HCC offering computer course

HOLYOKE — Holyoke Community College is offering a free six-week beginner computer training course starting Oct. 9.

The real-time, instructor-led online classes will run Mondays and Wednesdays, Oct. 9 to Nov. 25, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Laptops and Wi-Fi hotspots for internet access will be provided for students who need them.

The program was originally scheduled to start Sept. 30.

The program, which is being run in partnership with the nonprofit CanCode Communities, is aimed at helping individuals build essential computer skills for both personal and professional development.

Participants will explore the Microsoft Office program, learn how to create resumes, manage calendars, and send email, and be introduced to the world of artificial intelligence.

Funding for the program comes from the Western Massachusetts Alliance for Digital Equity.

To sign up for classes, email admissions@albanycancode.org or call 518-238-6808, ext. 702.