

Hello! My name is Vecksle. I am a 35-year-old man of Scandinavian descent in my first year at Olympic College. I am working towards an Associates in Education, which I should complete in 2021. One of the first places I visited on campus was the Multicultural center. I have been **volunteering** with the conversation partner program the past three quarters, since I want to become an ESL teacher it has been great for getting extra experience. They were very welcoming to me, so I felt comfortable coming back and being part of that community.

Which leads me to my biggest tip for new students, find a **community** to support you and **ask** for help when you need it. The staff and faculty at OC want you to succeed, so don't be too proud to get the **assistance** you need to reach your goals. Use the **tutoring** and **writing centers** when you need help with your homework, and don't be shy to work with **access services** if you need them. Good luck on your journey!

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ASSOCIATES IN EDUCATION
EXPECTED
GRADUATION: 2021

Mixed Race

Male

Pronouns: He, Him, His

1st Year Student

Conversation Partner Program
Volunteer

Awarded Financial Aid