**AEL / Eligibility and Requirements**

* Valid, Government-Issued Photo ID.  Passports are accepted.
* Students who receive government assistance or TANF must provide a copy of their award letter.
* Age-Related Documentation
  + 16-Year olds may participate with a valid court order with docket/case number only.
  + 17-Year olds may participate with a court order or withdrawal forms from school only.
  + 18-Year olds may participate with withdrawal forms from school only.
  + ALL MINORS, ages 16-18, must attend Orientation with a parent or legal guardian. Parents must accompany their student in the AEL Orientation for three hours.
* Must live in Lone Star College Adult Education and Literacy Program Service Area, which encompasses the Harris county, Montgomery county, and Walker county.
* All ESL/EL Civics students must take the BEST plus test.
* All GED Prep students must take the TABE test.
* No children allowed in the Orientation, Testing or Class sessions.