



# District 211 Adult Education Program FY24

Come explore our  
Alternative High School, Adult Basic Education, Career  
Bridges, and English as a Second Language Programs



# Welcome to all classes! Our promise:

- Engaging classes.
- Reading, speaking, listening, writing and math skills.
- Digital technology skills and an App Burlington English (free while in class)
- Some Chromebooks and Hotspots are available.



# Class expectations

- Students who come to class and participate are successful!
- Only 4 absences allowed
- No cost.. just 2 tests...beginning and end
- You are in each level for a year. During that year you need to make a level gain on the post test.



# Alternative High School Program

Earn a real high school diploma!  
Open to anyone who did not finish high  
school in any country.



# Alternative High School Program

- Transcript from your high school (any country)
- Classes are free!
- Earn a Township High School District 211 High School Diploma by finishing the classes you need!
- Designed to help you learn the material.
- No test to earn it like HSC (GED)



# Alternative High School Program

- Classes: Mondays-Thursdays  
from 6pm to 10pm

Classes begin the week of August 21, 2023





# Alternative High School Program

How long does this take me?

- Depends on
  - Number of classes needed to complete graduation requirements
  - How many classes each semester
- Semester = 16 weeks



# Alternative High School Program

- What do I need to do?
- Send your transcript to [aganas@d211.org](mailto:aganas@d211.org)
- Sign up for a testing date and fill out the online registration
- <https://forms.gle/GGKiYxafkBXeWeBq9>





## Adult Basic Education Classes: Career Pathways

**New Programs for Healthcare Fields**

Bridge program to explore healthcare jobs

Certificate for Medical Assistant in 8-9  
months with Northwest Suburban College



# Transition classes provide scholarships

- We offer 3 classes that can lead to a scholarship in December to Harper or Northwest Suburban College
- Work on math and reading skills to enter college or career pathway program
- Learn about a career and job skills.



# Bridge to Healthcare Class

- Class 4 hours per week for 13 weeks on Tuesday nights (D214 has it on Monday nights)
- Online with Zoom 2-3 hours with teacher and 1-2 hours of homework on Google Classroom and an App.
- Explore health careers, resume building and interviewing



# College and Career Ready Bridge

- Class 6 hours per week for 12 weeks on Tuesday/Thursday nights 6:30-9:30 pm
- Online with Zoom, Google Classroom and an App
- Explore any career, resume building and interviewing



# Medical Assistant Support Class

- Must enroll in the Certificate Program for Medical Assistant at Northwest Suburban College
- Contact Julie Frost ([jfrost@d211.org](mailto:jfrost@d211.org)) to get you connected!





# Medical Assistant Support Class

- Our support class is free and will help you pass the certificate program. NWSC makes it affordable.
- Reviews and helps you study for the certificate, improves math and reading skills, helps with resumes and interview skills.





# Other Career Pathways

- Sign up for a testing date and fill out the online registration.  
<https://forms.gle/GGKiYxafkBXeWeBq9>
- Students interested in Manufacturing go to District 214 <https://www.ce.d214.org/college-career>
- Other career pathways available at Harper College. Contact Julie Frost ([jfrost@d211.org](mailto:jfrost@d211.org)) to get connected!



# ESL: English Classes for Non Native Speakers

Free classes! (Just attend class and take 2 tests)  
6 levels of English  
from Beginners to Advanced (test determines  
it...DO NOT GUESS on the pre test!)



# ESL English as a Second Language

- Evening Classes at:
  - Conant High School 6:30-9:30 pm, no childcare
  - Higgins Education Center 6:00-9:00 pm, childcare available
  - Palatine High Schools 6:30-9:30 pm, no childcare
- Two nights per week:
  - Monday/Wednesday or Tuesday/Thursday
  - Begins the week of September 5



# ESL Testing

- Level determined by a reading comprehension test by the State...cannot request! DO NOT GUESS on the placement test!
- If reading test is too high, a speaking/listening test is given by appointment.
- Advanced Students might take another test to identify reading skills



# ESL Classes

- Classes teach all four skills: reading, listening, writing and speaking
- Math skills
- Digital skills
- Soft skills to keep a job
- Cultural information for community living
- Seats are filled on a first come first served basis and if there is an open seat. As of today, there are openings in every level.

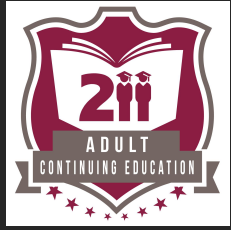




# ESL Classes

- You must come to class (no more than 4 absences)
- Practice soft skills like being on time and staying to the end....recommendations!
- Lend textbooks or buy your own
- Can lend some Chromebooks or hotspots
- Any materials that you borrow must be returned if you need to end class before we end!





# Ready to sign up?

- Sign up for a testing date and fill out the online registration for all classes here:
- <https://forms.gle/GGKiYxafkBXeWeBq9>
- Our goal: transition you to college or a career pathway
- Contact Ali Galuszka at [agaluszka@d211.org](mailto:agaluszka@d211.org)