KENTUCKY EMPLOYERS

Career Readiness & Essential Skills

Career Readiness and Training Solution for Kentucky Employers

Kentucky Career Center

Hire for Attitude, Train for Success

Get Started Today:

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A Viable Solution for Kentucky Employers

At no cost, employers in Kentucky can confidently utilize the WIN Career Readiness System and assessments as valid and reliable tools for the recruitment, selection of job seekers and for the training to support employee development.

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Career Training Employer

The Kentucky Career Readiness & Essential Skills Credential measures academic foundational skills and employability work habits.

Essential Skills

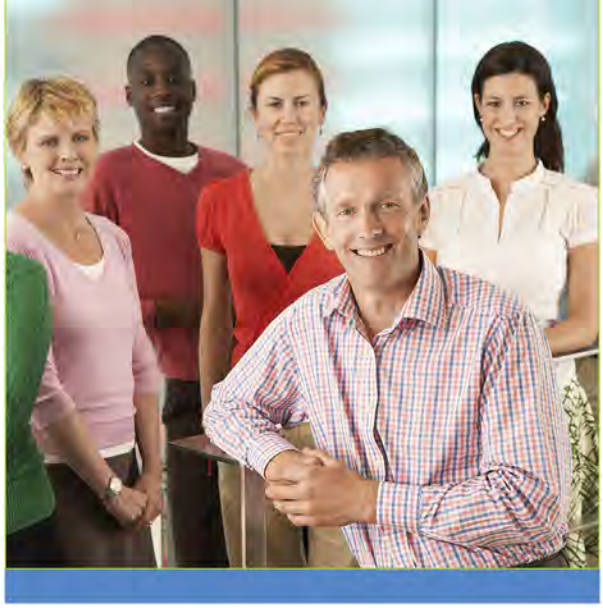
- Thinking Critically and Solving Problems
- Promoting Teamwork and Collaboration
- Conveying Professionalism
- Communicating Effectively

Career Readiness Skills

- Reading for Information
- Locating Information
- Applied Math
- Business Writing
- Workplace Observation
- Applied Technology
- Observation
- Listening

College Readiness Skills

- Writing/English
- Algebra
- Pre-algebra
- Geometry
- Reading



Find and hire qualified job seekers through the Kentucky Career Readiness and Essential Skills Credentials.

Stackable Credentials to Identify Work Readiness

The Kentucky Career Readiness and Essential Skills is a new employee credentialing program tailored to help employers identify, hire, and train employees with the most potential. Best of all, the program is free.

Kentucky Career Readiness and Essential Skills Credentials may be used as an indicator of readiness for on-the-job training, apprenticeship, and employment.

It's free. It's easy.

Employers in Kentucky can confidently utilize the WIN Career Readiness System and assessments as valid and reliable tools for the recruitment and selection of job seekers and for the training to support employee promotion.

Applied Mathematics measures foundational workplace mathematical reasoning and problem-solving skills.

Locating Information measures comprehension and application of workplace graphics such as charts, graphs, tables, forms, flowcharts, diagrams, maps, and instrument gauges.

Reading for Information measures comprehension and critical thinking using written text including emails, websites, letters, contracts, signs, notices, policies, and regulations.

Essential Skills measures foundational work habits and employability skills that employers nationwide commonly define as essential to gain and maintain employment including cooperating with others, resolving conflict and negotiating, solving problems and making decisions, taking responsibility for learning, and observing critically.

To learn more about the WIN Career Readiness System, contact our local Kentucky Career Center.

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