



**GREEN
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January 2026

News to Note

About this Newsletter:

Welcome to the Green Country Workforce Monthly!

This newsletter keeps workforce system partners informed about the latest developments under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA).

We highlight key services, upcoming events, labor market information and partnership opportunities to empower job seekers and employers across Oklahoma.

Curated by the One- Stop Operator, this edition connects you with resources from American Job Centers, industry coalitions, and community organizations.

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Partners

Need Office Space? Co-locate with your Local American Job Center!

We invite community partners to leverage our American Job Centers (AJCs) across our 18 counties for your workspace needs. Whether you're seeking a long-term hub, a meeting venue, or a temporary workspace, our AJCs offer flexible solutions to support your mission of strengthening our communities.

Explore Our Space Options

Establish a Home Base with an MOU: Partner with us to secure dedicated space through a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) tailored to your needs. Access square footage, high-speed internet, phones, printers, and technology for you and your clients at competitive rates. Costs vary by location and lease terms—contact us at oso@greencountryworks.org to find the perfect fit for your organization.

Host Meetings and Events: Struggling to find a free venue? Our AJCs provide unique spaces for meetings, workshops, and community gatherings. From small conference rooms to larger event areas, each center offers distinct amenities. Reach out to your local AJC to explore available options and reserve your space.

Touch Down at Our Landing Pads: Traveling or need a quiet spot to catch up on work? Our AJCs welcome you to “land” for the day in a comfortable, temperature-controlled environment. Answer emails, make calls, or focus on tasks with access to Wi-Fi and basic office resources.

Partner Benefits



Shared Access to Customers

- Co-enrollment across WIOA Titles I–IV
- Streamlined referral processes
- Participation in intake & assessment activities

Facility & Technology Use

- Shared meeting rooms and interview spaces
- Access to computers, printers & high-speed Wi-Fi
- Scheduled Partner Days or embedded staffing

Data & Reporting Support

- Labor market information
- Performance dashboards
- Data support aligned to MOUs/IFAs
- Bi-weekly Hot Jobs & hiring trends

Event Collaboration

- Job fairs & Resource & community fairs

Strategic Engagement Opportunities

- Partner Forums
- Sector Strategy Discussions

Training & Capacity Building

- Staff development trainings
- Quarterly Town Halls
- Cross-training sessions
- DEI & trauma-informed care workshops

Marketing & Outreach Support

- Inclusion in AJC campaigns & materials
- Promotion of partner services
- Joint branding for events and initiatives

Where Partnerships Thrive and Opportunities Begin.
Your Mission Has a Home at the American Job Center.

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PARTNER MEETINGS: BARTLESVILLE • TULSA • TAHLEQUAH

Join us each quarter for our regional Partner Meetings in Bartlesville, Tulsa, and Tahlequah—purposefully designed to strengthen collaboration across the workforce network. These gatherings bring together workforce, education, and community partners to exchange updates, coordinate referrals, align service strategies, and identify opportunities to better support job seekers, businesses, and families across Green Country.

During each meeting, partners have the opportunity to:

- Share program updates, new initiatives, and upcoming events
- Review service needs and discuss solutions to common challenges
- Coordinate warm handoffs and cross-agency referrals
- Explore co-enrollment opportunities and braided-service models
- Plan joint outreach, hiring events, and community activities
- Strengthen communication and build a more unified, responsive network.



Tahlequah- Thursday, February 26 at 10am.
Bartlesville/Tulsa Area - Thursday, March 26 at 10am

If you'd like to showcase your organization, reach out to get added to the schedule! This is a great opportunity to highlight your programs, services, enrollment opportunities, eligibility requirements, and more while connecting with fellow partners. Schedule today: oso@greencountryworks.org

Our Next Partner Meeting will be: Thursday, February 26, 2026 at 10AM Work Ready - Tahlequah

407 Daisy Dr. Unit A. Tahlequah OK 74464



Join Us for a Tour at Work Ready!

Mark your calendar for Thursday, February 26th in Tahlequah and come see what all the hype is about! Discover how Work Ready Oklahoma is helping individuals prepare for success and learn about the innovative programs making a difference in our community.

- ✓ Career Readiness Training – Build essential workplace skills
- ✓ Job Search Assistance – Access tools and resources to land your next job
- ✓ Employer Connections – Network with businesses looking for talent

To RSVP, please email oso@greencountryworks.org

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FREE ONLINE ASL CLASSES

Learn anytime, anywhere!
These online classes are
designed to help you build
a strong foundation in ASL!

- ✓ Registration opens Jan 8th, 2026 - Start class immediately!
- ✓ Registration ends Feb 12th, 2026
- ✓ Class ends June 30th, 2026
- ✓ Self paced
- ✓ While these classes are FREE, donations are greatly appreciated and help to ensure growth of our ASL classes.



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Register at <https://courses.osd.k12.ok.us/>

Contact Us



Phone Number:
580-622-4944



aslclass@osd.k12.ok.us

Job Seekers

The American Job Center (AJC) offers free, personalized career support to help individuals explore options, set goals, and succeed. Services include:

1 Career Exploration & Guidance

- One-on-one career counseling and goal setting.
- Interest and skills assessments.
- Labor market information and career pathway planning.

2. Job Search Assistance

- Resume writing and interview preparation workshops.
- Access to job listings and employer connections.
- Support with online applications and job matching.

3. Training & Education

- Referrals to occupational skills training and certification programs.
- On-the-Job Training (OJT) and apprenticeships.
- Adult education, English Second Language (ESL), and GED preparation.

4. Supportive Services

- Transportation, childcare, and work-related expense assistance.
- Referrals to housing, food, and health services.
- Access to community resources and wraparound support.

5. Digital Literacy & Tech Access

- Computer labs and internet access.
- Digital Literacy Labs and tech-enabled self-service tools.
- Help with email setup, online job applications, and virtual interviews.

6. Specialized Services

- Services for veterans, individuals with disabilities, youth, and reentry populations.
- Customized support for dislocated workers and career changers.
- Language access and accommodations.

7. Workshops & Events

- Job fairs, resource fairs, and career expos.
- Financial literacy, workplace readiness, and soft skills training.
- Employer-led information sessions and hiring events.

8. Case Management & Follow-Up

- Personalized employment plans.
- Regular check-ins and progress tracking.
- Post-placement support to ensure job retention.



All services are free and open to the public. Visit your local AJC to get started!

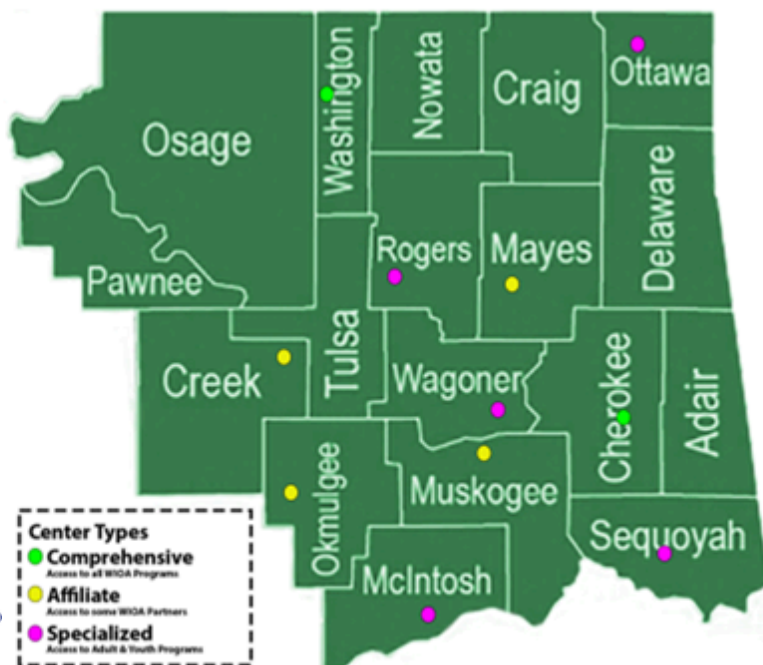
American Job Center Locations in Green Country

OESC offices across the state offer free services and resources to help job seekers through the stress of filing unemployment, finding and applying for a job, prepping for an interview, or even gathering information about entering a new career field.

Have questions about an unemployment claim? Call us at 405-525-1500

Need to find an OESC office near you?

Visit www.oklahoma.gov/oesc/locations



Bartlesville- American Job Center
210 NE Washington Blvd. Bartlesville, OK 74006
Phone: (918) 542-5561

Eufaula- American Job Center
at Under One Roof
107 McKinley
Phone: (918) 682-3364

Miami- American Job Center
Co-Located in DHS Building
2114 Denver Harner Dr. Miami, OK 74354
Phone: (918) 542-5561

Muskogee- American Job Center
717 South 32nd Street
Phone: (918) 682-3364
** New Location in February

Okmulgee- American Job Center
1601 South Wood Drive
Phone: (918) 304-3160

Pryor- American Job Center
403 E Graham Ave. Pryor, OK 74361
Phone: (918) 825-2582

Tahlequah- American Job Center
1295 Skills Center Circle
Phone: (918) 456-8846

Tulsa American Job Center
14002 Office is permanently closed.
3 Temporary Tulsa Offices are listed below
DHS Building
3666 N. Peoria. Tulsa, OK: M-F 8am - 5pm
Oasis Fresh Market
1725 N. Peoria, Tulsa, OK: T/W/R 8:30am to 4:00pm

Catoosa Office- American Job Center
5238 OK Highway 167, Catoosa, OK: M-F 8am - 5pm

Sallisaw- American Job Center
at Cherokee Nation
100 East Choctaw Avenue
Phone: (918) 776-0416

Sapulpa- American Job Center
1700 South Main
Phone: (918) 224-9430

Stilwell- American Job Center
at Cherokee Nation
406 A. W. Locust Street
Phone: (918) 696-3124

Wagoner- American Job Center
(Every Tuesday, 8:30am-4:30pm)
202 Casaver Avenue
Phone: (918) 682-3364



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Tahlequah AJC

1295 Skill Center Circle
Tahlequah, OK 74464
918-456-8846

serving Cherokee, Sequoyah and Adair Counties

Hiring Event/ Job Fair	10:00 AM to 1:00 PM 3rd Thurs
Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Employment Services / Unemployment	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Vocational Rehabilitation Services	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Oklahoma Dept. Veteran Affairs	9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Tues
HSE/GED Test Prep Classes	1:00 PM to 3:00 PM Mon, Tues, Thurs



Work Ready - Tahlequah 407 Daisy Dr. Unit A. Tahlequah OK 74464

- Workshop - January 12-16 9:00AM - 3:00PM

Sign -up TODAY. <https://www.workreadyoklahoma.com/signup/>

For more INFO- recruitment@wro-tahlequah.com, 918-93-3022



Tahlequah Public Schools | HSE/GED/ Family Literacy

Onsite at the AJC during the day and Central Academy for evening Classes

Contact: Phillip Bush at (918) 458-4170 or bushp@tahlequahschools.org for enrollment appointments



Talking Leaves Job Corps - 22717 S Bald Hill Rd. Tahlequah OK 74464

Tours Thursday: January 15, 22 and 29 from 9:45am-12:pm

Contact: Will Carpenter, Admissions carpenter.will@jobcorps.org



Cherokee Nation - Adult Immersion Cherokee Language Classes

FREE and Open to the Public

Winter Session: Jan. 12-16 Spring Session: Feb. 9-13

For more Info, language@cherokee.org or 918-207-4901



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Bartlesville AJC

210 Washington Blvd
Bartlesville, OK 74006
918-332-4800

serving Nowata and Washington Counties

Hiring Event/ Job Fair	10:00 AM to 1:00 PM 2nd Mon
Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Employment Services / Unemployment	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Vocational Rehabilitation Services	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Oklahoma Dept. Veteran Affairs	9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Thurs
Disabled Veterans Outreach Program	9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Mon
HSE/GED Test Prep Classes	1:00 PM to 3:00 PM Tues, Thurs



Resume Workshop | January 7, 2026 12PM-2PM Topic: Hands on with AI
Interview Workshop | January 21, 2026 9AM-10AM Topic: Do's and Dont's Mock Interviews
Softskill Workshop | January 28, 2026 9AM-10AM



Scan for more details

HIRING EVENT

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by employbridge

CURRENT OPENINGS:
PRODUCTION ASSEMBLERS
6G PIPE WELDERS/3G VESSEL WELDERS
CNC MACHINIST PROGRAMMERS

Monday, January 12th
9:00AM to 12:00PM
210 NE WASHINGTON BLVD
Bartlesville OK, 74066



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and opportunity employment program. Auxiliary jobs and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

Bartlesville Public Library- FREE Citizenship Class

Citizenship classes are held on Wednesdays @ 5 pm and Thursdays @ 10 am on the second floor of the Bartlesville Public Library in the Literacy Services office. These classes are FREE and open to the public. Please contact the Bartlesville Literacy Services office at 918.338.4179 for more information.

Bartlesville Public Library- FREE ESL Class

English Second Language (ESL)- Conversation classes are held at the Bartlesville Public Library (600 S. Johnstone) in the Literacy Office on Thursdays at 11 am. These classes are FREE and open to the public. Please contact the Bartlesville Literacy Services office at 918.338.4179 for more information.



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serving Tulsa, Osage and Pawnee Counties

TULSA

(Oklahoma DHS)

3666 N. Peoria Ave.

Tulsa OK 74106

918-796-1200

Tulsa County | Attention While the new location is still being finalized, you can continue to access our services at other American Job Centers across Oklahoma or at the following Tulsa-area locations:

- DHS Building: 3666 N. Peoria, Tulsa | Monday–Friday | 8:00 AM–5:00 PM
- Oasis Fresh Market: 1725 N. Peoria, Tulsa | Tuesday–Thursday | 8:30 AM–4:00 PM



Tulsa Tech - District Wide Open House - ALL Campus Locations
January 22, 2026 4-7PM
tulsatech.edu



Work Ready - Tulsa 2852 Southwest Blvd. Tulsa, OK 74107

- Workshop - January 12-16 9:00AM - 3:00PM

Sign -up TODAY. <https://www.workreadyoklahoma.com/signup/>

For more INFO- recruitment@wro-tulsa.com, 918-559-0272



Union Public School- Adult Learning Center

7616 S Garnett Rd, Tulsa | (918) 357-7040 | ENROLL TODAY!

GED/HiSET Prep and ESL Classes – Day and Evening Options Available!

Take the next step toward your goals with flexible class schedules designed to fit your life.

- UALC (Main Campus @ 76th & Garnett) - M/T/W/TH 9:00am-Noon
- UALC (Main Campus @ 76th & Garnett) - M/W 1:00pm-4:00pm
- UALC (Main Campus @ 76th & Garnett) -T/TH 5:30-8:00pm
- Tulsa Tech (Peoria Campus, North Tulsa) - T/TH 1:00-4:00pm
- Goodwill Industries (West Tulsa, SW Blvd) - M/W 1:00-4:00pm
- Rogers State Univ. (Claremore)- T/TH 8:30 - 11:30 AM



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Sapulpa AJC

1700 S. Main St.
Sapulpa OK 7466
918-224-9430

serving Creek, Osage, Pawnee and Tulsa Counties

Hiring Event/ Job Fair

Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs

Employment Services / Unemployment

Disabled Veterans Outreach Program

GED Classes

| 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM | 3rd Mon

| 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon - Fri

| 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon - Fri

| 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon, Wed - Fri

| 8:30 AM to 10:30 AM | Tues & Thurs



Pryor AJC

403 E Graham Ave
Pryor OK 74361
918-825-2582

serving Mayes, Delaware and Rogers Counties

Hiring Event/ Job Fair

Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs

Employment Services / Unemployment

| 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM | 3rd Wed

| 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon - Fri

| 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon - Fri



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Muskogee AJC

717 S 32nd St

Muskogee OK 74401

918-682-3364

serving McIntosh, Muskogee, Sequoyah and Wagoner Counties

Hiring Event/ Job Fair	10:00 AM to 1:00 PM 2nd Mon
Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Employment Services / Unemployment	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Disabled Veterans Outreach Program	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri

NEW LOCATION coming NEXT MONTH. 2404 W. Shawnee St. Muskogee OK 74401



Okmulgee AJC

1601 S Wood Dr.

Okmulgee OK 74447

918-304-3160

serving Okmulgee County

Hiring Event/ Job Fair	11:00 AM to 3:00 PM 2nd Tues
Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Employment Services / Unemployment	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Vocational Rehabilitation Services	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Mon - Fri
Disabled Veterans Outreach Program	9:00 AM to 3:00 PM Tues



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Specialized Centers

McIntosh County - Eufaula - Under One Roof | 107 McKinley, Eufaula | (918) 351-1174

- Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918 351-1174
- Carl Albert Community Mental Health Center | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-426-7800
- Court Appointed Special Advocate | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-686-8199
- District 18 Drug Court | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-423-7323
- Lake Eufaula Group of AA | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 405-640-5181
- McIntosh County Coalition Healthy Community | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-689-7505
- McIntosh County Health Department | 9:30 AM to 3:30 PM | Tues | 918-490-2669
- Muskogee Nation Women, WIC | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-618-4577
- Muskogee Nation Victim Services | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-752-5447
- McIntosh Group of Narcotics Anonymous | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-470-2049
- Women in Safe Home | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-869-6767
- Youth Emergency Shelter | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-689-2900
- 2nd Chances Thrift Shop | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918-689-7505
- Homeless Outreach Program of Eufaula | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri | 918 689-7505
- Human Services | 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM | 4th Tuesday | 405-522-5050

Ottawa County - Miami - 2114 Denver Harner Dr., Miami - (918) 542-5561

- Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri
- Employment Services / Unemployment | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri
- Vocational Rehabilitation Services | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri
- Oklahoma Dept. Veteran Affairs | By Appointment
- Human Services | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri

Rogers County - 5238 OK Highway 167, Catoosa, OK (918) 541-2478

- Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon, Wed, Fri
- Employbridge | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri
- Employment Services / Unemployment | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri

Sequoyah County - Sallisaw - Cherokee Nation Career Services - 100 E Choctaw Ave, Sallisaw - (918) 776-0416

- Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon, Wed, Fri
- Native American Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs | 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM | Mon-Fri

Wagoner County - 202 N. Casaver, Wagoner - (918) 776-0416

- Adult, Dislocated Worker, & Youth Programs | 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM | Wed



The WIOA

Adult & Dislocated Worker

program is a dynamic initiative designed to empower individuals with the skills and resources they need to succeed in today's competitive job market. We're dedicated to helping you unlock your full potential and achieve your career goals.

➤ AVAILABLE SERVICES:

- Assistance with obtaining a GED or High School Diploma
- Job Search Assistance
 - Resume, Interviews and more!
- Assistance with training costs, supplies, transportation, and more!
- Individualized Career Counseling
- Career Exploration Assessments
- Paid work-based learning opportunities
- Referrals to additional community services

You may be **eligible** if you're:

18 years of age or older
Authorized to work in the U.S

and one of the following:

- Recent job loss or mass layoff
- Low Income Individual
- Veteran Or Veteran Spouse
- Native American, Alaska Native or Native Hawaiian
- Individual With Disability
- Single Parent
(Including Single Pregnant Women)
- Justice Involved Individual
- English Language Learner
- Long Term Unemployed
(27 Or More Consecutive Weeks)
- Experiencing Housing Instability
- Migrant And Seasonal Farmworker
- Limited Literacy abilities

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The WIOA Youth Program

offers education and employment services at **no cost** to young adults ages 16 to 24, who have a desire to become self-sufficient and ready to enter the workforce.



AVAILABLE SERVICES:

- Achievement-based paid Incentives
- Paid work-based learning opportunities
- Assistance with obtaining a GED or High School Diploma
- Personalized career guidance and support
- Career Exploration Assessments
- Resume building and interview preparation
- Assistance with training costs, school supplies, transportation and more!



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locate the nearest
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to you!

You may be **eligible** if you're:

Between 16 and 24 years old
Authorized to work in the U.S

and one of the following:

- Lacking a high school diploma or equivalent
- Involved with the justice system
- Experiencing Housing Instability
- In or aged out of foster care
- Pregnant or parenting
- Individual with Disability
- Low Income Individual **with** one of the following:
 - Individual or Parents who are basic skills deficient or English language learner
 - Requires additional assistance with education and employment
 - Parent or legal guardian whose is/been incarcerated for a felony
 - Parent who lacks a high school diploma or GED

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BUSINESS SERVICES

WORK EXPERIENCE

program gives businesses access to a tailored pipeline of emerging talent and gives individuals the opportunity to build transferable skills and gain hands-on experience. We **cover 100%** of the cost including the following:

- Workers compensation and limited liability
- On-boarding and payroll services
- Weekly check-ins and routine evaluations

ON-THE-JOB TRAINING

program offers a flexible, occupational training strategy that helps businesses build a stronger, more adaptable workforce. We provide **50% wage reimbursements** to offset the cost of upskilling.

- Requires Full Time Employment
- Customized training plans
- Direct workplace upskilling
- Reduce Turnover > Increase Retention

STRATEGIC WORKFORCE PLANNING

- Tailored workforce consultations
- Talent pipeline development
- Customized workforce data analytics
- Labor market information
- Employee engagement and retention trainings for supervisors
- Promotion of job opportunities
- Job description support
- Registered Apprenticeship Assistance

LAYOFF ASSISTANCE

Includes providing customized on-site and virtual services related to:

- Filing Unemployment
- Unemployment Insurance
- Re-Employment Services
- Upskilling & Training Opportunities
- Essential Support Resources

COUNTIES WE SERVE

- | | |
|------------|--------------|
| • Adair | • Okmulgee |
| • Cherokee | • Osage |
| • Craig | • Ottawa |
| • Creek | • Pawnee |
| • Delaware | • Rogers |
| • Mayes | • Sequoyah |
| • McIntosh | • Tulsa |
| • Muskogee | • Wagoner |
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Business



Small Business Development Center Network (Oklahoma SBDC)

No matter your stage or size of business, the Oklahoma Small Business Development Center has the knowledge, tools and resources to help your Oklahoma business start, grow and succeed. We provide no-cost, confidential consulting to help Oklahoma's businesses from start-up through growth. FREE WORKSHOPS

January Workshops

	Business Start Up	Friday, Jan 9th @ 10:30 am
	Reach Customers Online with Google	Wednesday, Jan 14th @ 11 am
	Business Smart	Thursday, Jan 15th @ 11 am
	Business Start Up	Tuesday, Jan 20th @ 11 am OWSITE @ Kiamichi Technology Center - McAlester
	Learn the Basics of Google Ads	Wednesday, Jan 21st @ 11 am
	Business Start Up	Monday, Jan 26th @ 11 am OWSITE @ Kiamichi Technology Center - Poteau
	Start Smart with AI	Wednesday, Jan 28th @ 11 am

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Register online at
<https://www.oksbdc.org/workshops>

SBA Made in America Manufacturing Resource Summit

Many SBA statewide partners will share how they serve small businesses in Oklahoma with the focus on manufacturing, workforce, and trade. SBA Oklahoma District Office is teaming with Federal, State, and many other partners to provide a one-stop shop for community partners and small businesses to learn more about what these organizations can provide. See flyer above for a complete list of partners. REGISTER HERE

Made in America Resource Summit

January 15, 2026 8:30AM-12PM

REGISTER

Partners will share information on their services and talk one-on-one with community resources and small businesses. Join us to learn about the assistance available to small businesses in Oklahoma!

Schedule:

8:30am – 11:00 Introductions of Partners

11am-12pm – Networking

Location:

Glenpool Conference Center
12205 S Yukon Ave
Glenpool, OK 74033

- U.S. Small Business Administration
- U.S. Department of Labor – Wage and Hour
- U.S. Commercial Service – International Trade
- Oklahoma Manufacturing Alliance
- Oklahoma Small Business Development Center
- Oklahoma Occupational Safety and Health
- Oklahoma Employment Security Commission
- Oklahoma Works
- City of Glenpool/Glenpool Chamber

- Oklahoma Department of Commerce
- OCAST
- i2E
- Tulsa Ports
- Oklahoma APEX
- Tribal Government Institute APEX
- TEDC
- REI
- SCORE

Business





Small Business Power Hour: EVERY WEDNESDAY


Stop by the Cherokee Nation Commerce Innovation Hub every Wednesday from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. for free small business development workshops. This will be a weekly discussion of all things small business and entrepreneurship, and will include guest speakers, business development discussions, networking and more. These discussions can be attended in person or remotely. Learn more and register at [https://bit.ly/ CherokeeHub](https://bit.ly/CherokeeHub)

About the Innovation Hub

The Innovation Hub is a business incubator and coworking space offering startups and existing businesses incubation services, workspace, mentoring, and training. Located in the Cort Mall in downtown Tahlequah, The Hub offers the option to reserve a hot-desk station, boardroom, classroom, pitch room, private office, an outdoor workspace and a multi-media studio. All areas have access to free high-speed internet, general office supplies, a copy machine, and business development programming. To book a space, please contact:

 Call: 918.772.4144 | Text: 918.404.6887

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