

January Feature

**Adult & Community Education Program in the News!**

The Adult & Community Education Department was recently featured in *Newsday* for its exciting new career-oriented certification programs launched this school year, including home health care, pharmaceutical services, personal care assistance, and clinical medical assisting. Two students, along with Ms. Gottlieb, were highlighted. **Jean Rameau**, who completed the home health aide course this past summer, is now employed as a certified health care worker and is pursuing his GED after returning to the classroom for the first time in 30 years. Also featured was **Samiyah Wyche**, currently enrolled in the district’s clinical medical technician program and proudly following in the footsteps of her mother, a certified nursing assistant. Ms. Gottlieb also spotlighted the upcoming precision machining and advanced manufacturing program, noting that these CTE courses offer “stackable credentials,” allowing students to earn multiple, overlapping certificates. For those not yet ready for certification pathways, Adult Ed continues to provide literacy and GED classes to build essential reading and writing skills. Citizenship programs are also offered.



**FREE ID'S**

FREE Adult Education ID! After 40 hours of class, you qualify for a free Adult Education student ID. Photos will be taken weekly.



**ABGS FOOD PANTRY**

The ABGS Middle School pantry is open Wednesdays from 12:30pm-2:30pm. The pantry was recently featured on News 12!



**LIBRARY VISITS TO BEGIN SOON.**

Several classes will soon visit the Hempstead Public Library and receive library cards and tap into a new resource for reading, research and community information.



**PHARMACEUTICAL TECH ORIENTATION. DATE TO COME.**

Come register and learn everything you need to know before Pharmaceutical Tech classes begin. Attendance is required for all students enrolled in the Pharmacy Tech program.



**Check out the informative Adult Education Bulletin Board stationed outside the office each day!**



**Case Manager’s Corner**

Each student has been assigned a Case Manager who is available to answer questions or concerns that may arise as you move through the program. If you are not sure of who your Case Manager is, please stop by the Adult Ed office. We are all here to support YOU.



**Continuing Along New Career Pathways!**

**THE CLINICAL MEDICAL ASSISTANT CLASS STARTS JANUARY 21**

These students are on a certification path! The next program to get underway is Pharmaceutical Tech. In addition to Home Health Aide (HHA) and Personal Care Assistant (PCA), other programs we are working on include Emergency Medical Technician (EMT), Security Guard, and Teacher Aide. For more information, please speak to your Case Manager.

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