

## **Educate Yourself!**

The Internet can be used as a powerful tool for growth; you can teach and learn many things by yourself! Education serves many purposes, among them: to help us understand things and also to understand ourselves, to help us make connections and decisions, to show others we are capable; to name but a few.

Basic academic education is not the key to knowledge. Knowledge involves many facets to learning: academic, experience, learning about yourself and your values, listening, learning to live in society, and more. The key to knowledge works when we integrate all of the aspects to make decisions and set goals.

Fair Shake brings together many free, online self-directed education resources for you to engage in education!

*Knowledge is power. Information is liberating. Education is the premise of progress, in every society, in every family.* ~ Kofi Annan

Non-Traditional

Employment Skills

Tools for daily living, including finances, cooking, and creativity!

Support from resume' building to professional development

Life Skills

Traditional Education

### **Education Basics**

Free support for learners through High School or GED

#### **Higher Education**

Free university level or professional development resources.

# **Khan Academy:** offers a library of over 3,500 videos which covers K-12 math, biology, chemistry, physics, the humanities, finance and history. Each video is approximately 10 minutes long. All materials and resources are free.

**GCF Learn Free:** Provides quality, innovative online learning opportunities to anyone who wants to be successful in both work and life. They believe there's freedom in the ability to learn what you want, when you want, regardless of your circumstances

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology**'s free courses include materials from more than 2,000 courses, presenting virtually the entire curriculum of the Institute.

**Coursera** is an education platform that partners with top universities and organizations worldwide, to offer courses online for anyone to take, for free.

**Academic Earth** provides access to a world-class education and includes curated links to over 750 online courses and 8,500 individual online lectures, giving students of all ages unparalleled access to college courses they may otherwise never experience.

**Codecademy** is a great place to get started with programming! The lessons are very rewarding as your progress can encourage you with medals or allow you to post your progress on social media websites. The lessons are free; tests that offer certificates are available for purchase.

**Acámica** es el futuro de la educación superior en línea. A través de lo que llamamos microaprendizaje ramificado, ofrecemos cursos de calidad, accesibles, dinámicos e interactivos, que pueden ser tomados en cualquier lugar, en cualquier momento.















**CLEP** offers 33 Internet-Based Testing exams in five subject areas at over 1,800 college test centers, covering material taught in courses that you may generally take in your first two years of college. By passing a CLEP exam, you can earn 3 to 12 college credits. Exams cost \$80. There are text exams for you to use to prepare.



## List of CLEP Exams: Match with OpenCourseWare Classes!

American Literature Analyzing and Interpreting Literature College Composition and Modular English Literature Humanities Foreign Languages French Language (Levels 1 and 2) German Language (Levels 1 and 2) Spanish Language (Levels 1 and 2) History and Social Sciences American Government Human Growth and Development Intro to Educational Psychology Introduction to Psychology Introduction to Sociology Principles of Macroeconomics Principles of Microeconomics Social Sciences and History History of the United States I: Early Colonization to 1877 History of the United States II: 1865 to the Present

Western Civilization I: Ancient Near East to 1648 Western Civilization II: 1648 to the Present Science and Mathematics Biology Calculus Chemistry College Algebra College Mathematics Natural Sciences Pre-calculus Business **Financial Accounting** Introductory Business Law Information Systems and **Computer Applications** Principles of Management Principles of Marketing