

■ Who we are

Since 1965, Tri-County OIC Adult Learning Center has provided quality academic, vocational, workforce, and family education classes to more than 1,200 students each year at 20 sites in Cumberland, Dauphin, Perry, and York counties.

OIC offers programs to achieve basic literacy skills, family literacy, GED/high school diploma, and vocational skills, as well as job development, counseling, and placement services.

■ Our mission

Our mission is to deliver educational and training services that are high quality and learner-focused by capitalizing on the experience of our staff, the support of our partners, and the resources of our community. Through education we help our students to become better workers, better citizens, and better family members.

At OIC, we train people for life.

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Tri-County OIC admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs or any other school-administered programs.

If you
answered

YES to any of

these questions,

Tri-County OIC's

Family Education Program

can help your family

reach its educa-

tion goals.

Tri-County OIC
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learning and growing together

Do you want your children to **learn and succeed** in school?

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Would you like to become a **better teacher and role model** for your children?

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Do you want to **learn useful skills as a family?**

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n What do we do?

We help parents become teachers and role models for their preschool and school-age children.

We provide structured, age-appropriate learning and growing activities for children and parents in a safe environment using a holistic approach that prepares children for school and adults for the world of work.

n How do we do it?

Family Education works by providing:

- adult education classes (GED test preparation, computer literacy, job readiness);
- early childhood education classes;
- interactive literacy activities;
- parent education classes; and
- work readiness classes.

n Who is eligible for Family Education?

The Family Education program is open to:

- families with children up to age seven; and
- adults who are eligible for adult education services (ABE, ESL, GED) and/or adults who are seeking employment.

n Where and when do classes meet?

Family Education classes are offered in the morning, afternoon, and evening at several sites in Dauphin and Cumberland Counties.

Classes run three or four days a week, up to three hours each day.

Free transportation and child care are available at most class sites.

■ What are the goals of the Family Education program?

Our goals are simple:

- To prepare children for success in school;
- To make parents their children's first and most important teacher;
- To help parents reach their own academic and work-related goals;
- To teach parents how to become effective advocates for their children; and
- To move families toward economic self-sufficiency.

■ How can I find out more about Family Education?

If you are interested in learning more about OIC's Family Literacy program, contact us at 238-7318 or info@tricountyoi.org. Or visit us at www.tricountyoi.org.

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