

Free Reading Classes*

Classes are for native and non-native speakers of English who need to improve their reading.

- Students must be at least 16 years old and not currently enrolled in high school.
- Learn to Read students may not enroll in a Bridges class.
- Students may take one free reading and/or ESL class.
- Students who register late must come during the first hour of class.

For more information call 847.635.1426.

**Classes are funded by the Illinois Community College Board, the Office of the Secretary of State and the Illinois State Library.*

Evening Classes

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood, Des Plaines

Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 6:45-9 pm

Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 6:45-9:15 pm

First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Evanston Township High School, 1600 Dodge Ave., Evanston

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 6:30-8:30 pm

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 6:30-9 pm

First Class: Monday, September 14

Niles Public Library, 6960 Oakton, Niles

Registration: Thursday, September 10, 6:30-8:15 pm

Class Meets: Monday and Thursday, 6:30-8:30 pm

First Class: Thursday, September 17

Northbrook Public Library, 1201 Cedar Lane, Northbrook

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 6:30-8:15 pm

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 6:30-8:30 pm

First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Oakton Community College

7701 N. Lincoln Avenue, Room B110, Skokie

Registration: : Wednesday, September 9, 6:30-8:30 pm

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 6:30-9 pm

First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Daytime Classes

Des Plaines Public Library, 1501 Ellinwood, Des Plaines

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 9:15-11:30 am

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 9:15 am-12 pm

First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Niles Community Church, 7401 Oakton St., Niles

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 9:30-11:30 pm

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 9:30 am-noon

First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Northbrook Public Library, 1201 Cedar Lane, Northbrook

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 12:30-2:30 pm

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 12:30-3 pm

First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Oakton Community College

7701 N. Lincoln Avenue, Room B110, Skokie

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 9:20-11:30 am

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 9:20 am-12 pm

First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Registration: Wednesday, September 9, 12:30-2:30 pm

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 12:30-3 pm

First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton, Skokie
Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 9:15-11:30 am
Class Meets: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:15 am-12 pm
First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Township of Evanston, 1910 Main St., Evanston
Class Meets: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30 am-noon
First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Saturday Classes

Lincolnwood Public Library, Pratt and Crawford, Lincolnwood
Registration: Saturday, September 12, 9:30 am-noon
Class Meets: Saturday, 9:30 am-12:30 pm
First Class: Saturday, September 19

Niles Public Library, 6960 Oakton, Niles
Registration: Saturday, September 12, 9:30-11:30 am
Class Meets: Saturday, 9:30 am-12 pm
First Class: Saturday, September 19

Oakton Community College, 1600 E. Golf Rd., Des Plaines
Registration: Saturday, September 12, 9:30-11:30 am
Class Meets: Saturday, 9:30 am-noon
First Class: Saturday, September 19

Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton Street, Skokie
Registration: Saturday, September 12, 9-11:45 am
Class Meets: Saturday, 9 am-12 pm
First Class: Saturday, September 19

Bridges to Academic Reading and Writing

About the Program

Classes are for adults whose native language is not English and who speak at an intermediate level of English. Classes focus on developing reading and writing skills necessary to pursue GED or college classes.

- Bridges students may not enroll in a Reading class.
- Students may take one Bridges and/or ESL class.

Evening Classes

Glenbrook South High School (Reading)
4000 W. Lake Ave., Glenview
Registration: Tuesday, September 8, 7-9 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Thursday, September 10

Maine East High School (Reading)
Dempster Street at Potter Road, Park Ridge
Registration: Tuesday, September 8 (former),
Thursday, September 10 (new), 7-9 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Oakton Community College (Reading)
7701 N. Lincoln Avenue, Room A211, Skokie
Registration: Wednesday and Monday, September 9 & 14, 7-9 pm
Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Oakton Community College (Writing)
7701 N. Lincoln Avenue, Room A211, Skokie
Registration: Tuesday and Thursday, September 8 & 10, 7-9 pm
Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 7-9:30 pm
First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Daytime Classes

Oakton Community College (Reading)

7701 N. Lincoln Avenue, Room A211, Skokie

Registration: Tue. and Thu., September 8 & 10, 9:20-11:30 am

Class Meets: Tuesday and Thursday, 9:20 am-12 pm

First Class: Tuesday, September 15

Oakton Community College (Writing)

7701 N. Lincoln Avenue, Room A211, Skokie

Registration: Wed. & Mon, September 9 and 14, 9:20-11:30 am

Class Meets: Monday and Wednesday, 9:20 am-12 pm

First Class: Wednesday, September 16

Drop-in Computer Lab

Starts Tuesday, September 15, Room A210, 12:30-2:30 pm and 6:30-9:30 pm. The lab is open Monday to Thursday.

Open only to students enrolled in Oakton's free ESL, Literacy, GED, and Bridges classes. Nine (9) seats available.

Practice English or Math skills on the computer with the help of an instructor.