Learn what you need to succeed!

Classes are small with year-round enrollment on a space-available basis. To find out if you qualify for Bridges, talk with your high school counselor or call 227-5500 to start making your dream a reality!

"Bridges offered me a second chance. Not only did I pass the GED exam, but I worked part-time while I attended class. Now I'm attending MCC and am planning to become a chef."

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Alternatives for High School Students

Make your dream a reality!

Call 966-2869

Build a Bridge to Your Future!

High school students, who are at risk of dropping out of high school or who have already left school, can work toward a successful future in the Bridges program.

All programs are located at the Community Learning Center at the Mall at Greece Ridge Center.

Services include:

- Group Tutoring
- Transitional Equivalency Program (TEP)
- Approved High School Equivalency Program (AHSEP)
- Counseling and referrals
- Workplace skills training
- Computer skills training

Depending on a student's educational needs, age, and goals, the following options are available:

Group Tutoring

Students who have been suspended are enrolled in Group Tutoring. Certified teachers assist groups of students in keeping up to date with assignments from the students' classroom teachers. The goal for all tutoring students is for them to successfully return to their high schools.

Only Greece Central School District administrators may refer students to Group Tutoring.

Transitional Equivalency Program

Students in the Transitional Equivalency Program (TEP) participate in a program to prepare them for General Educational Development (GED) classes. The program is only for students in their final year of compulsory schooling (the school year in which they turn 16 years of age). TEP includes individualized instruction in reading, writing skills, social studies, science, math, and workplace skills. Students are also expected to participate in career exploration, workplace skills training, vocational training, computer classes, and job placement services. All TEP students are expected to attend WeMoCo, be employed, or be seeking employment. TEP students enter AHSEP classes the following school year to prepare for the GED exam.

On-Line Courses

Students who have previously dropped out of high school but need only a limited number of credits for high school graduation may enroll in NovaNET courses to earn a high school diploma. In addition to working at the Community Learning Center, students may complete coursework at home or at libraries.

Approved High School Equivalency Program (AHSEP)

Students who have completed their last year of compulsory schooling may prepare for the General Educational Development (GED) exam as part of the Approved High School Equivalency Program (AHSEP).

The program includes individualized instruction in reading, writing skills, social studies, science, math, and workplace skills. Students are also expected to participate in career exploration, workplace skills training, computer classes, and job placement services. All students are encouraged to be employed or be seeking employment.

Students interested in TEP, AHSEP, or earning a diploma after dropping out should discuss the issue with their assistant principal or school counselor. Only school administrators and counselors may refer students to these programs.

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