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ADULT BASIC EDUCATION STUDENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (ABESAP)

WHAT IS A.B.E.S.A.P.?

ABESAP is a program funded by the provincial government to provide grants for tuition fees only for needy students.

Grants are limited!!! **Only one application is accepted per term.** (Spring term: January -April; Summer term: May - August; Fall term: Sept. - Dec.)

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY?

You can apply for ABESAP if you are a **Canadian citizen, landed immigrant, or have refugee status.** All students with S.I.N. starting with 900 must show immigration papers. ABESAP grants are available at V.C.C.-King Edward Campus for the following programs:

- A.S.E.H.I. / A.S.E.V.I.
- Basic Education (ABE foundations)
- B.E.S.T.
- B.T.S.D. Level 3 (ABE intermediate)
- B.T.S.D. Youth
- College Foundations (up to grade 10)
- ESL - Institutional Aide
- ESL - Auto Detailer and Paint Prep.
- College Preparatory English 059

- English Language Skills (PT/FT)
- English As A Second Language (including Outreach, Canadiana Centre, Vocational - fee payers only)
- ESL - Business Office Training
- ESL - Cabinet Making
- * Pt-time Courses at Grade. 11/12 level * (CF, ABE, CPE & BTSD)

WHEN CAN I APPLY?

One month before registration, you can pick up an ABESAP application from the Financial Aid Office (#4029) or Counselling (#3002).

* RETURNING STUDENTS

If you are a returning student (have a K.E.C. student number), you must have the teacher's comment section B on your application completed. Returning students are advised to complete their applications as quickly as possible. You can apply one month before you register !!!

* NEW STUDENTS

If you are a NEW student (no K.E.C. student number), you can submit your application to the Financial Aid Office (#4029). You do not have to complete Section B (teacher's comments) on your application form. You can apply one month before you register !!!

ABESAP (Cont'd)

*** DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR ABESAP
IS 2 WEEKS AFTER THE FIRST DAY
OF CLASSES FOR EACH TERM**

PLEASE NOTE:

- 1) **ALL** full-time students who are being supported by MSSH must first apply to MSSH for assistance and have MSSH provide a letter of refusal if they will not pay your tuition fees. Part-time students do **not** require a letter from MSSH.
- 2) Continued ABESAP funding is dependent on successful academic progress.

FUNDS ARE LIMITED!!!!!!STUDENTS WHO APPLY FOR ABESAP GRANTS ARE NOT GUARANTEED FULL ASSISTANCE!!!!!!OR ADMISSION TO THE COLLEGE!!!!!!

Sandra North

**COUNCIL ON INTERNATIONAL
EDUCATION EXCHANGE**

The above organization runs periodic International Faculty Development Seminars. The 1991 program includes seminars in Germany, United Kingdom, Soviet Union, Vietnam, Chile, Hong Kong Northern Ireland, and Poland. The purpose of the seminars is to assist faculty and their institutions to improve curriculum by the introduction of global perspectives.

Faculty members interested in receiving more information about the organization and seminars are invited to contact International Education at 875-1131, local 356.

Jindra Repa

WHAT'S NEW

Word Perfect™ has changed their pricing structure for the educational market. For staff, faculty and students that purchase W.P. for home use, the price at the **Langara Bookstore** is **\$299.00** and you will receive a certificate, in addition to the registration card, for a rebate of **\$120.00 Cdn.**

If requisitioning Word Perfect for office/ department use, the following costs apply:

software & template \$ 75.00

(optional) manual \$ 38.95

(optional) workbook \$ 29.95

**PLEASE BE SURE TO SPECIFY DISK
SIZE/FORMAT & KEYBOARD !!!!!**

Year-end is coming. The **Langara Bookstore** will be **CLOSED March 27 & 28** for Inventory. Please plan to visit us before then and check out our store-wide clearance.

There are major bargains to be had especially trade & reference books. If you need to clear out files, we have storage boxes on special for **\$2.69**.

Packard Bell computers are now being sold in the **Langara Bookstore**. Please stop by

What's New (Cont'd)

to have a look. These are packaged units.

PackMate III - Sug. Retail \$2,760.00

Bookstore Price \$1,795.00

286, VGA 14" colour monitor or 12" paper white monitor.

PackMate 386XH - Sug. Retail \$4,080.00

Bookstore Price \$2,695.00

386, VGA 14" colour monitor or 12" paper white monitor.

NoteBook - lap top - Sug. Retail \$4,000.00

Bookstore Price \$2,595.00

285, VGA back-lit screen.

The Labatt's 24-Hour Relay is June 22nd - 23rd, 1991 !! If you or anyone you know is interested in running or in volunteering (time-keeping, cheering, preparing snacks, volley-ball squad....) please contact this year's co-captains **Greg King** and **Susan Reynolds** at the **Langara Bookstore** 324-5203.

V.I.A. OFFICE HOURS

The V.I.A. office is open in March for one hour a day, every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. A Shop Steward or Department Representative will be there to answer or help find answers to your questions and concerns. There is a schedule of opening times on the V.I.A. office window.

NEW VIDEO TITLES AT KEC LIBRARY

1. DELEGATING
2. THE EMPRESS HAS TEA OR "GLADYS DOES CANADA"
3. HUMAN RIGHTS IN CANADA
4. THE BREAST CENTER VIDEO: WHATEVERY WOMAN SHOULD KNOW
5. OCEANS UNDER GLASS - VANCOUVER AQUARIUM
6. DIRTY BUSINESS
7. STEPPING THROUGH YOUR TAX RETURN 1990
8. CANADA IN WORLD WAR I
9. CANADIAN PORTRAITS
10. THE TRIGGER EFFECT
11. CONTRACT LAW
12. HERE AND NOW
13. RACISM IN CANADA
14. A NEW WORLD (Origins: a History of Canada Series, Part I)

VACATION

Brenda Appleton, Campus Librarian, will be on vacation from March 18 to April 8, 1991. Please refer questions to Aphrodite Harris, local 438.

ATTENTION ALL E-MAIL USERS

There are now a number of Electronic Mail (E-Mail) users on the Campus. We can compose an Electronic Mail Directory for KEC which will make it easy to communicate with each other electronically. We can also set up a distribution mailing list so that a message can be sent simultaneously to all members on the list. If you would like to be included in this directory or link the distribution list, please send me your E-Mail address by any one of the following methods: electronic mail to mcelroy@sfu.cc.ca, phone Local 776 or place in my mailbox.

Anne McElroy

INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE

Minh Trinh, who is experienced in the preparation of income tax, is willing to assist KEC students in preparing their tax returns. Even if students have no income, they will be entitled to a \$140 rebate if they file an income tax form. There will be a reasonable charge for Minh's work, dependent on time involved, and the money collected will be donated to the KEC bursary fund. Please inform your students of this opportunity to receive help with their income tax. He is also willing to help instructors with their taxes. Please contact Minh directly at the SAC Office from 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Monday and Wednesday, and Friday from 4:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. until April 30, 1991.

Karen Kelly



CAROUSEL THEATRE SCHOOL

ACTING CLASSES

ACT NOW! Join the Spring excitement at CAROUSEL THEATRE SCHOOL! Enrol in one of more than 25 fascinating courses for adults, teens, and children aged 5 through 12! We offer you Adult and Teen Professional Training Programs, Acting for Beginners, Scene Study, Acting for TV and Film, Musical Theatre, children's Theatre Arts, and much more! Courses are taught by Vancouver's finest professional actors and directors. **CALL CAROUSEL THEATRE NOW AT 669-3410!**

VICTORIA TRIP!

**7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 20, 1991
\$38 for adults**

**For more details, please contact Cecily May
in April**

WHAT ARE YOU DOING THIS SUMMER?

DEKA SERVICES ASSOCIATION NEEDS SPECIAL COUNSELLORS AND PROGRAM STAFF TO WORK WITH SPECIAL KIDS

The camp program serves children and youth with learning disabilities.

CAMP HEIDI STAFF POSITIONS

FIELD STAFF (approx. 9 - 12 weeks)

- * Program Manager
- * Counselling Manager

COUNSELLING STAFF (approx. 6 - 8 weeks)

- * Counsellors - 15 positions

RESOURCE STAFF (approx. 6 - 8 weeks)

- * Outtrip
- * Waterfront Director
- * Canoe/Kayak Instructor
- * Campcraft
- * Arts and Crafts
- * Music and Drama
- * Games

More information available in the Counselling Resource Centre.

Lorraine Herlick

Is this yours? Call Dennis at local 422.

SUPPLY ORDER

QUANTITY		OFFICE USE ONLY
bx(s)	White Paper - 8½ x 11, 5,000/bx.	
bx(s)	White Paper - 8½ x 14, 5,000/bx.	
pkg(s)	White Paper - 11 x 17 500/pkg.	
bx(s)	Foolscap Paper w/margin, 4,000/bx.	
bx(s)	Computer Paper (fan fold) <input type="checkbox"/> Draft <input type="checkbox"/> Letter	
	Specify size _____	
bttl	Duplicating Fluid (only 1 allowed per fire regs.)	
2	Printer Ribbon - Epson NLQ 1050, black	

ORIGINATOR:

ROOM#:

DATE:

DEPARTMENT

CHARGE TO

RECEIVED BY:

local _____

Keyboarding Olympics

Friday, April 5, 1991

Two events will be open to KEC faculty, staff, and management:

1. Five-minute Speed and Accuracy Contest - 11:00 a.m.

This is a serious contest to find the fastest keyboarder in the west. If you enter this contest, you will start with a ten-minute warmup to become acquainted with the keyboard and software. The actual test consists of copy presented on the screen and timed by the computer. You copy what you see on the screen, as fast as you can, and backspace to correct errors as you go. At the end of the five minutes the computer stops, automatically checks your work, and immediately gives results: words a minute, total errors, and total backspaces. Your speed is words per minute minus errors (but you are allowed unlimited backspaces, so can correct errors as you go). Each competitor can try two timings.

2. Keyboarding Relay Team - 11:30 a.m.

To enter this less-serious contest, put together a three-member team. You don't have to be a speed demon to enter. For example, you might be a real asset to your team by distracting and slowing down the team beside you. The timings will be six minutes in length. Team member #1 starts . . . when two minutes have elapsed a bell rings (but the clock doesn't stop) and Team member #2 takes over the keyboard for two minutes . . . the bell rings again . . . Team member #3 brings you down the home stretch. Each team is allowed two trials. We expect keen competition between departments and divisions in this event.

Keyboarding Olympics Entry Form

I would like to enter the 11:00 am individual competition:

_____	_____	_____
Name	Department	Local

We would like to enter the 11:30 am relay race:

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

* * * Enter early - Space limited * * *

Return Entry Form to Cathy Tolsma, Business & Computer Studies Department
Or register by phone with Nilda Panganiban, Local 582



Dot Matrix to Laser Printing

ICSC Computing Corner

Q When using my word processor, I print draft copies of my documents on my dot-matrix printer, but produce final copies on the Laser Printer. The Laser copies are not satisfactory. How can I produce a Laser printed copy which is more pleasing to the eye?

A There are a number of factors of which you should be aware when you transfer from a dot-matrix to a laser printer.

1. Page breaks will be different
2. Tabs must be used to create columns
3. Space between lines should be set.

Dot-matrix printers are usually set up with Elite or Pica typefaces similar to typewriter typefaces, designed to produce 60 characters to the line with a fixed space between the lines for easily readable text. These are fixed pitch typefaces. The laser printer is designed to produce proportional typefaces. The differences between the two are shown in the following lines taken from a legal textbook. The first group are in Courier 12 point, a fixed pitch typeface and the second in Times Roman, also 12 point, but a proportional typeface.

Fixed Pitch

W I

In all the provinces and territories of Canada, you must have a driving license to operate a motor vehicle on a highway or other public property-municipal parking lots included.

Proportional

W I

In all the provinces and territories of Canada, you must have a driving license to operate a motor vehicle on a highway or other public property-municipal parking lots included.

As you can see the fixed pitch typeface took 4 lines while the proportional typeface took 3 lines *for an identical number of characters of the same point size*

Do not be deceived by what appears on the screen. Even though you have chosen a proportional typeface for your text, the characters on the screen will be fixed pitch and so will not resemble what appears on your page. *Always view your document in the **Print-Preview** feature of your word processor to see what actually will appear on the page.*

When using a proportional typeface, *always set tabs to create columns*. Since in a fixed pitch typeface all the characters occupy the same amount of space on the page, it is possible to use the space bar to set up columns. If you use this technique with a proportional typeface, your columns will wave around in an alarming fashion.

Fixed pitch typefaces are designed to allow space between the lines of type. This space is called **Leading**. A fixed pitch typeface of 12 points is in reality 14 points in height, with 2 points leading automatically allowed. With a proportional typeface of 12 points the line spacing may need to be adjusted to 14 points, and correspondingly adjusted for larger fonts.

Dental Health Month

The Dental Hygiene Department and the 2nd year Dental Hygiene students would like to cordially invite the dental community to visit our

Dental Hygiene Table Clinics

Wednesday, April 24, 1991

6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Vancouver Community College, City Centre

Main Mall

250 West Pender Street,

Vancouver

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CITY CENTRE



MICROSOFT WORKSHOP

A workshop will be given
in the I.C.S.C. on

Microsoft Word
(Graphics & columns)

Microsoft Excel
(Spreadsheets for class marks)

by Jackie Slemko of
Microsoft Corp.

Friday, Mar. 22

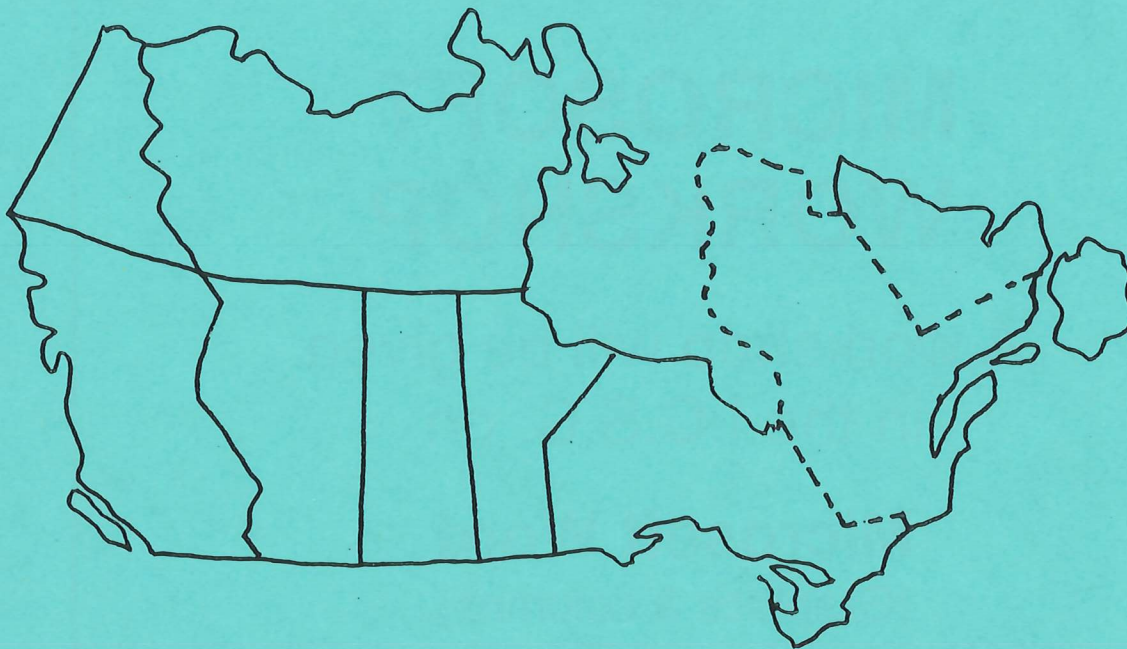
1 - 3 PM

Please return the form below to Anne McElroy to register

I shall be attending the Microsoft Workshop on March 22.

Name: _____ Dept.: _____ Local: _____

Hindsight is 20/20. Ten years from now when its' all changed and the dust has settled, someone who was not present at the time will say "you were there ... why didn't you say something while you had the chance?" "I guess now's your chance."



The Spicer Commission is facilitating discussion groups throughout Canada. VCC is attempting to arrange informal opportunities for faculty, staff and students to share their views on Canada, the role of the provinces, native people, founding nations and other aspects of what are know as "constitutional issues". Please join us as follows:

12:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Friday, April 5, 1991

Room 5025, Central Administration

5th Floor, KEC Building

There will be two parts to the event.

- I. Informal presentation to the assembled group.
- II. Small group discussions.

Discussion kits and report forms will be available for reporting to the Spicer Commission.

For further information, please contact:

Wayne Declé 875-8200 local 751
Jindra Repa 875-1131 local 244
Grace Shaw 875-6111 local 571

Continuing Education
International Education
KEC

* light refreshments will be served.

CLASSIFIED

BUY AND SELL

FIRE engine red; Honda Prelude Si., 1988; 57,00 km; driven by a teacher who never leaves North Vancouver; power sunroof; fabulous stereo; 5 speed; comes with winter tires! \$14,000 (o.b.o.); contact Brad at 929-8737

MINT 85 Volvo Stationwagon; 1 owner; AC; OD; P.W.; call Robert 926-5552

KING size waterbed; "like new"; best offer; call 926-1630, local 763.

BABY furniture - Top of line/like new; car seat (approved/blue cord material) \$65.00; Solid maple safety crib, \$200.00 or \$300.00 for package; contact Dave Greenall, local 484 or at 929-5900.

MOVING SALE - Household items - cedar shed; contact Rene Merkel at local 431 or at 266-1729.

TWO table lamps, with shade, blue, excellent condition; \$70 for both; call Doreen Sharan at local 735.

GIRL'S bike, 18", excellent condition, \$80.00 or best offer; couch & chair, \$175.00 or best offer; call Rene Merkel, local 431 or 266-1729.

COMPUTER for sale; IBM Compatable, XT, 1 meg ram, 20 meg hard drive, 5.25 floppy disk, amber monitor; \$700 or nearest cash offer; contact Mark, 291-9845, Tuesday and Thursday after 11:00 p.m.; Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday-Sunday after 6:00 p.m.

NEW computer software (still in wrapper); WINDOWS, version 3.0; for DOS systems; requires 3.5" (720K) disk drive and hard drive; includes bonus: daybook - personal organizer; unbeatable price, \$75.00; call evenings: Loren, 271-0920

WANTED

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED - Female volunteers needed to participate in university study focusing on how mothers cope with a son/daughter's separation/divorce. Mothers who find the experience disturbing or distressing are encouraged to respond. Participation involves completion of a mailed, anonymous questionnaire requiring one hour of your time. If interested in

participating please call Allison Krause 946-7803 (Graduate Student, Counselling Psych, UBC).

THE Cashiers Department needs a Mobile Data Rack for drop filing data binders. If you have one and would like to get rid of it, please contact Jo Hansen, local 248.

EMPLOYMENT

IMMEDIATE Job Openings - Greyhound Courier Express, Sales Agents; provide training and support, territory, managerial assistance; flexible hours; commission sales - sell on a pre-paid basis; can make \$40 on a \$50 sale; proven sales of up to \$800.00/week; call during business hours: Bill Douglas, 669-8174.

Your future is with us

Vancouver Community College provides educational instruction for over 47,000 students in the lower mainland. This is an opportunity for a motivated individuals to join our dynamic team.

VANCOUVER COMMUNITY COLLEGE LANGARA CAMPUS INSTRUCTORS

ARTS AND SCIENCE

Instructors are required to teach University Transfer Courses in the following areas. Positions advertised are for the Fall Semester 1991 unless otherwise indicated.

ENGLISH AND MODERN LANGUAGES

English Instructors

Several full time instructors are required to instruct first year University Transfer Courses.

French Instructors

One full time and one part-time instructor are required to instruct University Transfer Courses.

MATH AND SCIENCE

Statistics Instructor

To instruct 1 course in Introductory Statistics (Summer Semester-91)___

Statistics Instructors

Required for University Transfer Courses.

Biology Instructor

With expertise in at least one of: microbiology and biochemistry, vertebrate anatomy, pathology.

Physics Instructor

Required for University Transfer Courses.

Computer Science Instructor

With expertise in at least one of: software packages, program development (Pascal or Module-2), operating systems.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Psychology Instructor

To instruct introductory courses in General Psychology.

Political Science Instructor

To instruct one section of Peace and Conflict in the Modern World and one section of Canadian Government and Politics.

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES, FALL SEMESTER 1991

Pacific Rim Instructors

To instruct part-time in the following areas:

1. Cross Cultural Perspectives
2. East Asia: China, Japan and Korea. Geographical, cultural and historical background of East Asia, and political, social and economic analysis of contemporary East Asia (Spring Semester, 1992).

Environment Studies Instructors

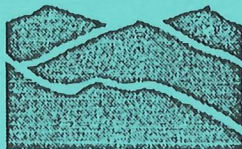
To instruct part-time
Environmental Studies Issues/Seminar
Environmental Law (Spring Semester, 1992)

All candidates should possess:

1. A Masters Degree or equivalent
2. Teaching and/or other relevant work experience
3. A commitment to teaching.

Applications, including a current curriculum vitae and two letters of reference, should be received by March 29 to:

**VANCOUVER
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Mr. D.D. Jones
Director of Employee Relations
Vancouver Community College
1155 East Broadway
Box 24700, Station 'C'
Vancouver, B.C.
V5T 4N4

POSITIONS OPENINGLangara

L a b o r a t o r y
D e m o n s t r a t o r I
(Biology Department).
Closing date: April
03, 1991.

T e c h n i c a l S e r v i c e s
S u p e r v i s o r. C l o s i n g
d a t e : A p r i l 0 3 , 1 9 9 1 .

P h o t o g r a p h e r
(Instructional Media
Services). C l o s i n g
d a t e : A p r i l 0 4 , 1 9 9 1 .

KEC

S t u d e n t J o b P l a c e m e n t
C o o r d i n a t o r. C l o s i n g
d a t e : M a r c h 1 9 ,
1 9 9 1 . (A p p l i c a t i o n s
a r e s t i l l b e i n g
a c c e p t e d .)

Central Admin.

P r o g r a m A n a l y s t I
(Information and
Computing Services).
Closing date: April
05, 1991.

O p e r a t i o n s
S u p e r v i s o r. C l o s i n g
d a t e : M a r c h 2 9 ,
1 9 9 1 .

T e l e p h o n e / O p e r a t o r
R e c e p t i o n i s t. C l o s i n g
d a t e : A p r i l 0 4 , 1 9 9 1 .

City Centre

D e p a r t m e n t H e a d,
B u i l d i n g S e r v i c e s
W o r k e r P r o g r a m.
Closing date: March
31, 1991.

A d m i s s i o n s C l e r k.
Closing date: March
29, 1991.

Colombo Plan Staff College for Technician Education - Announcement of Vacancy

Position: Director, Colombo Plan staff College for Technician - Education
Location: Manila, Phillipines
Salary: US \$41,687 - \$48,354 per annum.
Benefits: Partial housing allowance, educational allowance for children (75% of school fees), settling in -
 settling out allowances, medical insurance

The Colombo Plan Staff College for Technician Education is an international organization set up under the Colombo Plan to improve technician education systems of seventeen regional member countries in Asia and the Pacific region. Areas of services include human resource development, research and development, information dissemination, consultancy and regional cooperation in technician education.

Contract: Three years with provision for two years extension.

Eligibility: Only nationals of member countries of the College are eligible.

Deadline: April 12, 1991

For further information please contact International Education, 875-1131, local 356.

