



# District 211 Adult Education Program

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



# Welcome to all classes! Our promise:

- Engaging classes.
- Reading, speaking, listening, writing and math skills.
- Digital technology.
- Some Chromebooks and Hotspots are available



# Class expectations

- Students who come to class are successful
- So allowed only 4 absences
- No cost just 2 tests...beginning and end of class
- 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 January 10,  
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 is 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/zZSURiuWz3Di3B458>





 **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



# Healthcare Bridge Class

- Class 4 hours per week for 12 weeks on Tuesday nights
- Online with Zoom 1-2 hours with teacher and 2-3 hours of homework on Google Classroom and an App.



# Medical Assistant Support Class

- Must enroll in the Certificate Program for Medical Assistant at Northwest Suburban College
- They make it affordable!
- 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.
- 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/ctd3K7WkKeBdjt2M8>

- **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!  
6 levels of English  
from Beginners to Advanced



# 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 January 17



# 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 will 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
- Any materials that you borrow must be returned if you need to end class!



# Ready to sign up?

- Sign up for a testing date and fill out the online registration for all classes here:

<https://forms.gle/zZSURiuWz3Di3B458>