

Higher Visions For Education Class Application New Student

Higher Visions is a class housed at the University of Denver. Our classes are designed for adults with DS interested in continuing education and development of their independent living and social skills.

Our expected outcomes include: increased independence and self-esteem; improved social relationships and community involvement. Themes present throughout all modules are: personal safety, good health (physical, emotional and mental) and hygiene practices, assertiveness, independence, age appropriate behavior, time management, identification of needs and desires, community access and the development of resources and support systems.

Class Location:
University of Denver
Sie Complex East
2201 S. Gaylord St Room 2115
Denver, CO 80208

Class Times:
Wednesdays or Thursdays from
5:30-7:00pm

Cost:
\$250 per 8 week quarter

*Partial scholarships are available.
See rmdsa.org for more information
and application.*

Student Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Date of birth: _____ / _____ / _____
month day year

Gender: Male Female

Parent/Guardian Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

E-mail: _____

Name of person who completed this form:

How will you get to and from class each week?

Who should we call if there is a problem with your transportation arrangements? (*name and phone #*)

Instructors:

Scott Quicke, MA, LPC

Scott is a Licensed Professional Counselor specializing in counseling and education of people with intellectual disabilities. Scott has worked with people with intellectual disabilities since 1994, and has had a private practice as a psychotherapist since 1999.

He has led many groups and classes on a variety of topics including social skills, relationships and sexuality, and anger management. He also facilitates trainings for staff on many topics related to mental health issues in people with intellectual disabilities.

Scott has a Masters degree in Counseling Psychology from the University of Northern Colorado, and a Bachelors degree in Psychology from the University of Missouri. He is on the Human Rights Committee for Adams County, and is a member of the National Association for Dual Diagnosis.

You can reach Scott at 303-898-3460 and scottq@rmdsa.org

Please write a brief statement introducing yourself to your teachers:

Do you work (paid or volunteer) Yes
(please check one) No, I'm looking

If YES:
Where do you work? _____

How many days & hours per week? _____

How long have you worked there? _____

Do you exercise? Yes No
(please check one)

If YES, what kind of exercise do you like best?

What social activities do you enjoy? (*i.e. dances, movies, game nights*)

Instructors continued:

Sally McCance, MA, SP.ED.

Sally has been working in the field of special education since 2004. She is a licensed Special Education Generalist teacher in the state of Colorado, and has her Master's Degree in Special Education.

Sally is currently the Coordinator of Access Programming at the Denver Art Museum. In this position, she oversees access initiatives to make the museum inclusive to all visitors and provides team training in community inclusion and best practice strategies when welcoming visitors with diverse needs. She also mentors interns with disabilities who are interested in the museum field.

Her professional interests include curriculum development for acquisition of life skills, strategy development for community inclusion and independence, job coaching, applied behavior analysis and data collection, health and wellness, technology training, and universal design.

You can reach Sally at 720.539.4882 and sallym@rmdsa.org

Who is in your family?

What do you do for fun?

What do you feel you are good at?

Are there any ideas, supports, and strategies you need to be comfortable in a new place?

Are there any places or events that may make you uncomfortable (too many people around, too noisy, something unexpected happens...)?

Please send this completed form to

RMDSA
7200 E. Hampden Ave.
Suite 301
Denver, CO 80224

If you have any questions please contact Rocky Mountain Down Syndrome Association

Phone: 303-797-1699

www.rmdsa.org/higher_visions

Thank you for taking time to complete this form. We may call you if we have any questions.

Do you have any medical problems your teachers should know about? (Such as seizures or food allergies or difficulty swallowing.)

What are you looking forward to doing in this class?

What do you hope to gain by participating in the Higher Visions program?

What areas are you most interested in covering? (i.e. relationships, safe habits, etc.)
