

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE

Continue to improve your English speaking, reading, and writing skills this fall at these locations. Daytime and evening classes are available. Students are to register in person only on the date shown for each location. Call 847-635-1426 for more information.

Free ESL Classes*

About the ESL Program:

- Designed for adults 16 years and older whose native language is not English;
- Teaches listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills;
- Introduces students to American culture;
- Offered free to students through Title II of the Workforce Investment Act as administered by the Illinois Community College Board.

Course Information:

- Classes meet twice weekly for up to 2 2/3 hours over 20 weeks, day or evening;
- Students may be admitted any time during the term if space is available;
- College-bound or advanced ESL students should call 847-635-1953 to see if they have sufficient English skills to take college classes.

Counseling and Registration:

- Students must bring identification and Social Security number, if available;
- Admission to free ESL classes is only available to students who register in person;
- Special registration dates are listed below.

For more information, call 847-635-1426.

**Free classes are funded by the Illinois Community College Board. In compliance with Section 511 of Public Law 101-166 (the Stevens Amendment), approximately 30 percent of the adult education program is federally funded.*

Oakton Community College is committed to equal access to educational opportunities for students with disabilities. To request disability accommodations, please contact Theresa O'Sullivan at 847.635.1759.

Evening Classes

ALL LEVELS - BEGINNING TO ADVANCED

Evanston Township High School

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 6:30-9 pm
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, 6:30-9 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 6:30-9 pm
First Class: Thursday, September 10

Glenbrook South High School

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 7-9:30 pm
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, Room 199, 7-9:30 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Thursday, September 10

Lincolnwood Public Library

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 6:30-8:30 pm
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, 6:30-8:30 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday, 6:30-8:30pm
First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Maine East High School

Registration: Thursday, September 10, 7-9:30 pm
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, Room 165, 7-9:30 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Maine West High School

Registration: Monday, September 14, 7-9:30 pm
Late Registration: Mondays only, Room C211, 7-9:30 pm
Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Monday, September 21

Niles West High School

Registration: Thursday, September 10, 7-9:30 pm
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, Room 2199, 7-9:30 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Niles North High School

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 7-9:30 pm
Late Registration: Mondays only, Room 2065, 7-9:30 pm
Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Monday, September 14

BEGINNING ESL**Family Focus**

2010 Dewey St., Evanston
Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 6-8 pm
Late Registration: Mondays only, 6-8 pm
Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 6-8 pm
First Class: Monday, September 14

Huntington Tower

9201 N. Maryland, Niles
Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 12:30-2:30 pm
Late Registration: Monday and Wednesday, 12:30-2:30 pm
Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 12:30-2:30 pm
First Class: Wednesday, September 9, 12:30-2:30 pm

Bethany Terrace

Skilled Nursing Facility
8425 Waukegan, Morton Grove
Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 3-5 pm
Late registration: Tuesday and Thursday, 3-5 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 3-5 pm
First Class: Tuesday, September 8, 3-5 pm

Rosemont Recreation Center

7128 Barry, Rosemont
Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 6-8 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 6-8 pm
First Class: Thursday, September 10, 6-8 pm

Niles Township Schools

ELL Parent Center
9440 N. Kenton, Skokie
Registration: Saturday, August 29, 9:15-12 pm
First Class: Saturday, September 12, 9:15-12 pm

Daytime Classes**ALL LEVELS - BEGINNING TO ADVANCED****Center for Professional Development**

Old Orchard Mall
Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 2-4 pm
Class Meets: Mondays & Wednesdays, 2-4 pm
First Class: Monday, September 14

Evanston Public Library (Main Branch)

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 9:15-11:45 am
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, 9:15-11:45 am
Class Meets: Tuesday and Friday, 9:15-11:45 am
First Class: Friday, September 11

First Congregational Church

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 8:50-11:30 am
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, 8:50-11:30 am
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 8:50-11:30 am
First Class: Thursday, September 10

Niles Community Church

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 12:20-3 pm
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, 12:20-3 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 12:20-3 pm
First Class: Thursday, September 10

Temple Judea Mizpah

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 9:15-11:55 am
Late Registration: Wednesdays only, 9:15-11:55 am
Class Meets: Wednesday and Friday, 9:15-11:55 am
First Class: Friday, September 11

BEGINNING ESL**District 65 - Family Center****Joseph E. Hill Administration Center**

1500 McDaniel, Evanston

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 9:30-11:30 am
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, 9:30-11:30 am
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 9:30-11:30 am
First Class: Thursday, September 10

INTERMEDIATE ESL**CEDA Neighbors at Work**

1229 Emerson St., Evanston

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 9:30 am-12 pm
Late Registration: Mondays only, 9:30 am-12 pm
Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 9:30 am-12 pm
First Class: Monday, September 14

District 65 - Family Center**Joseph E. Hill Administration Center**

1500 McDaniel, Evanston

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 1-3 pm
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, 1-3 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 1-3 pm
First Class: Thursday, September 10

INTERMEDIATE AND ADVANCED ESL**Northwestern University, McManus Hall**

1725 Orrington, Evanston

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 9:30 am-12 pm
Late Registration: Tuesdays only, 9:30 am-12 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 9:30 am-12 pm
First Class: Thursday, September 10

Tuition-Charge ESL Classes

General Description:

Classes focus on meeting special needs or developing a specific skill. They supplement the free ESL classes. Classes are designed for students who are at an intermediate level.

Registration:

You may register by mail or in person;

Unlike free ESL classes, tuition-charge classes close after the first class. For more information, call 847-635-1426.

INTENSIVE ESL**FEE: \$250**

Classes meet 4 times per week. They allow students to develop both extensive language skills and cultural awareness. Class size is limited and students receive individualized attention at an intermediate level. Pre-registration in person is required. Call 847-635-1426 for pre-test dates.

OC/SK, 9 Mon.-Thu., 9/21, 12:20-3 pm

INTENSIVE GRAMMAR REVIEW I**FEE: \$65**

For intermediate speakers of English as a Second Language. Learn to speak and write better by improving your knowledge of English grammar.

COM A70-05, TJM, 8 Mon., 10/5, 9-11:45 am

COM A70-10, NILES W, 8 Thu., 10/15, 6:45-9:30 pm

TOEFL PREP SEMINAR**FEE: \$80**

Passing the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) is required of non-native speakers by colleges and professional accrediting agencies. Prepare for the TOEFL with timed practice on similar tests. Become familiar with test formats and language problems encountered by other non-native speakers.

COM A45-01, OC/SK, 9 Mon., 10/5, 9 am-12 pm

COM A45-02, OC/SK, 9 Sat., 10/3, 9 am-12 pm

COM A45-03, OC/SK, 9 Tue., 10/6, 6:45-9:45 pm

IMPROVE YOUR PRONUNCIATION**FEE: \$90**

Learn subtle differences between English and your native language. Improve your speaking skills so native American English speakers can understand you more easily.

COM A29-01, OC/SK, 14 Mon. & Wed., 10/5, 7-9:30 pm

COM A29-02, OC/SK, 12 Sat, 9/19, 9 am-noon

CONVERSATIONAL ENGLISH PRACTICE**FEE: \$65**

For intermediate ESL students. Improve listening and speaking skills to function more effectively in business and social situations. Expand your understanding of cultural differences.

COM A50-01 OC/SK, 8 Sat., 10/3, 9:15 am-12 pm

COM A50-03, Maine W, 8 Wed., 10/7, 7-9:45 pm

COM A50-04, NILES N, 10 Mon., 10/5, 7-9:30 pm

COM A50-05, TJM, 8 Mon., 10/5, 9-11:45 am

COM A50-10, NILES W, 8 Tue., 10/6, 7-9:45 pm

COM A50-44, ETHS, 8 Mon., 10/19, 6:30-9:15 pm

COMPOSITION FOR INTERMEDIATE**ESL STUDENTS****FEE: \$65**

Effective writing techniques through step-by-step exercises. Emphasis on developing paragraphs and essays. Course will help students prepare for the writing portion of the TOEFL exam. Textbook required.

COM A61-01, OC/SK, 8 Fri., 10/2, 1-3:45 pm

COM A61-44, ETHS, 8 Wed., 10/7, 6:30-9:15 pm

CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION**No fee required**

Instruction in U.S. history and government to prepare for the citizenship examination.

HIS A15-01, OC/SK, 9 Sat., 10/3, 9:15 am-12 pm

HIS A15-02, SPL, 9 Fri., 10/2, 6-8:45 pm

HIS A15-03, SS, 11 Mon. & Wed., 10/5, 6-8 pm

HIS A15-05, TJM, 9 Mon., 10/5, 9-11:45 am

HIS A15-44, ETHS, 9 Mon., 10/19, 6-8:45 pm