Community Adult Learning Program (CALP)

(Over 100 programs across Alberta)

Program Activities

To achieve the CALP vision and outcomes organizations are expected to engage in the following activities.
2020 Guidelines pg. 19-22

- Organizational Planning
- Engaging Community
- Mapping Community
- Program Needs Assessment
- Planning with Learners
- Safe and Welcoming Space
- Reducing Financial Barriers
- Relevant Programming
- Learner Support Services
- Program Evaluation
- Facilitating Formal Learning

CALP Funder:
Advanced Education

Alberta

CALP Organization led by Board of Directors

CALP grant funds must clearly prioritize Literacy and Foundational Learning over other programming.

Literacy & Foundational Learning

Required Programming

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- Adult Literacy
- Numeracy
- Skills for Learning
- Basic Digital Skills
- English Language Learning

Modes of Delivery

The ways in which programs may be delivered.
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- Tutoring
- Courses
- Family Literacy Programs
- Learning Activities

Community Capacity Building

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CCB Examples:

- GED Prep
- MS Office Suite
- Accounting Software
- First Aid/CPR
- Safety Tickets
- Social Media
- Safe Internet Navigation
- Parenting
- Mental Health
- Seniors Programming
- Local or Indigenous Languages

Learner Support Services 2020 Guidelines pg 21

- Post Secondary Information
- Mentoring
- Building Community Connections
- Computer Access
  - ◊ Basic technology help
  - ◊ Job searches
- Knowledgeable referrals
  - ◊ Citizenship
  - ◊ Immigration
  - ◊ Career & Employment
  - ◊ Govt. Programs
  - ◊ Other Agencies
  - ◊ & More...

Provincial Supports

Community Learning Network (CLN)

CLN supports CALPs by providing:
- Customized support, coaching and mentoring from CLN Staff for CALP staff and boards
- "Just-in-time" tools, tips, resources and learning
- Face-to-face regional training, PD and networking
- CALP Portal - online "one-stop-shop" for information, resources, e-learning, events and communities of practice
- Literacy and Learning Symposium— annual province-wide PD event

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Rural Routes (NorQuest College)

Rural Routes builds the capacity of rural communities and areas, and small agencies in urban centers who offer English language programming and services to adult newcomers.

Rural Routes supports ESL programs and providers by offering mentorship support, training, classroom observations, tip sheets, online resources, and a self-assessment tool for ESL providers.

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