

Nashua Adult & Community School
8 Titan Way, Room A106, Nashua, NH 03063 or
36 Riverside Drive, Nashua, NH 03062
Tel: 603-966-2420

TODAYS DATE: _____

Registration Form and Application for **PLATO Courses** Fall 2024

Please answer all questions and print clearly:

Last Name _____ First Name _____ DOB _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____ Age _____

Phone _____ Email _____ Expected YOG _____

Social Security # (optional) _____ School: North South NCLL Other: _____

Guidance Counselor _____

Course #1 _____ Start date _____ Day _____ Teacher _____

Course #2 _____ Start date _____ Day _____ Teacher _____

Plato courses will be \$20.00 per course and the fee is due before the student logs into the program

Tuition _____ Amount Paid _____ Check# or Cash _____

**CLASSES ARE HELD ON THURSDAYS from 3pm – 6 pm at NORTH in ROOM A106
and MONDAYS from 3-6pm at SOUTH in ROOM C2023**

Nashua North/South Students: All courses with the intent to have the credit transferred back to your high school must have permission from the guidance department/case manager/administrator prior to enrollment in a course. Your guidance counselor must complete the day student form with the course recommendation and year of graduation. It is the student's responsibility to obtain permission or credit will not be awarded through adult education program.

Our Adult Education core values are character, courage, respect, responsibility and integrity. Please demonstrate respect to our teachers and this program. Disrespect or disruption of our school will result in removal from Adult Education.

"I have read all of these school policies. I understand them completely and agree to comply with all aspects of them."

STUDENT/PARENT SIGNATURE _____

Approval of Credit: Administrator/Case manager/Guidance Counselor: _____

DATA COLLECTION – All students must complete this section

The State of New Hampshire requires that we collect data on our adult education program. This information will be kept confidential and used to help improve our programs.

1. Do you speak a language other than English? Yes ___ Please list: _____ No ___
2. Interpreter required? Yes ___ No ___ Translation Requested? Yes ___ No ___
3. Race (check all that apply): American Indian or Alaska Native ___ Asian ___ Black or African American ___
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander ___ White ___
4. Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino ___ Not Hispanic or Latino ___
5. Do you have access to the internet at home? Yes ___ No ___
If No, check the reason: Internet is not available at home ___ I am unable to pay for internet access ___
If Yes, check all devices you have at home: cell phone ___ computer desktop ___ computer laptop ___
6. Employment: Employed ___ Employer Name _____ Hourly Rate _____ Unemployed ___ Not in Labor Force ___
7. Are you enrolled in any workforce training programs like: WIOA TANIF SNAP Other: _____
8. Primary Goal: Enter Employment ___ Retain Employment ___ Obtain Diploma ___ Prepare for college ___ Other _____
9. Birth Country: United States ___ Other (Please specify) _____
10. If you register at another adult education center may we share data with them? Yes ___ No ___

PLATO Contract:

Name: _____ Email: _____

Course(s): _____

Start Date: _____

Projected End Date: _____

- PLATO is an online learning program. The course work is challenging and requires time and effort to complete. Students should plan to take notes and do other formative work just like they would in the traditional classroom.
- The average student will spend 50-100 hours to complete a course. (Regular semester classes take 130 hours.)
- Students should plan to attend support classes weekly for PLATO after school or classes offered during the regular school day. Students should attend classes until they have demonstrated the ability to be independently successful by completing 70% of part A with a grade of B or higher. Students may continue to attend help sessions until they complete the course if they wish to.
- It is not possible to complete a PLATO course without regular effort. A minimum of 60 minutes daily is a good starting point for most students. **Online learning requires self-discipline and a willingness to work through challenges without giving up.**
- Students should plan to complete a PLATO course in 1 semester (5 months). If students do not complete the course, a grade of WF (withdrawn failing) will be entered on the NCLL transcript.
- If a student has not logged into PLATO for 30 days or more their account will be deactivated and an alternative method for earning credit will be required. A W-Plato may be entered on the NCLL transcript.
- PLATO grades will be entered as Pass/Fail on NCLL transcripts. PLATO classes will be entered as Adult Education transfer credits on day school student transcripts.
- **PLATO Health** covers several topics that are sensitive in nature; these include human sexuality, reproduction, substance abuse and mental health issues. In creating the guidelines for this course, the State Department of Education hoped to provide information teens could use anytime in their lives to stay healthy and safe. This course does not presume to usurp family values or faith. It is assumed that the student would process this information within the framework of what is acceptable behavior based on parental guidelines. We hope that this class will lead to positive conversations with your teen that will guide them on the path to a successful and happy life.

I have read the above expectations and agree to abide by them.

Students Name: (print) _____ Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parents Name :(print) _____ Parent signature: _____ Date: _____

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