\$85.00

ESL Foundations LB

This class is for English-as-a-Second-Language learners who would like to improve their basic speaking, listening, vocabulary, grammar, and writing skills. You will practice language to communicate information about typical activities in the home, community, and workplace. For students with a FIR (Future English for Results) score between 1-11.

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9/9-12/4 (No class 11/11)

8:15AM-9:45am

Section #36698 Room N/A

OR

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9/9-12/4 (No class 11/11)

5:30PM-7:00pm

Section #36699 OCT 112

\$159.00

ESL Foundations HB

This class is for English-as-a-Second-Language learners who would like to improve their basic speaking, listening, vocabulary, grammar, and writing skills. You will practice language to communicate information about typical activities in the home, community, and workplace. For students with a FIR (Future English for Results) score between 12-24.

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9/9-12/4 (No class 11/11)

8:15am-9:45am

Section #36700 MON 210

OR

5:30pm-7:00pm

Section #36701 OCT 121

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ESL Foundations LI

This class is for English-as-a-Second-Language learners who would like to improve their speaking, listening, vocabulary, grammar, and writing skills. You will practice language to communicate information about typical activities in the home, community, and workplace. For students with a FIR (Future English for Results) score between 25-37.

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9/9-12/4 (No class 11/11)

10:00-11:30am

Section #36702 Room N/A

OR

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9/9-12/4 (No class 11/11)

7:15pm-8:45pm

Section #36703 OCT 107

\$159.00

ESL Foundations HI

This class is for English-as-a-Second-Language learners who would like to improve their speaking, listening, vocabulary, grammar, and writing skills. You will continue to practice and refine your English language skills through vocabulary acquisition, conversation practice and grammar study. Cultural aspects of living in the United States will be covered as well as basic Civics information. For students with a FIR (Future English for Results) score between 38-50.

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9/9-12/4 (No class 11/11)

10:00am-11:30am

Section #36704 MON 202

OR

7:15pm-8:45pm

Section #36705 OCT 121

OR

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9/10-12/5 (No class 11/28)

6:00pm-7:30pm

Section #38796 BKEMCC 132 (*This one class meets at the EMCC Buckeye Educational Center (BEC) which is located next to the Buckeye Union High School at 902 E. Eason Avenue (9th St. & Eason Ave.) in Buckeye, AZ*)

\$159.00

ESL Foundations LA

This class is for English-as-a-Second-Language learners who would like to improve their speaking, listening, vocabulary, grammar, and writing skills. You will continue to practice English language skills through vocabulary acquisition, conversation practice and grammar study. Cultural aspects of living in the United States will be covered as well. For students with a FIR (Future English for Results) score between 51-63.

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9/10-12/5 (No class 11/28)

10:00am-11:30am

Section #36708 OCT 114

OR

5:30-7:00pm

Section #36709 OCT 109

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ESL Foundations HA

This class is for English-as-a-Second-Language learners who would like to improve their speaking, listening, vocabulary, grammar, and writing skills. You will continue to practice English language skills through vocabulary acquisition, conversation practice and grammar study. Cultural aspects of living in the United States will be covered as well. For students with a FIR (Future English for Results) score of 64 or higher.

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9/10-12/5 (No class 11/28)

8:15am-9:45am

Section #36706 OCT 111

OR

7:15pm-8:45pm

Section #36707 OCT 120

\$159.00

Music

Community Band

Come join our Community Band! The emphasis of the EMCC Community Band is on college/community participation and the preparation of band literature for public performance. Auditions are not required. *High School age and older*. Student Union Thursdays, 8/29-12/12 (No class 11/28)

7:00pm-9:00pm

Section #39112

\$35.00

Community Choir

Come join a fun class that will be singing a variety of songs throughout the community as well as at the college. No audition is required, just a love for singing. Members will be learning good vocal and breathing techniques. *High School age and older*. *Prior Choir experience is preferred, but not mandatory*. MON 156

Tuesdays 8/27-12/3

6:30pm-8:30pm

Section #39113

\$50.00

Piano, Beginning Group

Have you ever wanted to learn to play the piano? Well, this is your chance. This class is a basic introduction to playing piano through music reading, chords, rhythmic, and written activities. Prior music experience is not required for Beginning Group Piano; beginners are welcome. Designed for those with little or no piano experience. Prerequisites: None. *High school age and older*. *Please bring headphones to plug into piano*. MON 156

Mondays, 9/09-11/25 (No class 11/11)

5:00pm-6:00pm

Section #39114

\$89.00 + \$15.00 Book Fee





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Piano, Intermediate Group

This Class is a continuation of Piano, Beginning Group. Prerequisite: Knowledge of note names in Treble and Bass Clef, knowledge of rhythmic note values, ability to play hands together and ability to play using the pedal. *High school age and older.* Please bring headphones to plug into piano. MON 156

Mondays 9/09-11/25 (No class 11/11)

6:15pm-7:15pm

Section #39119

\$89.00 + \$15.00 Book Fee

Guitar, Beginning

Beginning guitar is taught in a supportive, non-competitive environment. Students will learn to read music, play basic chords, and learn picking and strumming patterns. Students need to bring a guitar, picks, and a tuner. NOTE: Ages 16 and up. OCT 110

Tuesdays, 9/03-11/5

6:00pm-7:00pm

Section #39141

\$85.00 + \$10.00 Book fee

Guitar, Intermediate

Students will learn advanced chord patterns (including bar chord), scale progressions and advanced finger picking and strumming patterns. In addition to being exposed to Lead and Rhythm guitar styles students will also learn advanced tablature music notation for music styles such as rock, alternative rock, heavy metal, jazz, blues, and country. Students will receive an introduction to guitar effects as well as the use of the guitar capo. Students need to bring a guitar, tuner, guitar capo, and picks (guitar amp for electric guitars). Optional: Guitar effect pedal(s). Ages 16 and up. OCT 110

Tuesdays, 9/3-11/5

7:15pm-8:15pm

Section #39142

\$85.00

Mariachi

Have you ever wanted to play in a mariachi band? Well, this is your chance! Explore mariachi music in an ensemble setting while learning musicianship, tradition, and culture. Some musical experience is preferred but not required. Ages 15 & up. MON 156.

Wednesdays, 9/11-11/13

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #39144

\$99.00

Personal Enrichment

***NEW* Handy Basics**

Ever wish you were handier around the house? This class will teach you the tools and skills to fix and maintain common issues around your home. MAR 140

Wednesdays, 9/4-10/09

5:30pm-7:00pm

Section #39210

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Introduction to Forensic Handwriting Analysis

Students will learn the ethics of handwriting analysis, the difference between methods, and learn to build a personality portrait using universal techniques. OCT 108

Thursdays, 10/3-10/17

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #40456

\$49.00

Introduction to Body Language

All humans use body language and have a built-in ability to recognize and read it. Learn about reading body language to understand others in all facets of life from the home to the office. OCT 108

Thursdays, 10/24-11/7

6:00pm-8:00pm

Section #40457

\$49.00

Medicare: All You Need to Know

Everything you wanted to know about Medicare, but were afraid to ask. This course will explain and provide examples of the following: When to apply; Medicare Options; Medicare Costs; Medicare Advantage and Medicare supplement plans; Medicare Prescription drug coverage; What is MOOP? What is the ACA impact on Medicare? The instructor will answer frequently asked questions, such as: Can I keep my insurance and use Medicare? Can I continue to see the doctor I see now? What does Medicare cover? When can I change Medicare plans?

Wednesday, 10/23

5:15pm-6:30pm

Section #39166 OCT 103

OR

Saturday, 10/26

10:00am-11:15am

Section #39167 OCT 105

Free – Please register in advance!

Basic Life Support- CPR for Healthcare Providers

This course meets current International Liaison Committee on Resuscitation (ILCOR) standards and American Heart Association guidelines for one and two rescuer cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and obstructed airway procedures on the adult, infant, and pediatric victim. Use of automatic external defibrillation and resuscitation equipment. SWSC 138.

Fridays: 8:00am-12:00pm

8/09 #40736

9/13 #40739

11/8 #40741

OR

Fridays: 5:00pm-9:00pm

10/11 #40740

12/13 #40742

\$50.00





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Put Your Business Ideas in Motion

Have you been considering starting your own small business but are unsure of where to begin? Don't miss out on this NO COST seminar that is designed to help entrepreneurs understand what it takes to start a business! You will be provided with information about Startup Fundamentals, Marketing and Business Planning, Financing, Licenses, Business Structures, Regulations and more. Once you have successfully completed this session, you will be better able to decide if your business idea is worth pursuing, and you will be armed with the information necessary to continue onward with your business endeavor! OCT 101

Wednesday, 10/09

3:30pm-5:30pm

Section #40874

Each single session is free, but please register so that we will know how many will attend.

Kids College

Keyboarding Kick-Start (Ages 8-14)

This junior-level keyboarding self-paced course is designed to introduce basic touch method of keyboarding using a desktop computer. The beginner student will learn the basics of touch-typing, as well as practice accuracy, spelling, and speed. EST S 252.

Saturdays, 9/21-11/16

10:00am-11:30am

Section #39777

\$99.00 *****LOWERED from flyer**

***NEW* Fantasy Gamemaster Techniques (Ages 12-16)**

Expand your imagination; create settings, characters and worlds. This class features hands-on techniques in assembling, priming and painting Fantasy miniature figurines and learning techniques to design, layout, build, and paint Fantasy terrain like dungeons, castles and outdoor. Instructor will demonstrate using advanced tools and advanced modeling techniques such as casting terrain components; as well as how to use single and double action airbrushes for amazing modeling/scenic effects! MON 275

Saturdays, 10/5-10/26

10:00am-12:00pm

Section #41200

\$75.00 + \$30 Supply Fee

Workforce Development

Dental Assisting

The 80-hour Dental Assisting Program prepares students for entry-level positions in one of the fastest growing health care positions - Dental Assisting. The purpose of this course is to familiarize the student with all areas of pre-clinical dental assisting and provide training in the professional skills required to function as an assistant in the dental practice. In addition to entry-level administrative jobs, this course is ideal for students interested in pursuing a future formal Dental Hygienist program. The program includes graded quizzes and exams. Textbooks included. OCT 113

Mondays & Wednesdays, 9/9-12/2 (No class 11/11 & 11/27)

6:00pm-9:30pm

Section #36721

\$1,499.00





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Pharmacy Technician

This comprehensive 72-hour program will prepare students to work as a pharmacy technician in a retail or other pharmacy setting and to take the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board's PTCB exam. Course content includes: pharmacy medical terminology, the history of pharmacy, the pharmacy practice in multiple environments, pharmacy calculations and measurements, reading and interpreting prescriptions and defining drugs by generic and brand names. Through classroom lecture and hands-on labs, students will review dosage calculations, drug classifications, the "top 200 drugs", I.V. flow rates, sterile compounding, dose conversions, aseptic technique, the handling of sterile products, total parenteral nutrition (TPN), dispensing of prescriptions, inventory control and billing and reimbursement. Textbooks included. OCT 121

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9/10-12/3 (No class 11/28)

6:00pm-9:00pm

Section #36722

\$1,199.00

EKG Technician Certification Program

This comprehensive 50 hour EKG Technician Certification Program prepares students to function as EKG Technicians and to take the ASPT – Electrocardiograph (EKG) Technician exam and other National Certification Exams. This course will include important practice and background information on anatomy and physiology of the heart, medical disease processes, medical terminology, medical ethics, legal aspects of patient contact, electrocardiography and stress testing. Additionally, students will practice with EKG equipment and perform hands on labs including introduction to the function and proper use of the EKG machine, the normal anatomy of the chest wall for proper lead placement, 12-lead placement and other clinical practices. OCT 103

Saturdays, 9/7-11/9

9:00am-2:30pm

Section #36720

\$999.00

NEW Career Step Online Classes

Career Step is an online school offering career-focused education designed to help students quickly enter the workforce. The school is committed to providing the best online education experience, incorporating interactive learning tools such as hands-on practice, videos, games, forums, and chat rooms into its curriculum. Students also have one-on-one access to instructors who have years of experience actually working in the positions students are training for. After graduation, students have access to comprehensive graduate resources such as resume reviews, interview tips and tutorials, and new job opening notifications to help them successfully transition from education to employment. <https://partner.careerstep.com/emcc>

Classes offered online:

Healthcare IT

Medical Administrative Assistant with EHR

Medical Office Manager

Medical Transcription Editor

Physical Therapy Aide

Physical Therapy Office Professional



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Physical Fitness

Zumba

Zumba combines high energy and motivating music with unique moves and combinations. You can dance your stress away with different international rhythms. It's a fun workout with great long term health benefits. Great for the mind, body and spirit! "Ditch the workout, join the party!" Student Union

Mondays, 9/9-9/30

5:15pm-6:15pm

Section #40034

OR

Mondays, 10/7-10/28

Section #40035

5:15pm-6:15pm

\$32.00

Body Dynamics

Join this experience in blending body, mind, and spirit wellness combining elements of yoga, Pilates, and meditation using balance, memory, strength, and breathing. Student Union

Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays, 8/26-12/13 (No class 9/2, 11/11,11/29)

8:00am-9:00am

Section #39204

\$170.00

OR

Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays, 8/26-10/18 (No class 9/2)

8:00am-9:00am

Section #39206

\$85.00

OR

Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays, 10/21-12/13 (No class 11/11, 11/29)

8:00am-9:00am

Section #39207

\$85.00

PED Student-Child Watch

This class is for students who are enrolled in fitness classes at the YMCA. The class covers the use of the Child Watch Services at the facility. Class meets off-campus at the YMCA: Southwest Valley Family, 2919 N. Litchfield Rd. Goodyear, AZ (on NE corner of Litchfield & Thomas)

Monday through Friday, 8/26-12/13

7:00am-8:00pm

Section #39209

\$25.00



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Registration, Enrollment, and Payment

You may register at our campus or by calling 623-935-8888-choose option #1. Payment can be made by cash, check or credit card. New policy states that tuition is due on the day that you register. Class sizes are limited, enroll early. We reserve the right to cancel a class if the minimum enrollment is not met.

Students will have an EMCC e-mail address and Student Identification Number assigned upon enrollment. Classes are designed for adults (18 years and older) unless otherwise specified. Class costs and fees will be fully refunded for classes canceled by EMCC or if the student drops the noncredit class prior to the course start date. Failure to attend class does not guarantee withdrawal or eligibility for a refund. Responsibility for withdrawing remains with the student.

**Please check our website for any Changes or Additions-
Dance and martial arts classes coming!**

<http://www.estrellamountain.edu/community-education>