

## **CLC Mission**

The Cambridge Community Learning Center empowers a diverse community of adult learners to transform their lives and realize their potential through education, skills development, and community participation.

## **CLC Core Values**

**ACCESS TO HIGH QUALITY EDUCATION:** We believe that adults should have access to high quality education, training, and support services that focus on their goals, activate their curiosity, and position them as lifelong learners.

**EVERYONE CAN LEARN:** We believe that all adults can be successful learners.

**LEADERSHIP & EMPOWERMENT THROUGH EDUCATION:** We believe that education promotes economic, civic, and personal empowerment.

**COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE AND CONTINUAL IMPROVEMENT:** We are committed to continually developing ourselves as professionals and leaders in the field. We actively align our practice with research on effective pedagogy and cognitive science.

**EQUITY:** We actively work to understand and recognize systemic racism and other forms of oppression, and we work to interrupt and combat them within the CLC.

**WELCOMING DIVERSITY:** We embrace the diverse identities of our students and staff and foster an environment in which all people feel valued. We strive to be a community of learners in which we honor all experiences and voices and learn from one another.

**COLLABORATION:** We believe in the power of collaborations and partnerships *among* ourselves and with the wider community to better serve our students.