

TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 113

Adult Education Newsletter

December 2022

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*Wishing you a
joyous Holiday
season and a
happy and
peaceful New
Year.*

Dear Students,

I want to take this opportunity to congratulate you on your decision to enroll in ESL classes. Your decision to work on improving your English skills will help you better understand and communicate with native speakers. It will also allow you to perform everyday tasks with confidence. Your teachers will help you improve your academic, workplace, and technology skills as well.



I also want to wish all of you a magical month of December filled with holiday festivities, family gatherings, and laughter. I know you will be preparing for the upcoming holidays soon, but I also must remind you that we will be contacting you to schedule a post-test with all students to measure your progress. This needs to be completed in order for you to be able to continue your studies in January.

This is a good time to ask all of you what additional types of classes and services you may need in the winter/spring semester in 2023. Perhaps you need a class at different times or days, or you prefer to take an ESL computer class? If you need assistance or have an idea, please bring it to my attention at **224-765-1021** or via email at rmitkova@dist113.org. Our program and staff will be happy to help you and tailor our instructional courses to your needs.

Happy Holidays to you and your families and best wishes for good health, happiness, and success in your future endeavors. Reni Mitkova, Director of Adult Education



Queridos alumnos,

Quiero aprovechar esta oportunidad para felicitarlos por su decisión de inscribirse en las clases de (ESL) inglés como segundo idioma. Su decisión de trabajar para mejorar sus habilidades en inglés lo ayudará a comprender y comunicarse mejor con hablantes nativos. También le permitirá realizar las tareas diarias con confianza. Tus profesoras también te ayudarán a mejorar tus habilidades académicas, laborales y tecnológicas.

También quiero desearles a todos un diciembre mágico lleno de festividades, reuniones familiares y risas. Sé que pronto se prepararán para las próximas vacaciones, pero también quiero recordarles que nos comunicaremos con ustedes para programar una prueba posterior con todos los alumnos para medir su progreso. Esto debe completarse para que pueda continuar sus estudios en el mes de enero.

Este es un buen momento para preguntarles a todos qué tipos de clases y servicios adicionales podrían necesitar en el semestre de invierno/primavera del 2023. ¿Quizás necesitan una clase en diferentes horarios o días o prefieren tomar una clase de computación de (ESL) inglés como segundo idioma? Si necesita ayuda o tiene una idea, hágamelo saber al **224-384-7288** o por correo electrónico a valbarran@dist113.org. Nuestro programa y nuestro personal estarán encantados de ayudarlo y adaptar nuestros cursos de instrucción a sus necesidades.

Felices fiestas para usted y su familia y los mejores deseos de buena salud, felicidad y éxito en sus proyectos futuros.

Winter 2023 Course Roster

AM/PM	COURSE NAME/LEVEL	DAYS/TIME	START DATE	LOCATION	CASAS SCORES
	BEGINNING ESL	DAYS/TIMES			CASAS SCORES
AM	Beginning ESL	TR/9am-11:30am	Jan. 10	ONLINE	Below 200 CASAS
PM	Beginning ESL	TR/6PM-9PM	Jan. 10	Highland Park High School	Below 200 CASAS
PM	Beginning ESL (multi-level)	TR/6PM-9PM	Jan. 10	Alexander School	Below 200 CASAS
PM	Beginning ESL	TR 6PM-8:30PM	Jan. 10	ONLINE	Below 200 CASAS
AM	Beginning ESL	F/9AM-12PM	Jan. 13	NUESTRO CENTER	Below 200 CASAS
	INTERMEDIATE ESL	DAYS/TIMES			CASAS SCORES
PM	Intermediate ESL	TR 6PM-8:30PM	Jan. 10	ONLINE	205-220 CASAS
AM	Intermediate ESL	TR/9AM-12PM	Jan. 10	NUESTRO CENTER	205-220 CASAS
PM	Intermediate ESL	TR 6PM-9PM	Jan. 10	Highland Park High School	205-220 CASAS
AM	Mixed: High Beginning + Int. ESL	SAT/9AM-12PM	Jan. 10	ONLINE	190-220 CASAS
	ADVANCED ESL	DAYS/TIMES			CASAS SCORES
PM	IELCE Bridge	TR/6PM-9PM	Jan. 10	Highland Park High School	221 + CASAS
AM	Book Club for ESL	W/9:30AM-11:30AM	Jan. 11	ONLINE	221 + CASAS
AM	IELCE ADVANCED ESL	TR/9AM-11:30AM	Jan. 10	ONLINE	221 + CASAS
AM	ADVANCED ESL	MW/6PM-08:30PM	Jan. 9	ONLINE	221 + CASAS
PM	W/Conversation + Vocabulary Practice	W/6-8:30PM	Jan. 11	ONLINE	221 + CASAS
AM	ADVANCED ESL-Converstaion	M/W 9AM-12PM	Jan. 11	NUESTRO CENTER	221 + CASAS
	Citizenship - MULTILEVEL ESL	DAYS/TIMES			CASAS SCORES
PM	Citizenship Prep	TR/6PM-8:30PM	Jan. 10	ONLINE	ALL CASAS
	ADVANCED ESL & ABOVE (ABE/ASE)	DAYS/TIMES			CASAS SCORES
AM	Book Club ABE/ASE	M/9:30AM-11:30AM	Jan. 9	ONLINE	228+ GOALS
PM	Comprehensive ABE/ASE	MW 1-4PM	Jan. 9	ONLINE	217+ GOALS
AM	Comprehensive ABE/ASE	TR 9AM-12PM	Jan. 10	Patty Turner Center	217+ GOALS
PM	Speaking, Listening & Communication Skills	TR 6PM-9PM	Jan. 10	Highland Park High School	217+ GOALS
	GED-ASE LEVEL	DAYS/TIMES			CASAS SCORES
PM	GED Preparation Self-Study	W/6-9PM	Jan. 11	ONLINE	228+ GOALS

Please complete the below survey in English or Spanish by 12/16/2022 to indicate your choice for Winter 2023 semester!

Survey in **English** with the link:
<https://forms.gle/qbcm2SXhRGagDDDE9>

Survey in **Spanish** with the link:
<https://forms.gle/kyVwKxS1JJ2kSHTE6>



Additional opportunities are available through Mundelein High School (MHS) and College of Lake County (CLC):

MHS: For more information about programs available at MHS, contact Lisa Johnson at 847-949-2200 x 1403 or email her at ljohnson@d120.org

For more information about the Adult Education and ESL Classes at College of Lake County: Please call (847) 543-2485 or email adulthoodtesting@clcillinois.edu
 Classes offered: ESL, HSD, (GED or HiSET), Spanish HSE, Pre-Bridge and Bridge to Career Classes, Computer Classes and Citizenship classes.

November 29, 2022



The Job Center of Lake County is your Career Solution!

Our mission is to cultivate and connect our employers and workforce to fuel economic growth and well-being in Lake County. [Calendar of Events December \(lakecountyil.gov\)](https://lakecountyil.gov)

Holiday Schedule



The Job Center of Lake County will be closed on the following days.

The Job Center will be closed on Friday & Monday, December 23 & 26, 2022. The Job Center will reopen on Tuesday, December 27.

Hybrid Workshops

Workshops are available for virtual or in person attendance at the Job Center of Lake County, 1 N. Genesee St., Waukegan, IL. Registration is required.

Tuesday, December 6, 2022 at 1:00 pm

Job Search During the Holidays

Employers don't stop hiring during the holidays, and you shouldn't stop your job search. Learn tips and strategies that will help you land your next job.

[Register for in person or online.](#)

Tuesday, December 13, 2022 at 1:00 pm

Your Personal Brand & Resumes

Are you seeking a job or changing careers? Regardless of your job title or field, you have a personal brand. Learn how to customize your resume and other written tools to help you land a great job! Registration is required.

[Register for in person or online.](#)

Tuesday, December 20, 2022 at 1:00 pm

Master the Interview

Virtual interviews are becoming a staple of the candidate recruiting process. Learn the necessary tips and tricks to successfully interview online and land your next job!

Registration is required.

[Register for in person or online.](#)



Job Center on the Move

Meet with a Job Center representative one-on-one to work on the next steps in your career. Choose from a menu of custom services when you register!

- Discuss your career transition
- Develop or customize your resume
- Connect with funding for training
- Explore paid work experience (internship) options
- Learn about growing businesses in your area

[Download the Job Center on the Move flyer.](#)

Monday, December 5, 2022 from 11:00 pm to 12:30 pm

North Chicago Public Library

2100 Argonne Dr., North Chicago

Register by contacting: 847-689-0125 ext. #113

Wednesdays, December 7, 2022 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Zion-Benton Public Library

2400 Gabriel Ave., Zion

Register by contacting: 847-872-4680

***Employers onsite ready to hire**

Thursday, December 8, 2022 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm

Legacy Reentry Foundation

420 W. Clayton St., Waukegan

Register by contacting: 847-377-3436

***Employers onsite ready to hire**

Tuesdays, December 13, 2022 from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Catholic Charities

101 N. Cedar Lake Rd., Round Lake, IL 60073

Register by contacting: 847-377-3436

Lake County Workforce Development News

This edition of the Workforce Brief provides an overview of employer connections-focused initiatives occurring at the Lake County Workforce Development. Read stories on Incumbent Worker Training, DWG Career Grant, Job Fairs in Partnership with Local Community Organizations, Engagement with Community Stakeholders, and Partner Integration Meetings. [Download the workforce brief](#)

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Contact

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Lake County Workforce Development

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The Job Center of Lake County is an equal opportunity employer/program. Find a complete list of accommodations or make a request: <https://bit.ly/3EUjr6p>.

Funds for this project were provided by the U.S. Department of Labor's (USDOL) Employment and Training Administration. See our website for details. <https://bit.ly/3EUjr6p>



Career & Job Placement Center

ENGINEERING, COMPUTER SCIENCE & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Speak with a variety of companies about how YOU can make an impact.
Employers are seeking candidates for internships, apprenticeships, as well as
full and part-time positions.

CAREER & INTERNSHIP FAIR



Friday, January 6, 2023
11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

College of Lake County
Student Street

19351 W Washington St.
Grayslake, IL, 60030

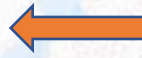


For more events

For more information contact:
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Health Benefits For Immigrant Adults

Learn about [Health Benefits for Immigrant Adults](#) (ages 42-64) and [Health Benefits for Immigrant Seniors \(65+\)](#)



Click on Link to access Health Benefits then SELECT LANGUAGE.



Select Language



<https://www2.illinois.gov/hfs/Pages/default.aspx> : Are you age 42 or above and not eligible for Medicaid due to your immigration status?

Learn about [Health Benefits for Immigrant Adults](#) (ages 42-64) and [Health Benefits for Immigrant Seniors \(65+\)](#)

Health Benefits For Immigrant Adults

Equity, Positive Outcomes, Well-Being

Advancing its vision to foster healthcare equity, the State of Illinois is offering medical coverage to adults age 42 through age 64 regardless of their immigration status. HFS developed this program as part of its vision to encourage positive outcomes for our customers, address the social and structural determinants of health and foster the well-being of the Illinoisans we serve.

You may be eligible for this program if you meet all 4 requirements:

1. You are at least 42 years old and not over age 64.
2. You are one of the following:
 1. A legal permanent resident (LPR) for less than five years (also known as having a green card), or
 2. An undocumented immigrant (including individuals in a Temporary Protected Status)
3. You are a resident of Illinois.
4. Your 2022 annual household income is at or below \$18,754 for one person; at or below \$25,268 combined income for a household size of two. The income limit differs depending on the number of household members.

If you are age 65+, you may be eligible for the [Health Benefits for Immigrant Seniors](#) program

Covered Benefits : The new medical program offers a full benefit package with \$0 premiums and \$0 co-payments. Covered services include:

- Doctor and hospital care
- Lab tests
- Rehabilitative services such as physical and occupational therapy
- Home health, mental health and substance use disorder services
- Dental and vision services
- Prescription drugs

Long Term Care Services are not be covered. This includes nursing facility services and home or community-based services as an alternative to facility services.

The program may cover prior health care up to 3 months before you apply.

Public Charge: If you have questions about how enrollment in this program would affect current or future requests to change your immigration status, please email Protecting Immigrant Families at pifillinois@povertylaw.org, or call the Immigrant Family Resource Program at 1-855-437-7669. They will help you find an organization to answer your questions.

Apply Today: You can apply for these new benefits by any of the following methods:

- ✓ Apply online - at www.ABE.illinois.gov.
- ✓ Apply by phone - call the ABE Customer Call Center at 1-800-843-6154.
- ✓ Contact an Application Assistor for help in applying
- ✓ Contact a Community Service Agency for help in applying in 59 languages.
- ✓ Apply by mail – use the on-line Paper Application or ask the ABE Customer Call Center (1-800-843-6154) to request a paper application.



December 2022						
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January 2023						
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Dec. 17 – Last Day of Classes
 Dec. 19 –Jan. 6, 2023 - Winter Break

Wishing you happiness and blessings
 this holiday season and a New Year filled
 with joy and new beginnings.

Jan. 9 – Classes Resume
 Jan 16 – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

*** For more information or if you have any questions, please contact one of the
 District 113 Adult Guidance/Transition Coordinators ***

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