



The PROGRESS Center of the Fairfax County Department of Housing & Community Development
Partnership for Resident Opportunities, Growth, Resources, and Economic Self-Sufficiency

Look Who's Hiring!

Construction Jobs, both skilled and unskilled!

Mondloch House Substantial Rehabilitation Project
3516 Lockheed Boulevard, Alexandria, VA

Manekin Construction, contractor for the job, and the subcontractors will be present to fill both skilled and unskilled construction jobs for the Mondloch House project.

Mondloch house construction will begin in July 2012.

Job Fair Details

Friday, June 29, 2012
4 to 6 pm
Murraygate Apartments Community Center
7800 Belford Drive
Alexandria, VA 22306

Bring your resume, your driver's license, and documentation
indicating legal ability to work (if applicable).

Don't forget your smile!



If you have questions, please call Diane Jenkins at 703-246-5283 or email at dhcd-section3@fairfaxcounty.gov.

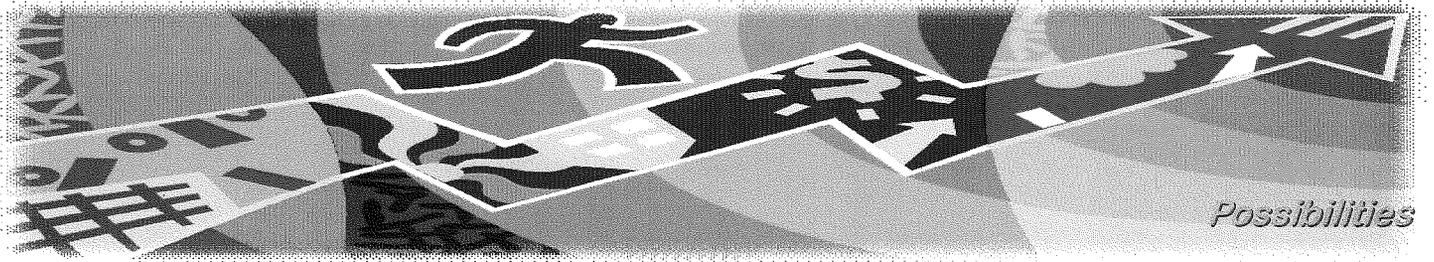


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Summer Internships with the Fairfax County Department of Housing & Community Development (HCD)

HCD is offering two Summer Internships to young adults
between the ages of 18-21 years old whose family receives housing assistance.

These internships are offered in partnership with the SkillSource Educating Youth through Employment (EYE) Program.
Resumes with cover letter indicating which position you are applying for must be received no later than April 16, 2012,
at the address listed below.

Position Details: Hourly pay \$10.00/hour, 30 hours/week.
Employment is anticipated to begin June 25 and end August 10.

Employment Requirements/Preferences:

- Applicant must be between the ages of 18-21 years old
- Must be legally able to work in the United States
- Applicant must be a resident of an HCD program or property (if you are unsure if you qualify, please call us at the number below)
- Driver's license and own transportation highly desirable, since evening workshops with EYE are mandatory
- Dependable, flexible, good communication and computer skills

One position will be with the HCD Property Improvement and Maintenance Department (PIMD). Duties will include:

- Shadow and assist vacancy coordinator and skilled trades persons, in order to gain construction experience with trades and with contract coordinators.
- Skills attained will be minor plumbing, carpentry, contract coordination and vacancy preparation.
- Intern will rotate among staff in order to be introduced to a variety of tasks.

This position is best suited for:

- Individuals with a high school degree or GED, or who are (or plan to) attend vocational/trade school, community college, or college to study a trade, construction, or maintenance related field.

One position will be with the Partnership for Resident Opportunities, Growth, Resources, and Economic Self-Sufficiency (The PROGRESS Center). Duties will include:

- Assist with community workshops, job fairs and other events.
- Assist with office organizing, filing, and data entry.
- Create community resource information sheets and resource libraries for staff use.

This position is best suited for:

- Individuals in college studying social work or related field and who have strong communication, organization, and Microsoft Office skills.
- Individuals who work or who plan to work in the fields listed above.

By April 16, send resume, cover letter, and indication about which position you are applying to:
HCD, 3700 Pender Drive, Fairfax, VA 22030 Attention: Diane Jenkins
Or email them in Word or PDF format to: Dhcd-section3@fairfaxcounty.gov

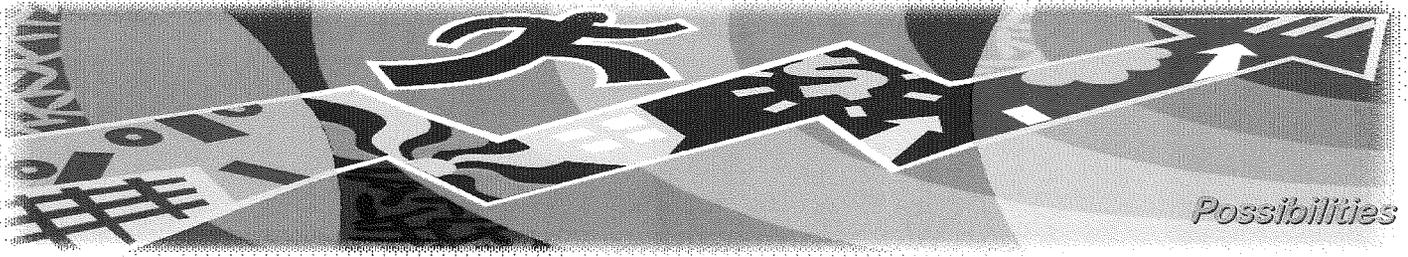
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St. Patrick's Day Party
for
Ragan Oaks and Robinson's Square
Teens and Young Adults
Ages 13-21!

Ragan Oaks Community Center
Friday, March 16, 2012
3pm to 5pm

Pizza, Soda, Yummy Green Things to Eat!
Raffle for a chance to win various gift cards!



Robinson's Square Youth: a Fairfax County van will pick up and return a limited number of youth to and from the Ragan Oaks Party. See FACETS staff to register and have a permission slip signed ahead of time!

Youth Employment Center Comes to Ragan Oaks!

**Find out about upcoming Youth/
Young Adult Job Fairs, and ideas
to help you find employment and
training!**

**Find out about Youth/Young Adult
Job Readiness programs to enroll
in that lead to paid internships.**

**Find out about the Educating
Youth through Employment (EYE)
Summer Employment Program.**

Ready,

Get Set,

Go!

Dare to Succeed!



**Sponsored by the Workforce Investment Act (WIA)
Program: SkillSource, Your One Stop Job Corner!**

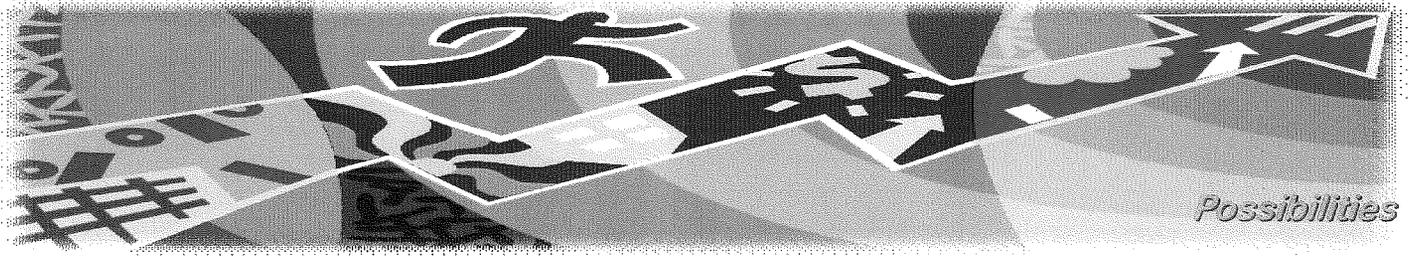
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Look Who's Hiring



Mini Job Fairs

Friday, March 2, 2012

3pm-5pm

West Ford Community Center

3013 Westford View Court

Alexandria, VA 22306

Friday, March 16, 2012

3pm-5pm

Ragan Oaks Community Center

12101 Ragan Oaks Court

Fairfax, VA 22030

Job Fairs feature the following businesses who are contracted by the Fairfax County Department of Housing and Community Development:

- Greenlink Landscape company (North County Area)
- Landcaster Landscape Company (South County Area)
- The Brickman Group Landscape Company (Central, North, and South County area mixed)

Employment Requirements are:

- Minimum age is 18 years old
- Able to lift 50 pounds
- Legally able to work in the United States
- Valid drivers license and own transportation helpful but not required

Bring your resume, your driver's license, and documentation indicating legal ability to work, if applicable. Don't forget your smile!



Why work for a Landscape Company?

- ◆ ***Great Exercise!***
- ◆ ***Teaches Discipline: got to get up early!***
- ◆ ***Good hours for seasonal employment!***
- ◆ ***Great job for men or women!***
- ◆ ***Opportunity to learn a new trade as a fall-back job when times are tough!***



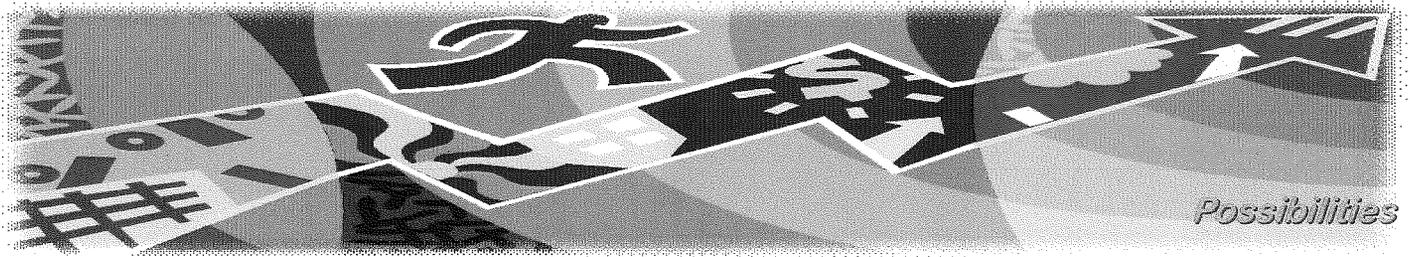
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Look Who's Hiring



Mini Job Fairs

Saturday, February 18, 2012
10am – 12pm
West Ford Community Center
3013 Westford View Court, Alexandria, VA

Saturday, March 10, 2012
10am -12pm
Robinson Square Community Center
4400 St. Edwards Place, Fairfax, VA

Both Job Fairs will feature the following businesses who are contracted by the Fairfax County Department of Housing and Community Development:

Mister Janitor (cleaning company)

Requirements for employment include: current driver's license, be at least 18 years old, be legally authorized to work in the United States, be able to lift up to 50 pounds, and be able to work with a variety of chemicals.

First Lady (cleaning company)

Requirements for employment include: current driver's license, be at least 18 years old, be legally authorized to work in the United States, be able to lift up to 50 pounds, and be able to work with a variety of chemicals.

Caldwell & Gregory (laundry service company)

Requirements for employment include: current driver's license, be at least 18 years old, and be legally authorized to work in the United States.

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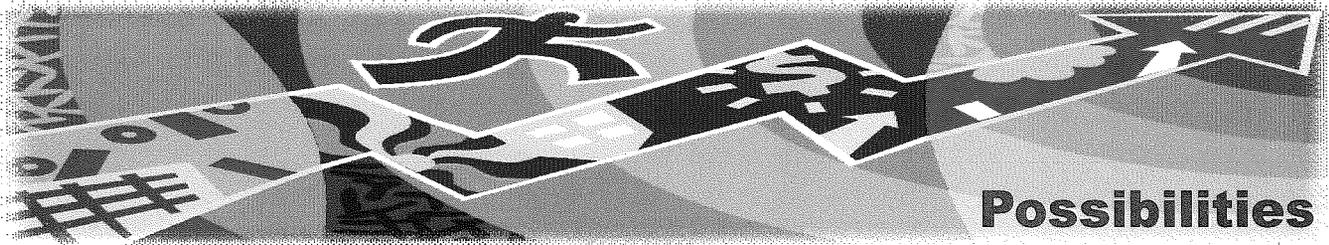


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Scholarship Opportunities

Public Housing Authorities Directors Association (PHADA)

This scholarship is available to High School Seniors and residents of Public Housing or Fairfax County Rental Program, and Housing Choice Voucher Program participants.

For information and to obtain an application, call 202-546-5445 or go to www.phada.org. All scholarship applications are due to the PROGRESS Center by Tuesday, Jan. 17, 2012.

National Leased Housing Association (NLHA)

This scholarship is available to Housing Choice Voucher Program participants. **For more information, call 202-785-8888 or visit: www.hudnlha.com/education_fund/.**

All scholarship applications are due to the PROGRESS Center by February 10, 2012.

Virginia Association of Housing and Community Development Officials (VAHCDO)

This scholarship is available to High School Seniors and residents of Public Housing or Fairfax County Rental Program and Housing Choice Voucher Program participants. **For more information, call 757-233-6903 or visit: www.vahcdo.org and click on "scholarship." All scholarship applications are due to the PROGRESS Center by February 24, 2012.**

How to Apply

To apply for the above, send your completed scholarship application packet to 3700 Pender Drive, Fairfax, VA 22030. Contact the PROGRESS Center staff at 703-246-5283 or by email at: dhcd-section3@fairfaxcounty.gov.

For a list of scholarships available to residents of the state of Virginia, visit the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV) at: www.schev.edu/students/undergradFinancialAidPrograms.asp

If you have questions, please contact the PROGRESS Center at 703-246-5283 or by email at: dhcdsection3@fairfaxcounty.gov.

Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Program

The WIA Program is offered by the Fairfax County Department of Family Services in partnership with the Northern Virginia Workforce Investment Board.

Program participant youth, are you:

- ✓ Getting ready to graduate from high school or about to finish a GED Program?
- ✓ 16-21 years old?
- ✓ Getting ready to enter the workforce?
- ✓ Looking for the next step?

The WIA Program may be right for you! Services include:

- Career Development
- Training Opportunities
- Job Preparation Skills
- Job Shadowing
- Resume Building
- Work Experience
- Interview Coaching
- College Exploration
- Tutorial Assistance
- Vocational School Exploration
- Skills & Interest Assessments
- GED and High School completion options
- Apprenticeship Opportunities

Find out if you are eligible at a WIA informational session:

Saturday, Jan. 7 from 10-11:30 a.m.

West Ford Community Center
3013 Westford View Drive, Alexandria, VA 22306

Wednesday, Jan. 11 from 6-7:30 p.m.

Greenwood Community Center
6175-A Greenwood Drive, Falls Church, VA 22044

Monday, Jan. 23 from 6-7:30 p.m.

HCD Main Office
3700 Pender Drive, Fairfax, VA 22030

Please RSVP to Diane Jenkins, Section 3 Coordinator, 703-246-5283; TTY: 703-385-3578, or via email at dhcd-section3@fairfaxcounty.gov with the date and workshop location you plan to attend.



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County of Fairfax, Virginia

To protect and enrich the quality of life for the people, neighborhoods and diverse communities of Fairfax County

Attention 18-21 Year Olds!

One part-time summer employment opportunity is available at the Fairfax County Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD)

Position Details

- Employment will begin on May 31 and end on August 12, 2011.
- Work location is 3700 Pender Drive, Fairfax, VA 22030
- Pay Rate will be \$10 per hour, 20 hours per week. Flexible hours, as some evening and weekend work may be required.
- Work will primarily be assigned to HCD's PROGRESS Center (Partnership for Resident Opportunities, Growth, Resources, and Economic Self Sufficiency).
- Duties of this position include database development and assisting with workshops and community events.
- General competencies desired include a willingness to learn, a professional and ethical work attitude, personal computer skills, good organizational skills, and the ability to communicate effectively (both orally and in writing).
- Resumes will be pre-screened with one year of college preferred
- Panel interviews will be conducted as part of the selection process
- Reminder: Earned income for full-time students is only counted up to \$480 for the household.

Funding for this position is through the Educating Youth through Employment (EYE) initiative sponsored by SkillSource. The employee will be expected to attend approximately four to six paid EYE workshops scheduled throughout the summer.

Resume deadline: Friday, May 6, 2011

(If you need resume writing tips and referrals, contact Diane Jenkins.)

Send resume to:

Fairfax County Department of Housing and Community Development
3700 Pender drive, Suite 300
Fairfax, VA 22030

Attention: Diane Jenkins, Section 3 Coordinator

(Messages) 703-246-5283

dhcd-section3@fairfaxcounty.gov



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Department of Housing and Community Development

3700 Pender Drive, Suite 300

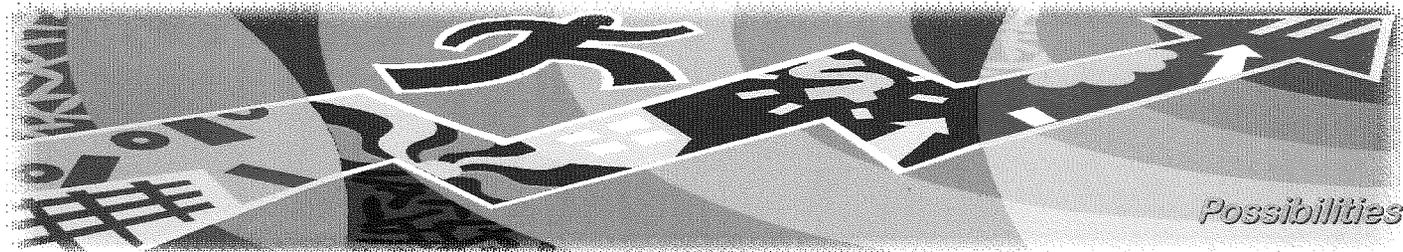
Fairfax, Virginia 22030-6039

Tel. 703-246-5100 • Fax 703-246-5115 • TTY 703-385-3578

www.fairfaxcounty.gov/rha

Now Hiring!

Who?	What?	Where?	Contact
Colbert Roofing Corp. (Roofing Service)	Looking for roofers with a few years of experience.	7809 Loisdale Road Springfield, VA 22150	Chris Colbert Chriscolbert13@gmail.com (703)550-9171
Benfield Electric Company (Electrical Service)	Looking for electricians with a few years of experience.	12021 Wilton Meadows Court Manassas, VA 20109	Matt Lynch mlynch@benfieldmc.com (703)551-2729
Vienna Aluminum Inc. (glass finish & install)	Looking for glass technicians with a few years of experience.	13944-A Willard Road Chantilly, VA 20151	Jeff Hamilton vaaluminum@aol.com (703) 961 - 9950
Sully Carpet & Interiors (flooring)	Looking for warehouse workers.	13970 Metrotech Drive Chantilly, VA 20151	Farhad Rasheedi farhad@sullyinteriors.com (703)222-0808
Harvey W. Hottel, Inc. (HVAC)	Looking for plumbers with 3-5 years of experience for commercial work.	18900 Woodfield Road Gaithersburg, MD 20879	Leslie Titcomb Ltitcomb@harveyhottel.com (301)921-9599
Accubid Concrete Construction (SWAM Certified)	Looking for concrete pavers with a few years of experience.	P.O. Box 474 Springfield, VA 22150	Linda Hubbard or Al Shelton accubidconcrete@verizon.net (703)569-5353
Dominion Concrete & Masonry Co.	Looking for laborers & concrete workers. (no license required)	43751 Beaver Meadow Road Sterling, VA 20166	Fernando Nicolau info@dcmcfatwork.com (703)996-0300
Mister Janitor (cleaning vacancies)	Looking for cleaners with a good work ethic (a little experience is appreciated, but not necessary)	14915 Deepwood Lane Nokesville, VA 20181	Billy Alsotn (703)594-3710 Misterjanitor96@aol.com
Quantum Facilities Management	Looking for carpeting manager.	5101 River Road, Suite #101 Bethesda, MA 20816	Mike Proctor (703)917-1220
Classic Development Service (General Contractor)	Looking for licensed plumbers and helpers.	5239 Jessup Road Richmond, VA 23234	Richard Mason (804)255-7201
Kirby Kerns (general rehab)	Looking for laborers with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5-6 years experience • able set up a 40 ft ladder with no help • experienced technicians for work with gutters & windows **drivers license and clean driving record required**	9203 Enterprise Court #L Manassas Park, VA 20111	Kirby Kerns Kirbykerns1@gmail.com or kirbykerns@aol.com (703)915-2350 or (703)330-1555



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Parents Raising Safe Kids Program

The Parents Raising Safe Kids Program is designed to raise parent/adult awareness about ways to protect children and youth by strengthening parents' skills.

This program is brought to you by Shelter House staff...*Empowering Families*



Target Audience: Parents and Caregivers of children (0 to 8 years)

The research based curriculum is designed to help families and caregivers of all types of backgrounds raise children without violence by learning in **10 interactive sessions**: ☆ Basic information on child development ☆ Risk factors for violence and its Consequences ☆ Protective factors for and skills for effective parenting, such as anger management, peaceful conflict resolution, discipline, and media education

When:

Where: Greenwood Community Center, 6175-A, Greenwood Drive, Falls Church

Time:

Light refreshments and childcare will be provided for all participants

To Register for the class contact Carissa Vines, Residential Supervisor, Shelter House, at 703-536-2155.

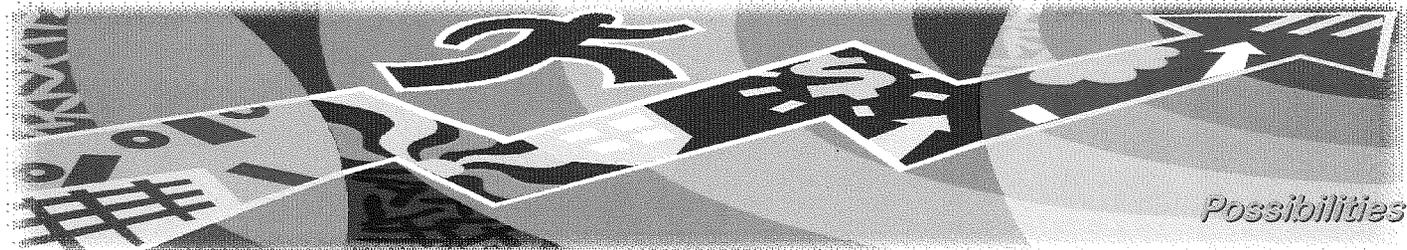
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Family Nutrition Program

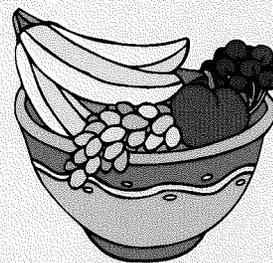
Coordinated by The PROGRESS Center
Presented by Fairfax Office of Virginia Cooperative Extension

West Ford residents—over the age of 18—are invited to participate in this FREE six-week course to learn how to buy and prepare healthy, low-cost meals! You will be **preparing and sampling** food at most classes!

When: Mondays, March 5, 12, 19, 26 and April 2 and 9

Time: 10:30am-12:00pm

Where: West Ford Community Center



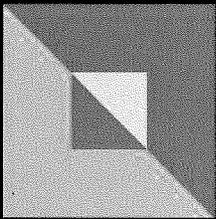
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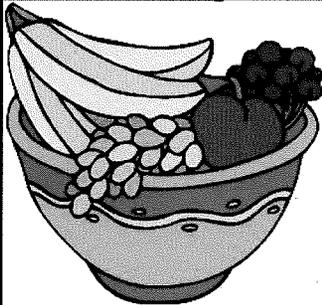
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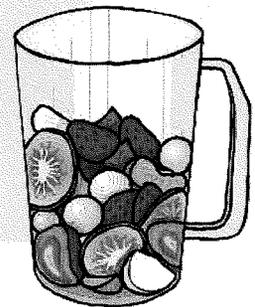


West Ford residents who are over the
age of 18, are invited to participate in
this FREE six-week course to learn how to
buy and prepare healthy, low cost meals!
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most classes!

When: Tuesdays , February 1, 8, 15, and
March 1,8,15

What time: 4:30-6:00pm

Where: The West Ford Community
Center located at 3013 Westford View
Court, Alexandria, VA 22036



Please RSVP no later than January 10, 2011; cut and return the bottom portion using the enclosed envelope:

Name of resident planning to attend: _____

Address of resident: _____

Phone number: _____

Email Address: _____