

EDUCATION

Adult education in colleges and universities offers innovative programming for the adult learner. Returning to an academic setting can be a rewarding experience. You may want to explore new career opportunities, earn a degree, stimulate and challenge your mind, meet interesting people, or just take a course for pleasure. Additionally, you can take advantage of the diverse athletic, cultural and social events that are scheduled throughout the year. These events and courses (also available through some high school districts) may be offered to senior citizens at no cost or reduced fees.

Libraries are also a source of educational and recreational opportunities for older adults. A listing of DuPage County libraries begins on the following page.

Please contact these resources directly if you have any questions, or need additional information.

COLLEGES

Benedictine University
5700 College Road
Lisle, IL 60532-0900
(630) 829-6000

Midwestern University
555 31st Street
Downers Grove, IL 60515
(630) 969-4400

**College of DuPage
Older Adult Institute**
425 Fawell Boulevard
Building K, Room 146
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137-6599
(630) 942-2700

National-Louis University
850 Warrenville Road
Lisle, IL 60532
(630) 668-3838

DePaul University
150 W. Warrenville Road
Naperville, IL 60563
(630) 548-9378

North Central College
30 N. Brainard Street
Naperville, IL 60540
(630) 637-5100

**Elmhurst College
Sixty Plus Program**
190 Prospect Avenue
Elmhurst, IL 60126
(630) 617-3500



Wheaton College
501 E. College Avenue
Wheaton, IL 60187
(630) 752-5000

ELDERHOSTEL

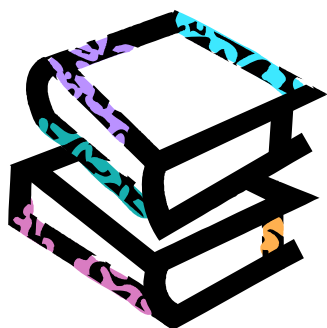
Elderhostel, a nonprofit organization, offers inexpensive, short-term academic experiences hosted by educational institutions throughout the United States and Canada and in seventy-two countries around the world. Individuals 55 years of age and older, their spouse of any age, or companions who are at least 50 are welcome to participate. A limited number of scholarships are available for programs within the United States. Catalogs can be mailed by request and are available in every public library in the United States.

Illinois Elderhostel

11 Avenue de Lafayette
Boston, MA 02110-1746
(877) 426-8056
www.elderhostel.org



LIBRARIES



In addition to their general services, libraries offer special interest programming for all age groups. Senior citizens may have the opportunity to participate in book discussion groups and/or informational seminars on gardening, healthcare, financial planning, retirement and travel. Special services include access to books and other materials in recorded form or in Braille for the blind and physically handicapped, as well as outreach programs for the benefit of homebound patrons.

♥ **Caregiver Affiliate Resource Library:** Maintains a selection of books, videos, etc. targeting caregivers and provides meeting space for trainings and support groups.

ADDISON

Addison Public Library
4 Friendship Plaza
Addison, IL 60101-2499
(630) 543-3617

AURORA

Eola Road Branch Library
555 S. Eola Road
Aurora, IL 60504
(630) 264-3400

BARTLETT

Bartlett Public Library
800 S. Bartlett Road
Bartlett, IL 60103
(630) 837-2855

BENSENVILLE

**Bensenville Community
Public Library**
200 S. Church Road
Bensenville, IL 60106
(630) 766-4642

BLOOMINGDALE

Bloomington Public Library

101 Fairfield Way
Bloomington, IL 60108
(630) 529-3120

CAROL STREAM

Carol Stream Public Library

616 Hiawatha Drive
Carol Stream, IL 60188
(630) 653-0755

CLARENDON HILLS

Clarendon Hills Public Library

7 N. Prospect Avenue
Clarendon Hills, IL 60514
(630) 323-8188

DARIEN

♥ Indian Prairie Public Library

401 Plainfield Road
Darien, IL 60561
(630) 887-8760

DOWNERS GROVE

Downers Grove Public Library

1050 Curtiss Street
Downers Grove, IL 60515
(630) 960-1200

ELMHURST

Elmhurst Public Library

125 S. Prospect Avenue
Elmhurst, IL 60126
(630) 279-8696

GLENDALE HEIGHTS

Glenside Public Library

25 E. Fullerton Avenue
Glendale Heights, IL 60139
(630) 260-1550

GLEN ELLYN

♥ Glen Ellyn Public Library

400 Duane Street
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137
(630) 469-0879

HANOVER PARK

Poplar Creek Public Library

4300 Audrey Lane
Hanover Park, IL 60133
(630) 372-0052

Hanover Park Branch Library

1266 Irving Park Road
Hanover Park, IL 60133
(630) 372-7800

HINSDALE

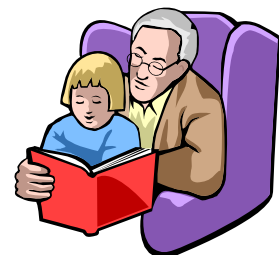
Hinsdale Public Library

20 E. Maple Street
Hinsdale, IL 60521
(630) 986-1976

ITASCA

Itasca Community Library

500 W. Irving Park Road
Itasca, IL 60143
(630) 773-1699



LISLE

Lisle Library District

777 Front Street
Lisle, IL 60532
(630) 971-1675

LOMBARD

Helen M. Plum Memorial Library

110 W. Maple Street
Lombard, IL 60148
(630) 627-0316

NAPERVILLE

Naper Boulevard Library

2035 S. Naper Boulevard
Naperville, IL 60565
(630) 961-4100

♥ **Nichols Library**

200 W. Jefferson Avenue
Naperville, IL 60540
(630) 961-4100

95th Street Library

3015 Cedar Glade Drive
Naperville, IL 60564
(630) 961-4100

OAK BROOK

Oak Brook Public Library

600 Oak Brook Road
Oak Brook, IL 60523
(630) 368-7700

ROSELLE

♥ **Roselle Public Library**

40 S. Park Street
Roselle, IL 60172
(630) 529-1641



VILLA PARK

Villa Park Public Library

305 S. Ardmore Avenue
Villa Park, IL 60181
(630) 834-1164

WARRENVILLE

Warrenville Public Library

28W751 Stafford Place
Warrenville, IL 60555
(630) 393-1171

WEST CHICAGO

♥ **West Chicago Public Library**

118 W. Washington Street
West Chicago, IL 60185
(630) 231-1552

WESTMONT

Westmont Public Library

428 N. Cass Avenue
Westmont, IL 60559
(630) 969-5625



WHEATON

Wheaton Public Library
225 N. Cross Street
Wheaton, IL 60187
(630) 668-1374

WOOD DALE

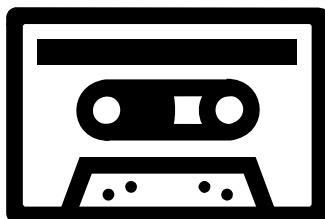
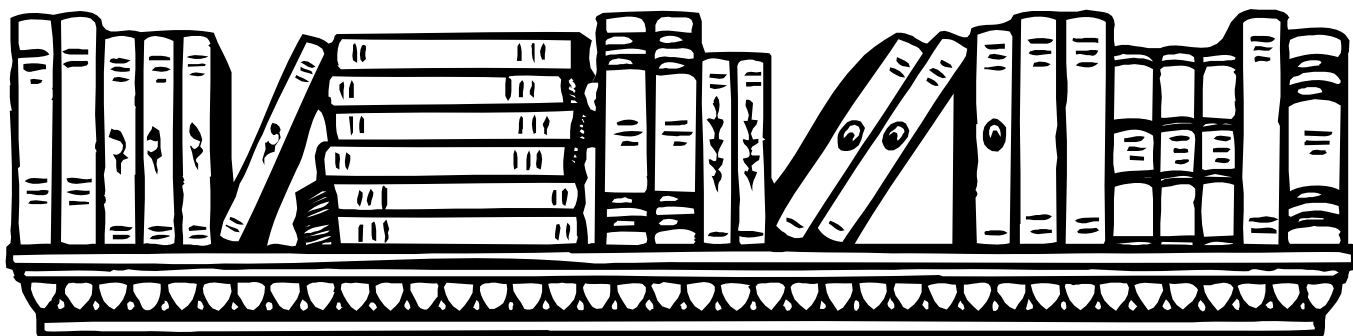
Wood Dale Public Library
520 N. Wood Dale Road
Wood Dale, IL 60191
(630) 766-6762

WINFIELD

♥ **Winfield Public Library**
0S291 Winfield Road
Winfield, IL 60190
(630) 653-7599

WOODRIDGE

Woodridge Public Library
3 Plaza Drive
Woodridge, IL 60517
(630) 964-7899



Voices of Vision Talking Book Center
C/O DuPage Library System
127 S. First Street
Geneva, IL 60134
(630) 208-0398

Free library service for persons, including youth with learning disabilities, who are unable to read or use standard printed materials because of a visual or physical impairment. Materials are delivered to eligible readers by mail (postage free) and are returned in the same manner.

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

DuPage County Association for Home and Community Education C/O University of Illinois Extension

1100 E. Warrenville Road, Ste. 170
Naperville, IL 60563

(630) 955-1123

DuPage_co@extension.uiuc.edu
www.extension.uiuc.edu/dupage



A volunteer educational organization where each member has the opportunity to continue education, become a leader, grow personally, meet others keep current on trends and research and share experiences. Units located throughout the county meet monthly. Call for the location nearest you and a schedule of events.

Retro-Tech Electronics

401 NE Rock Island Avenue
Peoria, IL 61603

(309) 682-0675

www.retro-tech.org

Provide recycled and repaired computers to low income individuals of all ages for as little as \$60. Accept applications from all Illinois residents.