

POSSIBILITIES

FALL TERM 2021

PIERCE COLLEGE



Welcome back!

We're excited to offer
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and hybrid classes this fall
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WELCOME BACK!

What a difference a year makes! Over the past year, we've all had to adapt to a worldwide pandemic virtually overnight. We had to move to remote classes, canceled in-person social events, implemented mask requirements, and maintained social distancing. The good news is that Washington state is opening up now, which means we can offer more classes and student services in-person, while still offering remote options that many of you have come to appreciate as you balance your life responsibilities.

We are excited to start welcoming more students and employees back to campus this fall! Our goal is to come fully back to campus no later than Winter Term 2022, with more online courses and services available than ever before.

We want to bring students, faculty, and staff back to campus as much as possible while safeguarding against COVID-19 and its variants. In an effort to provide a safer environment for all, while also supporting the maximum level of flexibility for our students as we return to campus, Pierce College will require vaccinations in order to be on campus without a mask. We will also

offer exemptions to this requirement for medical, religious, and philosophical reasons. Those who are exempt will still be required to wear a mask. We are continuing to working out how students and employees will verify their vaccination status before returning to campus fall quarter. This will become effective Aug. 30, 2021.

We're pleased to welcome students back to campus with a selection of fully in-person, virtual, and hybrid (in-person and online) classes for fall term. We expect in-person classes to fill up fast, so register today! Check the Class Schedule to see current class availability, or visit <https://www.pierce.ctc.edu/learn-on-campus> for details. ■

WHAT SERVICES ARE OPEN IN-PERSON FOR FALL TERM?

The following student services are open for limited in-person hours at Pierce College Fort Steilacoom:

- Welcome Center
- Admissions
- Enrollment Services
- Veteran Services
- Veterans Resource Center
- WorkForce
- Cashier's Office
- Computer Lab
- Library
- Writing Center

The following student services are open at Pierce College Puyallup for limited in-person hours:

- Advising
- Admissions
- Enrollment Services
- Veteran Services
- Cashier's Office
- Computer Lab
- Library
- Writing Center

The following services are open in the Stone Education Center at Pierce College at JBLM for limited in-person hours:

- Advising
- Enrollment Services
- Cashier's Office
- Testing at JBLM is by appointment only

Please visit www.pierce.ctc.edu/returning-to-campus for details about hours of operation and safety guidelines for using these resources before coming to campus.

Getting Started

REGISTER TODAY!

Fall term session 1 begins Sept. 20

1 ADMISSIONS APPLICATION
Submit an admissions application at www.pierce.ctc.edu/apply-admission
FS: 253-964-6501 | PY: 253-864-3254

The Bachelor of Applied Science degrees, Veterinary Technology, Nursing and International Education require special admission procedures.

2 EXPLORE FUNDING
Apply for financial aid (grants and loans) and learn about payment options.

For more funding options and timelines visit: www.pierce.ctc.edu/pay-college
Financial Aid: 253-964-6544

3 DETERMINE YOUR STARTING POINT
Placement for English, reading and math classes can be determined in multiple ways such as Smarter Balanced Assessment scores, high school or college transcripts, placement reciprocity, or a computer-based assessment.
www.pierce.ctc.edu/testing-centers
FS: 253-964-6521 | PY: 253-840-8343

4 GET CONNECTED
Log in to MyPierce to set up your student email and complete the Student Guide. After you've finished the guide, you will schedule your advising appointment.
www.pierce.ctc.edu/get-connected
FS: 253-964-6705 | PY: 253-840-8431

5 REGISTER FOR CLASSES
After seeing your advisor, register for classes and pay your tuition and fees.
www.pierce.ctc.edu/register-and-pay
FS: 253-964-6615 | PY: 253-840-8413



The best way to get to know Pierce College is to visit the campus virtually! We welcome you to experience both of our beautiful campuses and learn more about how we can help you get started on your educational path. Take a virtual tour today:

<https://tour.lcp360.com/nocache/pierce/>

IMPORTANT DATES

Fall registration begins	Now
Labor Day - college closed	Sept. 6
Fall term session 1 begins	Sept. 20
Fall term session 2 begins	Oct. 6
Pre-registration advising begins	Oct. 18
In-service day - no classes	Oct. 22
Winter registration begins (currently enrolled students)	Nov. 1
Veterans Day - no classes, college open	Nov. 11
Open winter registration begins (new students)	Nov. 15
Degree/diploma applications due	Nov. 15
RPD Day - no classes, college open	Nov. 24
Last day of instruction, session 1, JBLM	Nov. 24
Thanksgiving and	Nov. 25-26
Native American Heritage Day - college closed	
Last day of instruction, session 1, FS/PY	Dec. 3
Last day of instruction, session 2, FS/PY, JBLM	Dec. 8
Final exams, session 1, FS/PY	Dec. 6-8
<i>The full academic calendar is at www.pierce.ctc.edu</i>	

»»» Enroll Now! FOR FALL QUARTER »»»

FS - Fort Steilacoom campus | PY - Puyallup campus

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Programs

UNIVERSITY TRANSFER DEGREES

If your goal is a bachelor's degree or beyond, it makes sense to attend Pierce College for your first two years. You'll pay a fraction of the cost for the same education and enjoy small class sizes and hands-on learning.

Associate in Arts (AA-DTA)

Associate in Science (AS-T)

- AS-T Track 1 for science pre-majors in biological sciences, chemistry, environmental/resource sciences, geology and earth science

- AS-T Track 2 for science pre-majors in engineering, computer science, physics and atmospheric sciences

Associate in Biology (DTA/MRP)

Associate in Business (DTA/MRP)

Associate in Construction Management (DTA/MRP)

Associate in Math Education (DTA/MRP)

Associate in Music (DTA/MRP)

Associate in Pre-Nursing (DTA/MRP)

BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREES

Pierce College now offers the following five Bachelor of Applied Science degrees:

BAS in Applied Business Management** – The Bachelor in Applied Science in Applied Business Management (BAS-ABM) is a cohort-based, full-time, two-year program. With this affordable, convenient and quality baccalaureate degree, you gain 21st century technical, transferable and lifelong-learning skills employers demand.

BAS in Dental Hygiene** – This program enjoys national acclaim and recognition for consistently graduating clinically skilled and intellectually strong dental hygienists.

BAS in Fire Services Leadership and Management** – This professional development program trains existing fire service professionals to navigate the administrative, technical and operational demands of fire departments.

BAS in Homeland Security Emergency Management** – This online and hybrid program is part of a guided career pathway designed to prepare students to become 21st century emergency management professionals.

BAS in Teaching** – This degree leads to teacher licensure with dual endorsements in both P-3 education and P-3 special education. The program was designed with best practices in teacher preparation.

TRANSITIONAL EDUCATION

Whether you need to finish your high school diploma or learn English, Pierce College has a program to help you build your educational foundation.

Pierce College Adult Diploma (PCAD)

Basic Education for Adults (BEA)

English as a Second Language (ESL)

General Education Development (GED)

PROFESSIONAL/TECHNICAL DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES

Pierce College's professional/technical degrees and certificates are designed to provide students with the technical and related skills needed for successful employment.

DEGREES

Administrative Assistant Medical Office (AAS)

Administrative Office Assistant Associate (AAS)

Applied Accounting

Applied Business*

Computer Network Engineering

Construction Management

Criminal Justice

Database Management and Design

Digital Design

Early Childhood Education*

Fire Services Leadership and Management+*

Health Informatics and Integrated Technology

Homeland Security Emergency Management

Kinesiology*

Medical Billing and Coding (AAS)

Military Technology and Leadership (AT)

Nursing (ADN)**

Occupational Safety and Health Technician^*

Office Management (AAS)

Paraeducation

Physical Therapist Assistant^^++

Social Service/Mental Health

Veterinary Technology**

CERTIFICATES

Accounting Office Assistant

Accounting Technology

Administrative Assistant Medical Office

Administrative Office Assistant

Application Development

Bookkeeping Office Assistant

Business

Business Analysis

Business Technology (IBEST)

Computer Systems Administration

Construction Management

Construction Safety Technician^

Crime Analysis and Investigations

Criminal Justice

Emergency Medical Services

Emergency Medical Technician

Entrepreneurship

Explorer/Cadet Pre-Law Enforcement

Fitness Coach

Forensic Technology

Healthcare Database Management and Design

Homeland Security Emergency Management

Human Resource Management

Medical Billing and Coding

Microsoft Systems Administrator

Network Infrastructure Specialist

Personal Training

Project Management

Sales

Short Project Management

Small Business

Social Media and Marketing

Social Service/Mental Health

State Early Childhood Education Certificate

State Initial Early Childhood Education

State Initial Paraeducation

State Paraeducation

State Short Early Childhood Certificate of Specialization - Administration

State Short Early Childhood Certificate of Specialization - Family Child Care

State Short Early Childhood Certificate of Specialization - General

State Short Early Childhood Education Certificate of Specialization - Home Visitor/Family

State Short Early Childhood Certificate of Specialization - Infants and Toddlers

State Short Early Childhood Certificate of Specialization - School Age Care

Supervision and Management

Tribal Homeland Security Emergency Management

Virtual Design and Construction for Construction Management

* Applied Science – Transfer Degree (AAS-T)

** Special admissions procedures apply

^ Collaboration with Edmonds Community College

^^ Collaboration with Whatcom Community College

+ Collaboration with the Tacoma Fire Department

++ Associate in Science (AS)

Services

ACCESS AND DISABILITY SERVICES

253-964-6468

www.pierce.ctc.edu/ads

If you are a student with disabilities, you can access accommodations and support as well as educational planning, advising, assistive technology and learning strategies.

eLEARNING

253-964-6244

www.pierce.ctc.edu/elearning

Using technology, eLearning allows you the freedom, flexibility and control to earn a certificate or degree on your own schedule.

EDI CARES

253-912-2264

FS: 253-912-3659 | **PY:** 253-840-8487

www.pierce.ctc.edu/edi

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ig @edicarespiercecollege

The EDI CARES (Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, College Access, Retention, and Engagement Services) office is a brave space focused on empowering all Pierce College students to achieve their academic, professional, and life goals. We provide one-to-one personalized coaching and mentorship, degree and educational planning, assistance with navigating college life, financial aid, scholarships, as well as student life events, activities and leadership opportunities. The programs included in EDI CARES are:

- ASPIRE- ASPIRE aims to improve enrollment, retention and completion rates of underrepresented Asian American, Pacific Islander and low-income students.
- TRIO Student Support Services- The TRIO programs at Pierce College Fort Steilacoom provides extra support and assist students in transferring to four-year colleges or universities.
- Student Life and Engagement, Student Government, student activities and clubs.
- Our cultural affinity programs include LINK (Legacy of Indigenous Native Knowledge), James Baldwin's Scholars: Black/ African and African American, LATINE/LATINX, and LGBTQIA+/Queer people of color. Please fill out this interest form to begin the entry process into EDI CARES: bit.ly/edicaresapp

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

253-964-6229

www.pierce.ctc.edu/ie

Students from around the world can earn degrees at Pierce College while strengthening their English skills, exploring American culture, and sharing their own culture with local students. In addition, American students can take advantage of Pierce's opportunities to study abroad.

JOB AND CAREER CONNECTIONS

253-964-6265

www.pierce.ctc.edu/workforce-connections

Resources for students, alumni, staff and community members to explore career options, education pathways and connect with internships and employment.

MILITARY EDUCATION

Fort Lewis: 253-964-6567

McChord: 253-964-6606

www.pierce.ctc.edu/jblm

Two education centers at Joint Base Lewis-McChord offer accelerated programs open to active-duty military personnel, their family members, VA benefit recipients and civilians.

RUNNING START

FS: 253-964-6705 | **PY:** 253-840-8431

www.pierce.ctc.edu/running-start

Academically qualified high school juniors and seniors can take college-level courses at Pierce College, earning both high school and college credit tuition-free.

TUTORING

FS: 253-964-6737 | **PY:** 253-864-3258

www.pierce.ctc.edu/tutoring

Pierce College offers a variety of academic support services to meet individual needs of students.

VETERANS SERVICES

FS: 253-964-6505 | **PY:** 253-864-3194

www.pierce.ctc.edu/veterans

Specialized staff at both campuses are here to help veterans through the process of receiving VA Education Benefits. The Veterans Resource Center at Pierce College Fort Steilacoom has a textbook lending library, study areas, computers and a comfortable space for meeting other student veterans and learning about local resources.

WORKFORCE

253-964-6265

www.pierce.ctc.edu/workforce

Workforce programs help you reach new career goals by finding the program that works for you and your family, giving you the support you need to succeed.

COLLABORATIONS



Interested in transferring to University of Washington Tacoma? Contact Maria Reyes at Mreyes@pierce.ctc.edu or 253-912-2399 x5593 for help.



Central Washington University operates an extension site at Pierce College Fort Steilacoom, allowing students to earn bachelor's degrees in Lakewood.



Invista Performance Solutions is a workforce training resource that provides customized, targeted employee training for businesses.

Pierce Points of Pride



Supporting You
WHERE YOU ARE!



Pierce College District was named one of the top 10 best community colleges in the nation in 2021 for the Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence.



#1

2-YEAR COLLEGE IN THE NATION
Rated for Veterans by the Military Times

94%

PIERCE COLLEGE HAS **INCREASED** ITS GRADUATION RATE BY 94% OVER THE LAST EIGHT ACADEMIC YEARS



Pierce College Fort Steilacoom was named a Rising Star for the 2019 Aspen Prize for Community College Excellence, the nation's signature recognition of high achievement and performance among community colleges.



Pierce College has received the LEAH MEYER AUSTIN AWARD – the highest distinction a college in the Achieving the Dream network can earn.

68%

FIRST-GENERATION COLLEGE STUDENTS

15

AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

TUITION COMPARISON



11,800

PIERCE COLLEGE IS THE LARGEST COLLEGE IN PIERCE COUNTY, SERVING MORE THAN 11,800 STUDENTS ANNUALLY.

PATHWAYS FOR SUCCESS

Pierce College was selected as one of five colleges in the state*, and one of 30 in the nation**, to implement Guided Pathways. Guided Pathways simplifies course choices, helping students make the most efficient use of their time and money.

If you're in need of assistance in any of the following areas, don't hesitate to reach out.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Our Financial Aid specialists are here to help! They will help you explore all options available to you, including grants, loans and CARES Act emergency funding. All students are welcome to consult with Financial Aid – even if you've never worked with them in the past.

► *More Info:* www.pierce.ctc.edu/financial-aid or financialaid@pierce.ctc.edu



TECHNOLOGY SUPPORT

We offer the tools you need to succeed in online learning! Equipment such as Chromebooks, Wi-Fi hotspots, calculators and more are available to students to borrow for the quarter. The Student Technology Assistance Team (STAT) is available to help answer technology-related questions at stat@pierce.ctc.edu.

The Pierce College eLearning Team is also available to answer questions related to Canvas at distedu@pierce.ctc.edu. All other general questions can be sent to helpdesk@pierce.ctc.edu.

► *More Info:* www.pierce.ctc.edu/student-support-technology



ACADEMIC SUPPORT

Access the Library, Tutoring and the Writing Centers online. You can also stay engaged with your campus community by joining virtual clubs and activities.

► *More Info:* www.pierce.ctc.edu/student-support-resources



BASIC NEEDS SUPPORT

We understand that the COVID-19 pandemic has created challenges for many of our students. Our Basic Needs Resources page provides critical information that can help you find immediate food, medical, childcare and financial assistance.

► *More Info:* www.pierce.ctc.edu/student-support-help



PIERCE NEWS

PIERCE COLLEGE RANKED NO. 1 COMMUNITY COLLEGE IN THE NATION FOR VETERANS – AND TOP COLLEGE OVERALL IN THE NORTHWEST!

Pierce College was recently named the top community college for veterans in the nation in a comprehensive annual list by the Military Times. The Best for Vets: Colleges 2021 ranking also named Pierce College the No. 1 college overall for veterans in the Northwest region.

For the past 10 years, Military Times' Best for Vets: Colleges has been a top resource for veterans to help with their education decisions. Each year, a comprehensive survey is sent to colleges and universities across the nation asking about

their programs for veterans. The survey results are analyzed, along with public data about colleges and universities obtained from the Department of Education and Department of Veterans Affairs, and turned into an official ranking.

"We're grateful to the Military Times for recognizing schools that go above and beyond in serving military-connected students," said Pierce College at JBLM Executive Director Mark Haskins. "This is not optional for us, and we expect to make the list. However, to be ranked No. 1 Best for Vets

community college in the nation and No. 1 overall institution in the northwest region is truly an honor. It's particularly gratifying to be recognized among the biggest names in military education.

"Pierce College went above and beyond this past year to serve our military-connected students through these trying times," Haskins continued. "Whether it was through technology loan programs, online science labs, or even greater flexibility in our military-friendly policies, we did our best to keep our students on track to success."

According to the Military Times, this annual list is the largest and most comprehensive ranking of schools for military service members and veterans, helping them make important decisions about their education. Best for Vets: Colleges 2021 is an editorially independent news project that evaluates the many factors that help make colleges and universities a good fit for service members, military veterans and their families. ■



PIERCE COLLEGE LAUNCHES NEW PODCAST TO SHINE A SPOTLIGHT ON OUR RELENTLESS PURSUIT OF MISSION



We are excited to share with you the launch of PierceCast: the official Pierce College podcast! We hope you will listen in as we shine a spotlight on the people who are working every day to help the college pursue its mission: to create quality educational opportunities for

a diverse community of learners to thrive in an evolving world.

We hope this podcast provides a new and FUN way for you to feel connected with all the awesome work being done across the college community.

Don't miss an episode! PierceCast is available on Stitcher, Apple Podcasts, Spotify, and more. Search for 'PierceCast' in your favorite app or visit PierceCast on Red Circle and select 'Listen on...' to get connected.

Previous episodes highlight our awesome podcast hosts: Joey Adams, IT Specialist; Niki Ericksen,

Administrative Assistant to Marketing and Communications and Strategic Advancement; and Tony Grace, Student Success Manager for eLearning. We also dive into the college's work toward becoming an anti-racist institution; the many services available to help our students be successful; and we sit down with and get to know our college's amazing leaders.

Find more information about PierceCast and listen to the latest episodes at <https://www.pierce.ctc.edu/piercecast>. ■

Virtual PERSONAL ENRICHMENT

COME Zoom WITH US!
 Courses marked VIRTUAL are conducted via Zoom. It's fun and easy! No account or password required. Just click your assigned link to connect with your instructor and their virtual classroom.

HOT CLASSES
 This class is HOT! Register early!

SUPPLY FEE
 Supply fees apply to some classes. These are separate fees payable to the instructor on the first day of class. Cash only please. Look for this symbol for classes where this applies.

Art & Creativity

Request a supply list by emailing ce-questions@pierce.ctc.edu.

NEW! Drawing

If you want to learn or hone your drawing skills or just want to have fun, bring your paper and pencils to this five-week course. You will learn to draw from observation and other techniques. Line quality and shading methods will also be explored. Other media such as paper and charcoal are possibilities.

IN PERSON PUY AAH 236 Fee: \$109
 Thursday 6-7:30 p.m.
 Ward 5 sessions: Sept. 23 to Oct. 21

Acrylic Painting

Let's paint! Our first session will include a course overview, and an introduction to blending with intention. Our lessons are designed for beginners and/or intermediate. Our focus will be on blending, creating textures and multimedia techniques. Prior to our first class meeting you will need to have all your supplies ready to go which include acrylic paint, canvas and brushes.

IN PERSON PUY AAH 238 Fee: \$109
 Tuesday 6-8 p.m.
 Sattler 4 sessions: Oct. 5-26

NEW! Play with Clay – Holiday Luminary

In this beginning two-hour, hand-built pottery class, you will learn the basics of slab-building and designing a holiday luminary with lid in a low-key, easy to understand, hands-on class. You will have several choices of holiday and all-season cutouts to choose from or create your own. A votive candle (battery) will be provided when you pick up your finished piece. Pottery is a process. Once you have created your masterpiece you need to leave it with us so it can be dried, kiln fired, glazed, and kiln fired again. But don't despair! The piece is normally ready for pick-up at the farm within three weeks. All levels welcome. **SUPPLY FEE: \$10**

IN PERSON RRC* Fee: \$39
 Wednesday 6:30-8:30 p.m.
 Stuart 1 session: Sept. 22

IN PERSON RRC* Fee: \$39
 Saturday 10 a.m. to noon
 Stuart 1 session: Sept. 25

NEW! Play with Clay – Succulents

In this beginning hand-built pottery class, you will learn the basics of slab-building and design in a low-key, easy to understand, hands-on class. You will create a cluster of succulents. All levels welcome, no matter your experience it will be a chance to toss some clay and create. Pottery is a process. Once you have created your masterpiece you need to leave it with us so it can be dried, kiln fired, glazed, and kiln fired again. But don't despair! The piece is normally ready for pick-up at the farm within three weeks. All levels welcome. **SUPPLY FEE: \$10**

IN PERSON RRC* Fee: \$39
 Saturday 10 a.m. to noon
 Stuart 1 session: Oct. 16

NEW! Play with Clay – Mug or Canister

In this beginning two-hour hand-built pottery class, you will learn the basics of slab-building and designing a coffee mug or canister with lid in a low-key, easy to understand, hands-on class. Pottery is a process. Once you have created your masterpiece you need to leave it with us so it can be dried, kiln fired, glazed, and kiln fired again. But don't despair! The piece is normally ready for pick-up at the farm within three weeks. All levels welcome. **SUPPLY FEE: \$10**

IN PERSON RRC* Fee: \$39
 Wednesday 6:30-8:30 p.m.
 Stuart 1 session: Oct. 20

IN PERSON RRC* Fee: \$39
 Saturday 10 a.m. to noon
 Stuart 1 session: Oct. 23

NEW! Watercolor on Aquabord®

Let's have some fun painting with watercolor on a new surface, Aquabord! This new medium is more forgiving than paper and opens the door to so much more creativity! You will learn how to paint and lift brilliant hues of color. Project includes painting a bear and if time permits, a flower or two.

IN PERSON PUY AAH 236 Fee: \$49
 Saturday 9 a.m. to noon
 Ward 1 session: Oct. 16

NEW! Watercolor: Landscapes

Get out your brushes and watercolor paints for some fun and inspirational landscape painting! Mt. Rainier might be a good choice! Since you will be using your own photos, you may want to include places as well as objects and/or people. This five-week course for all skill levels will explore washes, wet-on-wet and dry-brush techniques. Students will paint with various techniques. First and last class will be conducted in person, the other three will be conducted virtually via ZOOM.

HYBRID PUY AAH 236 Fee: \$119
 Tuesday 6-8 p.m.
 Ward 5 sessions: Sept. 21 to Oct. 19

*RRC - Roost at Roddy Creek
 6103 128th St E,
 Puyallup, WA 98373

Body, Spirit, Mind & Soul

Developing Your Intuition Using Astrology and Tarot

This popular course is back! Use astrology and tarot to help you develop and understand your own intuitive powers. To understand this course, we do ask that you have a basic understanding of the tarot. We'll study cycles and trends in your life, how to work with daily transits using the monthly calendar, compatibility charts, celebrity charts and your solar returns for the year. Bring your favorite tarot deck to class.

IN PERSON FS OLY 202 Fee: \$99
 Thursday 7-9 p.m.
 Tognetti 7 sessions: Sept. 23 to Nov. 4

Chakra Workshop

Chakras are our bodies' inner energy centers that help us function on all levels. When we activate our chakras, we help to heal emotional wounds and physical ailments, balance our circadian rhythm and enhance inner peace. This virtual class covers the basics of the seven main chakras and how to align them using crystal chakra kits, essential oils, meditation, and herbs. *Class includes a handout, chakra test and eBook.*

VIRTUAL Fee: \$29
 Saturday 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
 Bailey 1 session: Oct. 30

Career & Trade Skills

Learn CATIA at Pierce College

CATIA V5® is the most prevalent CAD/CAM system used in the aerospace and automotive industries. Give yourself an edge in hiring and promotions by learning it!

Pierce is offering at home CATIA® simulation training for both CATIA® V5 and the newer CATIA® 3DEXperience.

We also offer Instructor-Led versions of all courses. Contact us for more information.

Company payments and Boeing vouchers are accepted.

Contact us to download to your PC a sample of our simulation training to see if it works for you. It has four actual modules from our full 3DX course.

We currently offer:

- ♦ Basic CATIA NC Programming
- ♦ Advanced CATIA NC Programming
- ♦ CATIA V5 Design Essentials
- ♦ CATIA 3DEXperience Design Essentials

For more information call (253) 840-8451.

Flagging

Certified flaggers are responsible for worker and public safety during road construction, utility work and maintenance operations. Through visual movements and appearance, flaggers must establish authority and confidence so traffic will respond in time and consistently with the need to stop, change lanes, proceed more slowly or maneuver as necessary around the work site. This course prepares students to receive a flagger certification card, which is valid for three years in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana. Students must be at least 18 years old. There is an open-book test at the end of class in which you must have a passing score of 80 percent in order to receive your certification. Book included in course fee. Bring a sack lunch.

IN PERSON PUY LSC 128 Fee: \$79
 Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 Pollard 1 session: Sept. 25

IN PERSON PUY LSC 128 Fee: \$79
 Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 Pollard 1 session: Oct. 16

IN PERSON PUY LSC 128 Fee: \$79
 Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 Pollard 1 session: Nov. 13

IN PERSON PUY LSC 128 Fee: \$79
 Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 Pollard 1 session: Dec. 4

NEW! Negotiating your salary as a BIPOC professional

This course is specifically targeted to entry and mid-level BIPOC professionals in diverse industries who are interested in learning about the realities of salary negotiation in predominately white workplaces, as well as tips and strategies to make a winning salary negotiation pitch and secure the income you want. Learn how to understand and leverage your strengths, unique racial identities and cultural competencies, research your market value and create persuasive requests.

VIRTUAL Fee: \$79
 Saturday 10 a.m. to noon
 Graham 3 session: Oct. 8-22

Stay Active and Independent for Life (SAIL) Program Leader Training

If you are a health, fitness, nursing or senior care professional, join our online SAIL program. Get the training you need to lead SAIL exercise sessions to assist older adults to improve strength, balance and assist them with their ability to perform daily tasks. Continuing Education Units (CEUs) are included in the course fee.

ONLINE Fee: \$299
 Sept. 20 to Dec. 8

Home & Garden

Nature's Immunity Boosters

Are you tired of worrying about being sick every winter? Learn how to increase your immunity using certain foods, teas, essential oils and herbal supplements as well as other natural techniques. We will cover how to prevent colds, flu, allergies and general immune system enhancement. *Class includes a handout and eBook.*

VIRTUAL Fee: \$29
 Saturday 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
 Bailey 1 session: Oct. 2

Fun with Fall Flowers

Come learn to make beautiful flower arrangements yourself that will impress friends and family. We'll use fall flowers such as sunflowers, roses, carnations, mums, solidago, snapdragons and gerbera daisies. Each week, you will bring home a different arrangement, including a door hanging, Halloween arrangement, tall entry or end table arrangement, and a Thanksgiving table arrangement. *No class Nov. 11.*

IN PERSON PUY LSC 150 Fee: \$229
 Thursday 6-8 p.m.
 Johnson 5 sessions: Oct. 14 to Nov. 18

Herbs Everyday

Herbs are food and vitamins as well as medicine – that's why it is important to use them on a daily basis. Choosing which herbs work most effectively and duration can be confusing and intimidating. In this class, you will learn why and how this process works by understanding herbal energetics and the three body types or doshas. We will also discuss the different herbal forms and how to infuse herbs into your lifestyle from a practicing herbalist with 30 years' experience. *Class includes a handout & eBook.*

VIRTUAL Fee: \$29
 Saturday 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
 Bailey 1 session: Oct. 9

Herbal Medicine Chest

Learn how to stock your herbal medicine chest with easy-to-make home remedies using herbs, spices, and other natural ingredients. Explore what you can create in your own kitchen and share with friends and family. Join Certified Herbalist Kerri Bailey as she shares her 30 years of experience and recipes with you. Students will learn how to make herbal vitamins, tinctures and extracts, balms and butters, herbal sprays, essential oil blends, tea blends and bath salts. *Class includes a handout and an eBook.*

VIRTUAL Fee: \$29
 Saturday 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
 Bailey 1 session: Oct. 16

Put your Garden to Bed

Fall is one of the most important seasons for your garden! Learn what you need to do to prepare your garden for fall and winter months, getting a jump-start for the following spring. We will cover how to take care of your landscape, garden beds, irrigation and water features as well as what you can plant, mulch and fertilize during this time. *Includes a year-round garden schedule, cool-warm season veggie guide, handout and eBook.*

VIRTUAL Fee: \$29
 Saturday 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
 Bailey 1 session: Sept. 25

Language

Beginning Conversational Spanish

The best way to learn a language is through conversation. In this fun and relaxed beginning level course, you'll learn conversation skills virtually. Plus, the basics, such as how to ask for directions, order a meal, or ask the price of an item plus much, much more!

VIRTUAL Fee: \$99
 Wednesday 6:30-8 p.m.
 Palacios 6 sessions: Sept. 22 to Oct. 27

Beginning Conversational French 🇫🇷

Come learn to express yourself in simple conversations, do some basic conjugations, build a working vocabulary, and, if planning a trip to France, survive! This course is ideal for those with little to no knowledge of French, who are planning a trip to France, or who simply want to learn to speak this beautiful language.

VIRTUAL **Fee: \$99**
Tuesday **6:30-8 p.m.**
Kernc **6 sessions: Sept. 21 to Oct. 26**

Music & Voice

Introduction to Voiceovers: Getting Started in Voice Acting

"Wow, you have a great voice!" Have you heard that more times than you can count? If so, you could have what it takes to begin working as a professional voiceover artist. This course is offered as a 90-minute virtual video chat where you will receive one-on-one instruction. After registration, please email ce-questions@pierce.ctc.edu to schedule your one-on-one chat today!

VIRTUAL **Fee: \$69**
VFA **1 session: Arranged**

Beginning Guitar 🎸

Come learn how to play your guitar quickly and easily in this fun course. You will learn the basics of reading music, how to hold and use a pick, tuning, chords, finger numbers, hand position, strum patterns and more. You'll also learn several songs, all with different styles and techniques. Please bring a functioning guitar and pick to class. **SUPPLY FEE: \$10**

IN PERSON **PUY LSC 150** **Fee: \$99**
Wednesday **6-7:30 p.m.**
Herring **5 sessions: Oct. 6 to Nov. 3**

Songwriting 🎵

Have you ever wanted to write a song and didn't know where to start? This fun course is for you! We'll study word composition and phrasing, song arrangement, chord progressions as well as continuity of theme. Includes exercises in word phrasing, rhyme and poetry. You will also have the chance to share your individual ideas while forming your own songs! Ann Herring is an award winning songwriter who with her band at one time toured with Johnny Cash, Rodney Crowell, and Emmy Lou Harris.

IN PERSON **PUY AAH 203** **Fee: \$89**
Monday **6-7:30 p.m.**
Herring **4 sessions: Oct. 4-25**

JOIN THE PIERCE COLLEGE MUSIC PROGRAM

Concert Choir

Non-auditioned choir for both beginning and experienced singers. You will have the opportunity to rehearse and perform choral literature as a community member joining with the college concert choir.

IN PERSON **PUY AAH 102** **Fee: \$49**
Tuesday/Thursday **12:30-2:30 p.m.**
Owen **20 sessions: Sept. 21 to Dec. 7**

College Band

A large performance group open to all with experience reading and performing instrumental band literature. You will have the opportunity to rehearse and perform as a community member joining with the college band.

IN PERSON **PUY AAH 102** **Fee: \$49**
Tuesday **7:30-9:30 p.m.**
Bove **12 sessions: Sept. 21 to Dec. 7**

College Orchestra

A large performance group open to all with experience reading and performing instrumental orchestra literature. You will have the opportunity to rehearse and perform as a community member joining with the college orchestra. Prior to registering, please contact kbove@pierce.ctc.edu to discuss your instrument and experience level.

IN PERSON **PUY AAH 102** **Fee: \$49**
Monday **7:30-9:30 p.m.**
Bove **12 sessions: Sept. 20 to Dec. 6**

Personal Planning & Finance

Planning for Your End of Life 🕯️

As the holidays get underway, your families will be thankful for the gift of end-of-life planning. Learn how to put your will, final papers, and end-of-life information in order. Topics include important documents to have on file, helpful information for loved ones, and ideas for leaving a lasting memory. Includes a checklist to follow and a resource list.

VIRTUAL **Fee: \$29**
Saturday **10 a.m. to noon**
Holmstrom **1 session: Nov. 6**

Health Care and Your Retirement

The potential impact of rising health care costs on retirement savings. Includes an introduction to Medicare coverage, costs, long-term care costs, available options for supplemental health care and long-term care insurance.

IN PERSON **PUY ADM 136** **Fee: \$29**
Wednesday **6-8 p.m.**
Loe **1 session: Sept. 29**

Leave It, Move It, Roll It, Take It

This informative workshop is designed to help individuals learn how to handle their 401(k), pension or other employer-sponsored retirement plan when they leave a job.

IN PERSON **PUY ADM 136** **Fee: \$29**
Wednesday **6-8 p.m.**
Loe **1 session: Oct. 20**

Social Security: Your Questions Answered

This popular, recurring workshop will teach you ways to maximize Social Security benefit amounts for yourself and your spouse based on age, life expectancy, employment and need. Plenty of time for questions and answers.

IN PERSON **PUY ADM 136** **Fee: \$29**
Wednesday **6-7:30 p.m.**
Loe **1 session: Nov. 3**

NEW! Simplify Your Spending and Saving Strategies

Encourages developing a budget, identifying financial goals, understanding the balance between spending, saving and borrowing and having a strategy.

IN PERSON **PUY ADM 136** **Fee: \$29**
Wednesday **6-8 p.m.**
Loe **1 session: Nov. 17**

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 Effective Selling
 High Performance Organization
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 Introduction to Business Analysis
 Keyboarding
 Mastery of Business Fundamentals
 Professional Sales Skills
 Sales Training
 Talent and Performance Management
 Total Quality Fundamentals
 Using Social Media in Business

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 Effective Business Writing
 Fundamentals of Technical Writing
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 Introduction to Internet Writing Markets
 Research Methods for Writers
 Resume Writing Workshop
 The Craft of Magazine Writing
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 Writing and Editing

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 Individual Excellence
 Interpersonal Communication
 Keys to Effective Communication
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 Presentation Skills
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 Keys to Successful Money Management
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 Adobe InDesign
 Adobe Lightroom
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 Creating WordPress Websites
 Designing Effective Websites
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 Conversational Japanese
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 Instant Italian
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 Spanish for Law Enforcement
 Spanish for Medical Professionals
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 Creating a Successful Business Plan
 Employment Law Fundamentals
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 Understanding the Human Resources Function
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Call Center Manager
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Career Counselor *
100 hours, \$1,295

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210 hours, \$2,495

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Entrepreneurship: Start-Up and Business Owner Management
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300 hours, \$2,495

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120 hours, \$1,795

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125 hours, \$2,295 (Exam vouchers included)

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100 hours, \$1,295

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Digital Game Artist Certificate *
600 hours, \$2,595

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200 hours, \$1,995

Graphic Design with Photoshop (software included)
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Marketing Design Certificate *
360 hours, \$3,295

Multimedia Arts Certificate *
360 hours, \$3,295

Web Design Professional
384 hours, \$2,995

Supply Chain

Certified Green Supply Chain Professional *
60 hours, \$1,595

Freight Broker/Agent Training *
180 hours, \$1,895

Certified Supply Chain Professional *
120 hours, \$2,295

UNEMPLOYED?

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Prepare for an entry-level job as a UX designer. In this program, you'll learn the foundations of UX design, how to conduct user research, and design prototypes in tools like Figma and Adobe XD. This is for you if you enjoy design, research and thinking creatively.
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- Under the Fee Installment Plan, you can make up to three interest-free payments. Contact cashiering at cashiering@pierce.ctc.edu or 253-964-6700.
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Early Childhood: Observation & Assessment	English Language Learner: Methods and Materials	Try DI!
Early Childhood: Program Planning	Learning Disabilities	Understanding & Implementing Common Core Standards
Early Childhood: Typical & Atypical Development	Reading Fundamentals #3: The Elements of Effective Reading Instruction & Assessment	Understanding Aggression
English Language Learner: Evaluations & Assessment	Response to Intervention (RTI)	Why DI? – An Introduction to Differentiated Instruction
English Language Learner: Language Acquisition		

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Advanced Classroom Management: Children as Change Agents	Educational Assessment	Reading Fundamentals #2: Laying the Foundation for Effective Reading Instruction
Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)	Harassment, Bullying & Cyber-Intimidation in Schools	Six Traits of Writing Model: Teaching and Assessing
Autism & Asperger's Disorder	Inclusion	Talented & Gifted: Working with High Achievers
Build School Communities: Brain Smart Classroom Management	Infant & Toddler Mental Health	Teaching Diversity
Child Abuse	Reading & Writing in Content Area	Teaching Elementary Math Conceptually
Drugs & Alcohol in Schools	Reading Fundamentals #1: An Introduction to Scientifically-based Research	Traumatized Child
Early Childhood: Family-Centered Services		Violence in Schools

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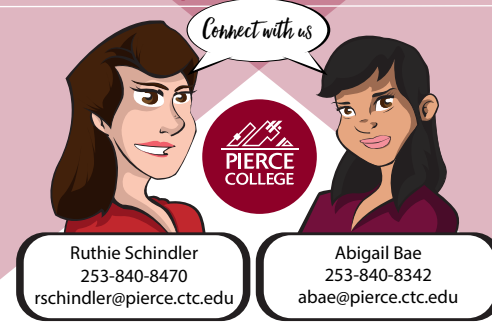
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Common Core Standards in English K-5	Guided Reading and Writing: Strategies for Maximum Student Achievement	Singapore Math Strategies: Advanced Model Drawing for Grades 6-9
Content Literacy: Grades 6-12	Homeschool with Success	Solving Classroom Discipline Problems
Creating Classroom Centers	Integrating Technology in the Classroom (STEM Clock Hours)	Solving Classroom Discipline Problems II
Creating a Classroom Website	Leadership	Spanish in the Classroom
Creating the Inclusive Classroom: Strategies for Success	Microsoft Excel in the Classroom	Survival Kit for New Teachers
The Creative Classroom	Microsoft PowerPoint in the Classroom	Teaching Adult Learners
Differentiating K-12 Assessments	Microsoft Word in the Classroom	Teaching High School
Empowering Students with Disabilities	Praxis Core Preparation	Teaching Math: Grades 4-6
Enhancing Language Development in Childhood	Singapore Math: Number Sense and Computational Strategies	Teaching Preschool: A Year of Inspiring Lessons
Get Assertive!	Singapore Math Strategies: Model Drawing for Grades 1-6	Teaching Science: Grades 4-6
Grammar for ESL		Teaching Smarter with SMART Boards
		Teaching Writing: Grades K-3
		Teaching Writing: Grades 4-6
		Understanding Adolescents
		Using the Internet in the Classroom
		Writing for ESL

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