



TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT 113

Adult Education Newsletter



November 2022



JOB CENTER OF LAKE COUNTY



The Job Center of Lake County will be closed on Friday, November 11th, in observance of Veterans Day. The Job Center will be closed on Thursday, November 24th, and Friday, November 25th, in observance of Thanksgiving.

NOVEMBER						
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NOVEMBER 2022 EVENT CALENDAR

Visit the Job Center of Lake County's calendar page to register for our upcoming workshops and events.

WORKSHOPS

- NOV 1** **Accelerate Your Job Search:** Tuesday, November 1, 2022 from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Attend online or in person at the Job Center of Lake County in Waukegan, IL. Registration is required.
 Get your job search on the fast track with secrets and strategies from workforce professionals that will help put your job search into high gear. [Register to attend in person or online.](#)
[Calendar • Lake County, IL • CivicEngage \(lakecountyil.gov\)](#)
- NOV 8** **Your Personal Brand & Resumes:** Tuesday, November 8, 2022 from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Attend online or in person at the Job Center of Lake County in Waukegan, IL. Registration is required.
 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! [Register to attend in person or online.](#)
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- NOV 15** **Mastering the Interview:** Tuesday, November 15, 2022 from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Attend online or in person at the Job Center of Lake County in Waukegan, IL. Registration is required.
 Virtual Interviews are becoming a staple of the candidate recruiting process. Learn the necessary tips and tricks to interview by video successfully. [Register to attend in person or online.](#)
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- NOV 16** **Industry Snapshot- Healthcare:** Wednesday, November 16, 2022 from 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
Attend online. Registration is required.
 In partnership with a local employer, Lake County Workforce Development's Business Services Team will provide an industry snapshot of the Healthcare field. [Register to attend.](#)
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EVERY WEDNESDAY **Resume Assistance in Resource Room:** Every Wednesday in November from 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
Job Center of Lake County in Waukegan, IL.
 Resume Assistance on a first-come-first serve basis. Seating is limited. Please arrive promptly at 1 pm.

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@Job Center of Lake County IL

LAKE COUNTY JOB CENTER
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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



SCHEDULE
October to
December 2022



LOCATIONS

North Chicago Public Library

7100 Argonne Dr. North Chicago, IL 60064
Mondays, October 3 & 17, November 7, and
December 5 from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm
Reservations 847-689-0125 ext. 113

Catholic Charities

101 N. Cedar Lake Rd. Round Lake, IL 60073
Tuesdays, October 11, November 8, and
December 13 from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm
Reservations 847-377-3436

Zion-Benton Public Library

2400 Gabriel Ave, Zion, IL 60099
Wednesdays, October 5 & 19, November 2, and
December 7 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm
Reservations: 847-872-4680
*Employers onsite ready to hire.

Legacy Reentry Foundation

420 W. Clayton St. Waukegan, IL 60085
Thursdays, October 13, November 10, and
December 8 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm
Reservations 847-377-3436
*Employers onsite ready to hire.



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/3EUI16p>



Learn American Holidays – Veterans Day
[Learn American Holidays - Veterans Day – YouTube](#)

VOCABULARY

Armistice Day – agreement to temporarily stop a war.

Educational – providing knowledge and information.

Combat – a fight or struggle as between two military forces.

Peace Corps – a part of the U.S. Navy trained to operate on land and sea

Branch – a part, section or department of a bigger corporation.

time off – a period of time in which a person does not need to go to work or school, time to relax

specific – relating to a particular thing.

briefly – for a short amount of time.

to ensure – to make sure.

to serve – to be of help, assistance or use.

original – belonging to, the source of something

to last – to continue in time.



Learn American Holidays – Thanksgiving Day
[Learn American Holidays - Thanksgiving Day - YouTube](#)

VOCABULARY

Thanksgiving Day – a national holiday celebrated as a day of feasting and giving thanks for goodness.

Winter Solstice – the shortest day of the year, which usually occurs December 22 to 23.

to round out – to make bigger, better or more complete.

retailer – a person or corporation that sells goods.

to stuff oneself – to eat as much as possible. To overeat

Pilgrim – a person who travels, especially a long distance to some foreign place.

plethora – a large amount of, an excess

fete – a festive celebration or entertainment.

to opt – to make a choice, choose.

extent – degree, amount or limit.

crisp – fresh, refreshing.



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Reminder!
 No Classes
 On these
 Dates!

Nov 8 – Election Day
 Nov. 11 – Veterans Day
 Nov. 23 – 28 Thanksgiving Break



May you enjoy a warm holiday
 with your friends and family
Happy Thanksgiving!



MIDTERM ELECTIONS



Tuesday, November 8, is Election Day. American voters will elect a new **Congress**. The 2022 elections are called *Midterm Elections*. That's because President Biden is halfway through his four-year **term**.

Who is running for election?

There are 435 **Representatives** in the **House of Representatives**. A representative's **TERM** is two years. Every representative in the House is **UP FOR ELECTION**.

The U.S. **Senate** has 100 senators. A senator's **term** is six years. One-third of the senators are up for election this year.

Voters will also choose state **legislators**, city **mayors**, city **council** members, and 36 state **governors**. Some states will have questions on their **ballots** for voters to decide. These questions are usually about taxes, education, or healthcare in the state. Many voters vote "with their **wallets**". That is, if they good jobs or get **raises**. they feel everything is fine. They may not even vote. Voter **turnout** may be low.

This year, people are worried about the economy, **inflation**, and government spending. Some voters are also concerned about a person's right to have an **abortion** in the United States. Other voters are worried about gun violence. **Polls** show that voter turnout in this year's midterm elections may be high.

CANDIDATES and POLITICAL PARTIES

There are two **major** political parties and many smaller parties. The two major parties are the **Democratic Party** and the **Republican Party**.

In 2021, about 29% of Americans said they were **Democrats**. About 27% said they were **Republicans**. About 42% of Americans said they were independent. Americans who say they are independent may like one of the small "third" parties. The largest third parties are the **Green Party**, the **Libertarian Party**, and the **Constitution Party**.

Candidates need help from their political party. Party members raise money to pay for the **campaign**. They put up signs. They go **door-to-door** to talk to people. They arrange the places where the candidates will speak.





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Major party leaders **support** candidates during the campaign. The leaders **endorse** candidates that they want to win the election.

Candidates **campaign**, for many months. They travel around their state or **district**. They talk about the issues. They go to community celebrations and march in parades. They advertise on television. They go to events, shake hands, and listen to people.

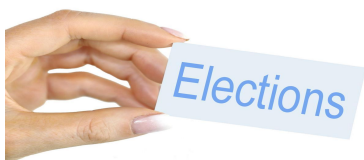
In midterm elections, the president's party has almost always lost members in Congress. Will that be the same this year? President Biden is a member of the Democratic Party. Right now, the Democrats have control of the House of Representatives with 219 seats.

The Democrats also have a small **majority** in the Senate. Each state has two senators, for a total of 100. There are 48 Democratic senators, 50 Republican senators, and two Independent senators. The independent senators usually vote with the Democrats, so there are often **tie votes**. When there is a tie vote, Vice President Kamala Harris votes to **break the tie**. She is also a Democrat, so she votes the same as the Democrats.

Republicans would like to win back control of both the House of Representatives and the Senate. They are hoping that more Republicans win in the **midterm elections**. Some races will be very close. Everyone will be watching on election night to see who will control Congress.

What are the issues in the election?

People have strong **opinions** on many problems in the United States. Polls show that the main issues in this year's election are **inflation**, **the economy**, and **abortion**. Voters are also worried about gun laws in the U.S. and violent crime in neighborhoods. Voters will choose candidates who they think can fix these problems.



Tuesday
November 8 voters will elect
a new Congress

2022

M I D T E R M
ELECTION

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The chart above shows the number of representatives each state has in the House of Representatives. This number changes every ten years. The number is based on the ***census** that counts the people in the United States. The numbers are based on the 2020 census. The next census is 2030. Each state also has 2 senators. The number of senators does not change.
***census – an official count or survey of a population.**

AK - Alaska – 1	IL – Illinois – 18	NC – North Carolina – 13	SC – South Carolina -7
AL – Alabama – 7	IN – Indiana – 9	ND – North Dakota – 1	SD – South Dakota -1
AR – Arkansas – 4	KS – Kansas – 4	NE – Nebraska – 3	TN – Tennessee – 9
AZ – Arizona – 9	KY – Kentucky – 6	NH – New Hampshire – 2	TX – Texas – 36
CA – California – 53	LA – Louisiana – 6	NJ – New Jersey – 12	UT – Utah – 4
CO – Colorado – 7	MA – Massachusetts -9	NM – New Mexico – 3	VA – Virginia – 11
CT – Connecticut – 5	MD – Maryland – 8	NV – Nevada – 4	VT – Vermont – 1
DE – Delaware – 1	ME – Maine – 2	NY – New York – 27	WA – Washington – 10
FL – Florida – 27	MI – Michigan – 14	OH – Ohio – 16	WI – Wisconsin – 8
GA – Georgia – 14	MN – Minnesota – 8	OK – Oklahoma – 5	W V – West Virginia – 3
HI – Hawaii - 2	MO – Missouri – 8	OR – Oregon – 5	WY – Wyoming - 1
IA – Iowa – 4	MS - Mississippi – 4	PA – Pennsylvania – 18	
ID – Idaho – 2	MT – Montana – 1	RI – Rhode Island – 2	

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