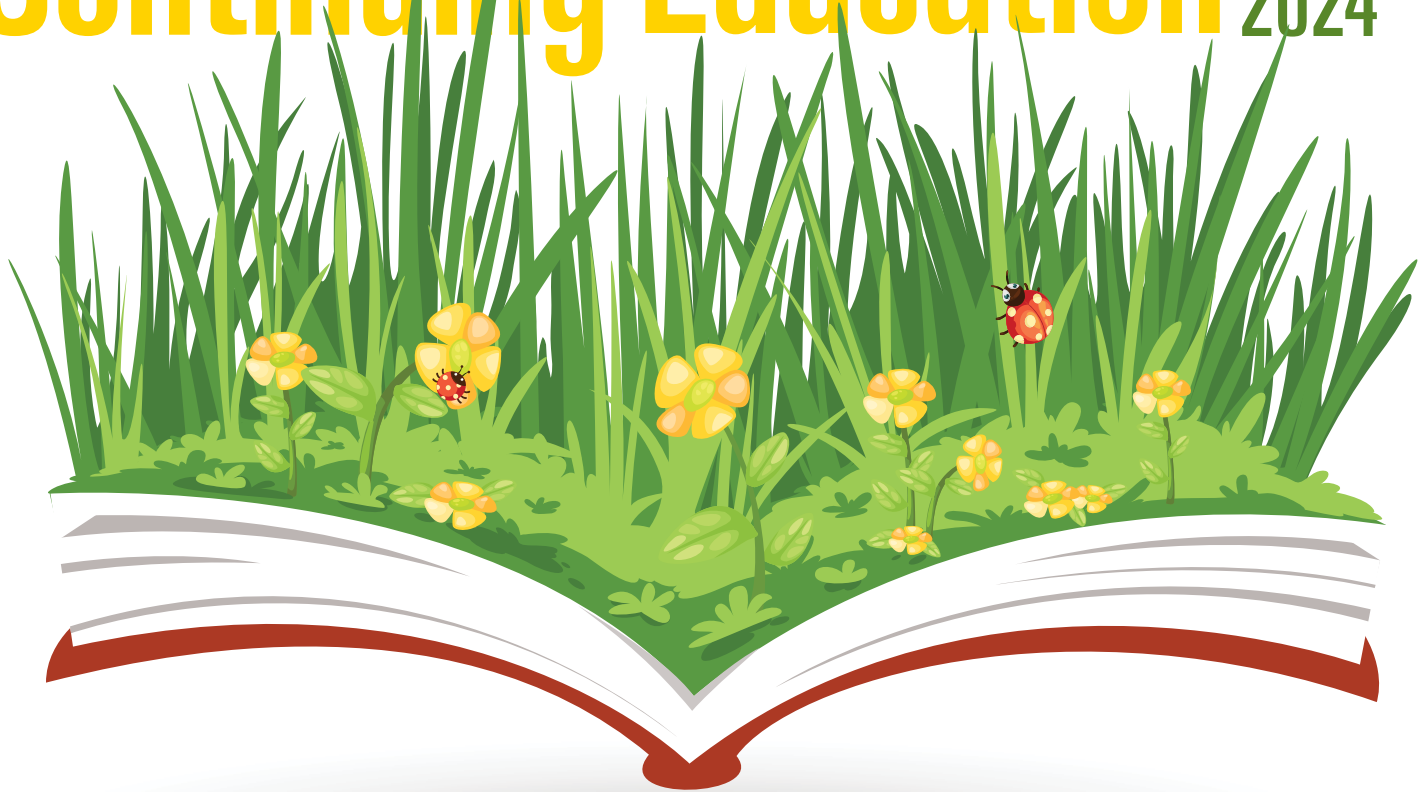


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## ARTS & CREATIVITY

### Watercolor Techniques

Get to know your paints and brushes, learn the value scale, washes, wet-on-wet, wet-on-dry, the color wheel, color mixing and saving the whites in your watercolor. Whether you are a complete beginner or interested in refining your skills, this course is perfect for you.

5 sessions.

#### Tacoma Campus

33646 May 7-Jun 4 Tu 6-8:30p TCC/19-10 Owen \$165

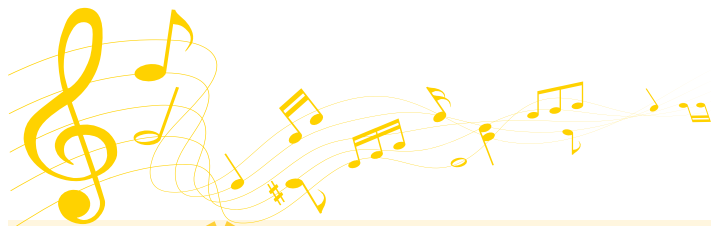
#### Gig Harbor Campus - No Class May 27

33647 May 6-Jun 10 M 9:30a-12p GHC/108 Owen \$165

### Exploring Relief Printmaking

Explore the art of linoleum block printing. From drawing and transferring images onto blocks to carving and developing intricate designs, students will learn the step-by-step process of creating prints in black, white, and individual colors. The class will cover various inking techniques to produce a diverse range of images. 8 sessions.

33679 Apr 11-May 30 Th 6-8p TCC/19-10 Doty \$165



### TCC Orchestra\*

The TCC Orchestra is a full performing ensemble including student and community musicians. This group rehearses weekly and gives at least one performance each quarter. The orchestra uses strings, woodwinds, brass, and percussion instruments. 10 sessions. No class May 27.

33552 Apr 1-Jun 10 M 7-9p TCC/2-101 Falskow \$55

### TCC Symphonic Band\*

The TCC Symphonic Band is a full performing ensemble including student and community musicians. This group rehearses weekly and gives at least one performance each quarter. The symphonic band uses woodwinds, brass, and percussion instruments. 11 sessions.

33588 Apr 4-Jun 13 Th 7-9p TCC/2-101 Falskow \$55

### TCC Jazz Band\*

The TCC Jazz Band is a full performing ensemble including student and community musicians. This group rehearses weekly and gives at least one performance each quarter. The jazz band uses saxophones, trombones, trumpets, piano, bass, and drum set. Other instruments might be included depending on the repertoire selected. 11 sessions.

33591 Apr 2-Jun 11 Tu 7-9p TCC/2-101 Hambley \$55

\*Participants are expected to have fundamental skills in their instrument technique, be able to read standard music notation, and must audition prior to registration. For audition info, contact John Falskow: jfalskow@tacomacc.edu or call 253-460-4374.

### Intermediate Guitar

We will focus on chord progression, melodies, pentatonic patterns, rhythm and soloing. Students will have the opportunity to practice and play with more confidence. Must have completed the beginner guitar class or have equivalent beginner skills. 6 sessions.

33732 Apr 2-May 7 Tu 7-8p GHC/103 Richards \$135

## BUSINESS & TECHNOLOGY

### CU 100 - Introduction to Practical Computing

Gain hands-on experience with the most current Microsoft Windows operating system, whether you are new to Windows or looking to upgrade your skills. Topics include; computer literacy, navigation, printing, file location, management, OneDrive, accessing help, email, and cybersecurity. This class uses Canvas. 10 sessions.

33662 Apr 3-Jun 5 W 1:30-3:10p TCC/16-110 Cerny \$100

## HOME, HEALTH & LEISURE

### Tai Chi

Tai Chi combines art, philosophy, kinesthetic science, and personal endeavor into a harmonious blend of activity that can be enjoyed at any relative pace. A unique medium of body awareness and self-cultivation, designed to improve one's sensitivity, awareness, health, and mobility. 5 sessions.

33813 May 17-Jun 14 F 4:30-6p TCC/20-102 Greene \$129

### Loving Lichens\*

You have seen these unusual life forms growing on trees, rocks, even buildings. But what is a lichen, and what makes it so incredible? Learn about lichen biology, the role of lichens in their ecosystems, and some lichens you may see in the Pacific Northwest. 1 session.

33344 Jun 6 Th 6-7:30p TCC/20-102 Lexa \$45

### Gardening Tips & Tools

Want to know more about gardening? Topics will include soil biology & chemistry, controlling critters in the garden, native plants, using (or avoiding) pesticides and herbicides. Use of fertilizers, mulches, and soil amendments. Basics of garden design will be covered. Plus, how to plant bulbs, perennials, shrubs, and trees. 7 sessions.

30465 May 2-Jun 13 Th 6-8:00p GHC/108 Kuehne \$145

Registration opens March 4.  
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PROGRAM MANAGER 253-460-2356  
JTaylor@tacomacc.edu

### HOW DO I JOIN MY ONLINE CLASSROOM?

Your instructor emails your information a day or two before your class. Watch your emails!

# HUMANITIES & SCIENCE

## Beginner Italian

Develop Italian conversational skills, gradually learn vocabulary, learn about Italy and its culture. Pronunciation and grammar will be covered.

6 sessions. No class May 27.

33651 May 6-Jun 17 M 2-4:00p **Online** Pau \$145

## Intermediate Italian

This course is suitable for those who have completed parts I and II of Beginner Italian, or who have a good knowledge of the basics of the Italian language and want to improve pronunciation, conversational skills, and vocabulary, either for personal or professional purpose. 6 sessions.

33654 May 7-Jun 11 Tu 2-3:30p **Online** Pau \$145

## Beginner Spanish

Study basic pronunciation and grammatical structure in a nurturing, interactive environment. Recommended for people who have never taken Spanish. Required Book: *SPANISH in 10 Minutes a Day* (ISBN: 978-1931873307). 10 sessions.

33809 Apr 11-Jun 13 Th 6-8p **Online** Baird \$155

## Contemporary Poetry and You

From the rhythmic verses of ancient civilizations to the contemporary free-flowing expressions, we will unravel the rich tapestry of poetic traditions across the globe. Discover techniques for capturing emotions, observations, and experiences in verse. 3 sessions.

33812 Apr 2-Apr 16 Tu 6-7:30p **GHC/108** Turner \$109

## Global Poetry & Craft

Discover the voice of various contemporary poets and learn to examine your own poems with a critical eye towards revision. Create original work using guided prompts. 5 sessions.

30461 Apr 22-May 20 M 6-8p **Online** Barringer \$145

## PNW Geology

The Pacific Northwest is full of geological history of all sorts, from volcanoes, to foods, to ancient islands from far off in the ocean. Learn about some of the forces that created our region's landforms and uncover resources to go exploring on your own. 1 session.

33549 Jun 3 M 6-7:30p **Online** Lexa \$45

# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

## Alcohol Drug Information School (ADIS) - Train the Trainer

Approved course by Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery for individuals wanting to become certified Alcohol/Drug Information School (ADIS) trainers. Fee includes manual and all materials. 16 contact hours = 1.6 CEUs or 16 clock hours. 2 sessions. Online. This class uses Canvas. Must register by April 1.

33545 Jun 14 & 15 F & Sat 8a-5p **Online** Pimpleton \$230

## HR Generalist Certificate (6 Weeks, 2x Weekly)

33236 Apr 18-May 28 Tu&Th 6-9p **Online** Team \$599  
As an HR Generalist, you are expected to be an expert in every human resource function including hiring, compensation, payroll, performance management, employment laws (FMLA, ADA, COBRA, etc.) and much more. Through lectures, discussion and activities, this program will help prepare you to effectively serve in an HR Generalist role. Additionally, you will be equipped with tools to assist you as you encounter situations in today's workplace. All or individual classes available. 12 sessions.

## HR Info Session

33234 Apr 2 Tu 6-7p **Online** Team Free

## Introduction to HR

33239 Apr 18 Th 6-9p **Online** Malone \$69

## Federal and State Employment Laws

33240 Apr 23&25 TuTh 6-9p **Online** Malone \$139

## Compensation and Benefits

33246 Apr30&May2 TuTh 6-9p **Online** Farber \$139

## Recruitment and Selection

33248 May 7&9 TuTh 6-9p **Online** Malone \$139

## Employee and Labor Relations

33252 May 14&16 TuTh 6-9p **Online** Farber \$139

## Training and Development

33254 May 21 Tu 6-9p **Online** Malone \$69

## Health and Safety

33256 May 23 Th 6-9p **Online** Farber \$69

## HR Administration

33259 May 28 Tu 6-9p **Online** Farber \$69



# GREEN FLOWER

## Online Cannabis Certificate Programs

Starts: March 18. Duration: 9 Weeks

Fee: \$750 per Program (Payment Plan Available)

Free online information session: March 6, 6-6:30pm

To learn more and register today please visit:

[cannabis.continuinged.tacomacc.edu](http://cannabis.continuinged.tacomacc.edu)

Any questions please call 253-460-2356.

Get the knowledge and credibility needed to pursue a career in the rapidly evolving cannabis industry with our online cannabis certificate programs. Whether you aspire to master cultivation techniques, excel in retail operations, or innovate in extraction and product development, these programs offer a unique blend of expert knowledge and practical skills. Each course, led by distinguished industry professionals, is tailored to provide an immersive learning experience through engaging video lectures, comprehensive readings, and interactive e-learning modules.

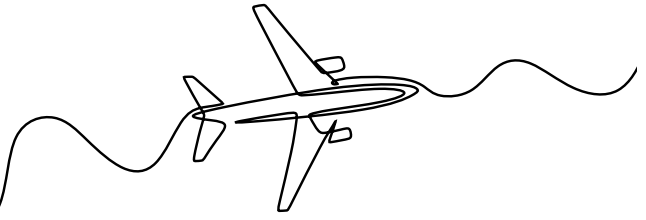
Choose your path: Cultivation Specialist, Retail Specialist, or Extraction and Product Development Specialist, and pave the way for a successful career or entrepreneurial venture in the cannabis industry.

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**COSTA RICA** March 28-April 5  
**SPAIN** COSTA DEL SOL May 17-25  
**PORTUGAL** May 8-17

## NAC PROGRAM

**Become a Certified Nursing Assistant,** earning college credit and an industry-recognized certificate, through a program with evening classes to accommodate your schedule. Enter into this high demand health career today. 5 weeks in length. More information at:

- 253-566-5218
- [NAC@tacomacc.edu](mailto:NAC@tacomacc.edu)
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## NATIONAL Poetry MONTH APRIL is National Poetry Month.



TCC CE is proud to present the **2nd Annual Poetry in the Harbor** event in celebration of National Poetry Month. **April 18, 6-9pm, TCC Gig Harbor Campus**

The event will feature four local poets: Asha Berkes, Kathleen Byrd, Josie Emmons Turner and Michael Haeflinger. Each poet will read their work followed by a panel Q&A session.

Emcee for the evening will be Professor and Poet Allen Braden. Light refreshments will be served.

This is a wonderful opportunity to immerse yourself in the world of poetry and engage with some esteemed local poets. Do not miss this unforgettable event at the Gig Harbor Campus!

For more information call 252-460-2356 or go to our website [tacomacc.edu/continuingeducation](http://tacomacc.edu/continuingeducation).

33500 Apr 18 Th 6-9p GHC 4 poets \$25  
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