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classes for personal and professional development

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You’re ready to try something new.
Learn a new skill.
Explore your creativity.
Kick your career up a notch.
Maybe even change jobs.

With Community Education, you’ll find valuable personal and professional development opportunities, from career-enhancing workshops and certification programs to educational travel, personal enrichment, classes for kids, and more. Our programs work around your busy schedule, with many online options. At Parkland College, we’re here to offer rich possibilities for all ages, all stages of life.

Endless opportunities. Expertise you trust.
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Despite already knowing almost everything there is to know about culinary management, baking, and running her own business, Chef Doris Klenke still finds herself returning to Parkland College to learn a little something new.

“I love the variety of course offerings at Parkland,” she says of Parkland Community Education’s culinary classes. “Parkland provides an opportunity to explore, learn something new, and upgrade skill sets in a safe and friendly environment. I’m always learning!”

Doris’ long career in food includes founding Bouchée in 2003, a gourmet dessert and pastry company that she ran as executive pastry chef. Nowadays she works as a food production manager for a local hospital, a position she finds “rewarding and important,” though the decadent dessert and pastry making of her previous jobs aren’t quite part of the experience.

So she indulges her creative side with Community Education’s foodie adventures. “I chose classes like Adriatic Adventure because they offered an opportunity to explore and try something new,” she says. “I can’t wait to see what adventure is next!”

It’s not just the adventure she craves. Through these classes, Doris is able to maintain and explore her passion for cultural connection, gaining new perspectives, and the happiness that food can bring.

“Food tells a story and gives insights to cultures I may not be familiar with,” she remarks. “Hearing these stories and learning about other cultures deepens my appreciation for cooks around the world. My recipe box is filled with inspiration, and that gives me joy.”

And Doris loves passing that joy along to others. After over 20 years of working as a pastry chef and bakery manager in French and classic American restaurants, kitchens, and bakeries throughout northern and central Illinois, she now shares her expertise with up-and-coming bakers as an instructor for Parkland Community Education.

“I am having so much fun with my students, and we are learning so much together!” she says. “It is exciting to see their faces light up when they are successful.”

Her recent series of classes focuses on international pastries. Doris values that the courses are designed for novice and experienced bakers alike. “Parkland provides a welcoming environment for students to overcome any baking fears they may have,” she says. “I find it very rewarding to hear my students say they feel comfortable making pastries at home because of this class.”

And to those who are still a little nervous about trying something new, Doris understands. She was hesitant to begin her own culinary career at the age of 39.

“I thought I was too old, too this, too that,” she shares. “Do it! Don’t let fear stop you from achieving your dreams and goals.”
Spark your interest in coding and web design by learning the basics of HTML and CSS, two easy coding languages. You will master the basics and build interactive websites and apps. Learn to add layout and design elements including images, videos, and animation. Use your creative thinking and problem-solving abilities to experiment with these coding languages and start building your own amazing websites.

**Escort your child to and from the classroom.**

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### Roblox Makers, ages 8–14
Unlock the power of ROBLOX® Studio, the world creation tool used by real-world ROBLOX® developers! Learn how to build 3D models and create an adventure in your ROBLOX® world. Bring characters to life with unique animations you design. Your projects will be available on a password-protected Black Rocket website to share with friends and family.

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### Yummy Yeast Breads, ages 10–14
Everyone loves bread. It’s sweet, savory, hearty, fragrant, and always delicious when made from scratch! Cheyenne Warman-Neal, our expert bread maker, will teach you fundamental techniques used to measure and weigh ingredients, knead, and proof bread. In the first class, you’ll make homemade pizza and dough that will be used the next day to make more scrumptious breads.

**Allergy alert!**

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### Fabulous Fall Baking, ages 10–14
Bake with all the essential fall flavors: apples, cinnamon, and more. You’ll make some delicious baked goods to eat and take home. Cheyenne Warman-Neal will teach you fundamental kitchen techniques and share easy-to-follow tips to make your baked goods extra savory in this hands-on class.

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**Orienteering for Families, ages 10–13**

Ready, set, go! Explore the great outdoors and discover the fun of orienteering. Instructor Matt Plutz, a member of the Illinois River Valley Orienteering Club (IRVOC) and the United States Adventure Racing Association (USARA), will teach your family basic orienteering skills and guide you through this adventure. Using only a map and compass, your family will be challenged as you decide the best route to locate checkpoints along a course, learn to gauge distances with accuracy, and explore the local topography.

*All equipment provided, including compasses. This class is intended for families with children ages 10–13. Each registered adult may bring up to two children. Class meets at Lake of the Woods Forest Preserve. Transportation is not provided.*

10/1 Sat 2–4 PM  
Deadline: 9/24  
Location: Lake of the Woods  
Class ID: 13289  
Transportation is not provided.

11/7–12/5  
Deadline: 10/31  
Location: CEA-Y113  
Class ID: 13298  
$95

11/8–12/6  
Deadline: 11/1  
Location: CEA-Y113  
Class ID: 13299  
$95

**Grasp the Bow: Archery, ages 10–15**

Master the sport of target archery with experienced coach Heather Miller. Learn the fundamentals of archery, including range safety skills, proper shooting techniques, and equipment care. Along the way, you will discover that archery helps your focus, builds confidence, improves your patience, and even develops your math skills. Get ready to participate in local archery clubs by taking this class.

*Bow and arrows provided.*

11/7–12/5  
Deadline: 10/31  
Location: CEA-Y113  
Class ID: 13296  
$89

11/8–12/6  
Deadline: 11/1  
Location: CEA-Y113  
Class ID: 13297  
$89

10/3–10/24  
Deadline: 9/26  
Location: CEA-Y113  
Class ID: 13301  
$95

**Grasp the Bow, Level 2, ages 10–15**

Take your archery skills to the next level. While continuing to work on the fundamentals of the sport, you’ll finesse your form, improve your accuracy, and build your confidence. Practice range safety skills as you fix your aim, improve your shot, and watch your mental discipline grow.

*Equipment, including bow and arrows, provided. This class is intended for students who participated in beginner classes or have some prior experience.*

11/7–12/5  
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11/8–12/6  
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**Archery Team/Competition Preparation, ages 10–15**

Prepare for your next level of performance! Experienced local archery coach Heather Miller will help you fine-tune your skills for competition in the upcoming National Archery in the Schools (NASP) archery season. Focus on advancing your skills and learning mental tips in preparation for archery team tryouts and tournaments.

*Open to students who participated in a Level 2 class or have at least one year experience on a competitive archery team.*

10/3–10/24  
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### health & wellness

#### Beginner Line Dancing
Learn classic line dances and get in some great exercise. You’ll have so much fun learning or improving on some of the classic line dance moves that you’ll forget you’re burning calories, too! Studies have shown line dancing lessons to be a great help with memory, balance, cardiovascular fitness, and vertigo. Plus, it’s a ton of fun! Dances include the cupid shuffle, electric slide, watermelon crawl, and more.

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#### Core and More
The core muscles (abs, back, and other muscle groups around the midsection) are responsible for posture, balance, and stability. With AFAA-certified instructor Rena Leake, learn and practice exercises that strengthen your middle muscles.

*Bring a yoga mat.*

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#### Group Cycling
Sweat a little or a lot. Either way, you will feel great as you join certified cycling instructor Tamala Everett for an energetic ride toward fitness. You control the equipment, so you can make this the best weekly workout for you.

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#### Water Aerobics
Experience improved flexibility, strength, and endurance each week. Relieve stressed muscles and joint pain. With water aerobics pro Jo Rodriguez, participate at your own comfort level and enjoy the process.

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#### Yoga Basics
Refresh your fundamental yoga skills or learn what this proven form of exercise is all about in a class suitable for everyone. Certified Instructor Jaclyn Jones will carefully take you through postures, making sure you are maximizing your form and breath awareness. Increase strength, flexibility, balance, and focus. Learn relaxation techniques and stress reducers you can apply to daily life.

*Bring a yoga mat and two yoga blocks to class.*

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#### Cultivate Calm Through Mindfulness and Meditation
Improve focus, decrease stress, and discover inner balance. Learn tools and techniques that will help you establish the framework for successfully practicing mindfulness and meditation on your own. This class covers meditation and mindfulness foundations and introduces you to pause practice and body scan techniques. All backgrounds are welcome; the class features accessible content everyone can understand and apply to any belief system.

*Recommended: Bring a yoga mat.*

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See more fun with a friend!
Introduction to Intuitive Eating
Are you ready to make peace with food and your body? Intuitive eating might be for you. This is not another diet; in fact, it's the opposite. Intuitive eating is an approach developed by registered dietitians to help people break out of the dominant “diet culture” and reconnect with their bodies and natural hunger cues. Join holistic health coach Lisa Merrifield as she helps you develop a healthier relationship with food by exploring hunger cues, using healthy techniques to reframe our thinking about food, and supportive techniques to live with health and happiness.

11/29–12/13 Tue 6–7:30 PM Class ID: 13325
Deadline: 11/22 Location: CE $49

Retirement: Make the Most of It
If you're a new or a soon-to-be retiree or an empty nester, you're probably both excited and a little worried about this life transition. Make the most of this new experience by taking a journey to get to know yourself better and explore more meaningful relationships and hobbies. Joyful Purpose mentor and author Heidi Esther will lead you through powerful exercises to help you build resilience, understand your feelings, cultivate supportive relationships, and take action to find meaning and joy in this new phase of your life. Each class will be as interactive as you want it to be—with chances to write, color, and share parts of your story. Bring a small packet of colored pencils.

9/19–9/26 Mon 6–7:30 PM Class ID: 13015
Deadline: 9/12 Location: CE $29

Couples Massage $109
Join therapist Claire Prudhomme, MCP, LMT, BCTMB, CHTP, in this couples massage series. Claire has been teaching couples massage at Parkland for 11 years. She is a board-certified massage therapist, certified healing touch practitioner, and certified medical and cupping massage therapist. Register for both and SAVE!

Couples Back Massage
Have you ever wanted to give your partner a back massage but weren’t sure what to do? This two-hour class covers techniques to help you and your partner feel more relaxed and help eliminate aches and pains.
Price per couple. Bring a set of twin sheets and 2 pillow cases.
Optional: an extra small blanket for warmth.
10/23 Sun 1–3 PM Class ID: 13311
Deadline: 10/16 Location: HP-H128 $59

Couples Shoulder and Neck Massage
Have you ever wondered what you could do to help your partner relieve neck and shoulder pain? If so, this is the class for you. In this two-hour class, you will learn a few massage techniques for reducing shoulder and neck pain.
Price per couple. Bring a set of twin sheets and 2 pillow cases.
Optional: Bring an extra small blanket for warmth.
11/13 Sun 1–3 PM Class ID: 13312
Deadline: 11/6 Location: HP-H128 $59
Basic Calligraphy
This class, led by artist/maker Daniel Tice, will show you that calligraphy is easier than you thought. Learn basic skills and techniques for producing calligraphic alphabets right away. Tackle two of the most popular alphabets (uncial and black letter), with emphasis on personal expression and improvisation. Enjoy discussions; hands-on experimentation in ink, paper, and tool varieties; and the interaction and happy accidents that can occur. You'll work on making a project box for keeping your tools and supplies neat and handy, making practice easier and more fun. Leave class with the knowledge and inspiration for continuing calligraphy on your own.

10/6–10/27 Thu 6–8 PM Class ID: 13337
Deadline: 9/29 Location: PC-X103 $89

Digital Painting with iPads
Try a new way to express your creativity and talent: the pressure-sensitive technology of a digital drawing tablet. Instructor and artist Paula McCarty, MFA, will help you translate color mixing and paint applications to a digital format.
Familiarity with iPad is required. You will need an iPad and stylus. Please download the Brushes Redux app to your iPad prior to the start of class.

10/26–11/16 Wed 6–8 PM Class ID: 13322
Deadline: 10/19 Location: PC-C186/C190 $99

Basket Weaving: Make a Winter Themed Basket
Create a fun holiday “Let it Snow” basket that starts with a weaving filled base. Techniques include twining, triple twining with a step up, and the use of overlays. The accent colors are Christmas red. This basket will look great in your decor through Valentine’s Day! The double lashing in two colors really set it off as do the leather handles. Sure to become a favorite! Appropriate for any weaving level.
All materials included. Size of finished product: 9 1/4"L x 4 1/2"H x 6"W. Dress for a mess. Water and dyed reed will be used. Baskets will not be stained during class but staining techniques will be discussed.

12/3 Sat 8:30 AM–12:30 PM Class ID: 13017
Deadline: 11/26 Location: CE $75

Basket Weaving: Make a Candy Corn Basket for Fall
Get ready for fall with a cute candy corn basket. Woven on a quick-weave handle, the basket can be hung on a door or wall, or it would look adorable among other fall decorations on a shelf or mantel. It’s sure to become a staple during fall decorating. Suitable for beginners.
All materials included. Size of finished product: 8”L x 12”H x 2”W. Dress for a mess. Water and dyed reed will be used. Baskets will not be stained during class but staining techniques will be discussed.

9/30 Fri 8:30 AM–12:30 PM Class ID: 13016
Deadline: 9/23 Location: CE $59

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parkland.edu/ceRegister
**Bravo! Improvisational Theatre**
In an entertaining format, improve your acting skills for your next performance or work to gain positive thinking, creativity, and mindfulness skills. Improv theatre involves playing out scenes without written dialogue. Even if you are not a theatre buff, improv can help you improve your listening skills and ability to work with others in a collaborative environment. Learn the basics of improvisation and practice fun class exercises in a safe environment.

No theatre experience is required.

10/11–11/1 Tue 6–8 PM Class ID: 13316
Deadline: 10/4 Location: PC-D151 $79

**Fiber Art: Make Your Own Macramé Plant Hanger with Autumn Colors**
Learn to make your own plant hanger with a pop of fall color. Fiber artist Macy McCall of TwinFringe welcomes all skill levels as she leads you through different macramé knots and the materials needed for macramé projects. Leave with a finished plant hanger that fits a 4-inch pot and the know-how to design and create more pieces on your own. Improve your skills with each macramé project you take on.

All macramé supplies included. Plants and pots are not included. The instructor will have plants from Plantify, a local plant shop, available for purchase after class.

10/17 Mon 6–8 PM Class ID: 13303
Deadline: 10/10 Location: CE $39

**Jewelry Making Techniques**
If you love handcrafted products made with metals, beads, and other materials and have always wanted to learn how to create them, now is your chance! Learn to work with wire, beads, and stringing materials and challenge yourself to develop new skills. In this technique-focused class, you will also discover how the size of materials affects patterns and designs and influences the finished product. As you progress each week, you’ll learn to follow design and adjust materials to build the project you desire. Instructor Julie Higgs will demonstrate and explain design concepts and specialty techniques using various materials.

A supply list of approximately $20–$35 will be provided.

11/10–12/8 Thu 6–8:30 PM Class ID: 13314
Deadline: 11/3 Location: CE $139

**Learn to Crochet With Christina**
Crocheted items are on trend for clothing and home décor. Start with learning the basic stitches and reading patterns. Discover how this creative and therapeutic handcraft can engage you for hours, ending with wearable items, comfy coverlets, and home décor. Each week, you’ll work on a new project to take home. Instructor Christina Donovan brings more than 20 years of crochet experience to the classroom.

You will be required to purchase a beginner kit of hooks and yarn for $11 from the instructor at the first meeting.

10/5–11/2 Wed 6–8 PM Class ID: 13001
Deadline: 9/28 Location: CE $109

**Learn to Knit**
Designed for beginners, this class teaches you how to cast on and off, drop and pick up a stitch, yarn over, and master the purl stitch. Pick up tips and tricks for repairing mistakes and learn how to read a pattern. Learn proper knitting terminology and receive assistance as you get started in this small class setting. You’ll leave with a small project completed and the skills to keep working on your own.

All supplies and materials included. This class is suitable for both right and left-handed people.

11/8–12/13 Tue 6–8 PM Class ID: 13336
Deadline: 11/1 Location: CE $139

**Make Your Own Holiday Fiber Art Ornaments**
What’s better than decorating with handmade macramé ornaments? Leave with three finished ornaments you can gift to friends and family or keep at home to enjoy. Fiber artist Macy McCall of TwinFringe will lead you through each step in a fun and friendly environment. Walk away with the knowledge to make more ornaments on your own.

All skill levels welcome. Supplies included.

11/30 Wed 6–8 PM Class ID: 13304
12/6 Tue 6–8 PM Class ID: 13305
Deadline: 11/29 Location: CE $39

= More fun with a friend!
Miniature Painting: A Very Basic Basics Class
During the first two hours of class, artist and instructor Shoshie Bauer will walk you through how to paint a miniature from start to finish. You’ll learn priming, base coating, highlights, and shadows, and you’ll become familiar with the tools and supplies needed for this hobby. Break for lunch (on your own) and return for the final two hours, where you can continue working on your first miniature or choose from a selection of other minis and apply the new skills you have learned. Leave class with two miniatures you have painted.
All tools and materials provided. If you love what you did in class, Shoshie will have a selection of “Beginner Kits” available for purchase at the end of class. Bring a check or credit card in case you decide to purchase a kit (not required).
11/12 Sat 10 AM–3 PM Class ID: 13347
Deadline: 11/5 Location: CE $139

Origami for Beginners
Learn beautiful Japanese origami. Start with the basics of folding and progress in design complexity each week. You’ll also learn the history of origami and various folding processes. Origami practice is great for hand-eye coordination, memory, and stress reduction.
All materials will be provided.
11/14–12/5 Mon 6–7:30 PM Class ID: 13346
Deadline: 11/7 Location: CE $69

Pocket Sketch
Explore and document the world around you through pocket sketching. This quick-draw method is a visual journal for artists. Armed with a sketch pad and portable supplies, artist and instructor Jackie Tice will show you how to make a personal art journal that captures both mood and character.
No experience necessary, just a desire to draw. A supply list will be provided.
10/6–10/27 Thu 6–8:30 PM Class ID: 13003
Deadline: 9/29 Location: PC-C188 $109

Plein Air With Pastels
Enjoy the crisp fall air and capture the beautiful fall foliage as you discover how to “mix” color with pastels, simplify shapes and texture, and create believable depth. Instructor Paula McCarty, MFA, will lead the first session at Parkland College to cover basic concepts and thereafter meet at various parks in Champaign-Urbana.
For advanced beginner and intermediate painters. Transportation not provided to weekly meeting locations. A supply list of approximately $60 will be provided.
10/15–11/5 Sat 2–4:30 PM Class ID: 13321
Deadline: 10/8 Location: PC-C190 $139

Portrait Drawing
One of the biggest requests for the beginning artist is, “Can you draw me?” In this class, professional artist Jackie Tice will help you do just that. Each week will focus on a different element, technique, or skill that allows you to capture the likeness of any subject.
A supply list will be provided.
11/3–12/15 Thu 6–8:30 PM Class ID: 13313
Deadline: 10/27 Location: PC-C188 $149

Sewing for Beginners
Start by learning a few basic hand-stitch techniques and then progress to sewing-machine techniques, including zippers and buttonholes. Learn how to safely operate the machine, read and follow a pattern, lay out and cut fabric, and sew a simple project. Take home a completed pair of pajama pants and the confidence to do more on your own! Sewing machines are provided for in-class use.
A general supply list of approximately $25 to $30 will be provided the first night of class.
9/14–10/19 Wed 6–8 PM Class ID: 13018
Deadline: 9/7 Location: PC-C153 $129

INSTRUCTOR SPOTLIGHT Jackie Tice
Jackie Tice is an accomplished professional artist and teacher. Jackie holds a BFA from Southern Illinois University, with a concentration in painting and a minor in Museum Science and a MFA from Indiana State University. After graduating from SIU, Jackie opened the Hugin and Munin Art Gallery in Makanda, Illinois. While there, she promoted her own work and the work of over 20 other artists. Jackie has taught private and group art classes for adults and children in both Illinois and Indiana, while continuing to own and operate her own gallery. She teaches private painting lessons in a variety of mediums and subjects as well as specialty classes such as silk painting and basic computer animation.
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Instant Piano for Busy People
In just a few hours, you can learn enough secrets of the trade to give you years of musical enjoyment. Learn to play piano the way professionals do using chords. The Zoom format allows you to sit at your piano or keyboard at home while you learn. An online book and online follow-up video lessons are included, which allow you to continue your practice and study at your own pace on your own. An optional periodic online question and answer session is also included. You will also receive a recording of the live Zoom session. The course is part lecture/demonstration and part hands-on instruction. Topics include how chords work in a song, how to get more out of sheet music by reading less of it, how to form the three main types of chords, how to handle different keys and time signatures, how to avoid counting, and how to simplify more than 12,000 complex chords.

10/10 Mon 6:30–9:30 PM Class ID: 13307
Deadline: 10/3 ONLINE $79

Instant Guitar for Busy People
Have you ever wanted to learn the guitar but find it difficult to find the time? In just a few hours you can learn enough about playing the guitar to give you years of musical enjoyment, and you won’t have to take private lessons to do it. This crash course will teach you some basic chords and get you playing along with your favorite songs right away. Since this class is being held online with Zoom, you will be able to sit at home with your guitar and take this class without any pressure. The session includes an online book and online follow-up video lessons to allow you to continue your practice and study on your own. An optional periodic online question-and-answer session as well as a recording of the Zoom session are also available. Topics include how chords work in a song, how to form the three main types of chords, how to tune your guitar, basic strumming patterns, how to buy a good guitar (and things to avoid), and how to play along with simple tunes.

10/11 Tue 6:30–9 PM Class ID: 13308
Deadline: 10/4 ONLINE $79

Holiday Movies and Music
Journey through the past century of film history as host John LeGear showcases some of the happiest and most memorable holiday moments from classic and popular films. Join us for a 75-minute presentation of songs, including a couple of singalongs, dances, and magical movie scenes from some of the most warmly embraced holiday films of all time, among them Miracle on 34th Street, It’s a Wonderful Life, Elf, Love Actually, Going My Way, and of course, Bing Crosby’s White Christmas. Conclude with a 15-minute Q & A with your host.

12/13 Tue 1:30–3 PM Class ID: 13005
Deadline: 12/6 ONLINE $9
Beginner's Guide to Getting Published

Do you know the five most common reasons why manuscripts are instantly rejected? If your goal is to become a published freelance writer of fiction or nonfiction for books or magazines, this course is for you. Learn to give yourself the kind of credibility you need to succeed. Gain access to critical information to walk you through every step of the publishing process.

Register at ed2go.com/pc

10/12–11/18 24 hours ONLINE $115
11/16–12/23 24 hours ONLINE $115
12/14–1/20 24 hours ONLINE $115

Beginning Conversational French

Proper pronunciation is important to good communication. This course has been carefully crafted to ensure you will have no trouble pronouncing French words correctly. You will learn how to communicate at the airport and hotel, how to talk to hotel employees, and how to communicate in restaurants. Each lesson also includes cultural tips. Hand and body gestures mean different things in different cultures. For example, do you know the proper way to point to avoid offending people in France? This course will tell you. You will be pleased with your quick progress, and you will be prepared for your next trip!

“I have learned an incredible amount of French from this beginning class. I think that is mostly due to the class format and teaching style of the instructor. Merci beaucoup!” – Ed2go student

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10/12–11/18 24 hours ONLINE $100
11/16–12/23 24 hours ONLINE $100
12/14–1/20 24 hours ONLINE $100

Conversational Japanese

Whether you want to learn conversational Japanese for travel or just for fun, you’ll find this course makes it easy and enjoyable for beginners to master the essentials of the Japanese language. Gain cultural knowledge and learn useful conversational phrases and vocabulary words particular to a specific area of travel. You’ll practice these in drills, interactive exercises, and dialogues. Find helpful audio aids and Japanese words written in the English alphabet. This technique will allow you to bypass one of the biggest obstacles for most beginners of Japanese: the letter system. By the end of this course, you’ll have acquired basic conversational skills that enable you to travel around the country easily, and you’ll have discovered the heart of Japan!

“The course was outstanding! The approach and method of teaching was completely appropriate. The instructor’s pleasing personality was very evident in each lesson. In addition, her pride in being a guide to her native language and customs embellished the lessons with an exceptionally pleasant atmosphere and authenticity. I look forward to enrolling in her future courses.” – Ed2go student

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11/16–12/23 24 hours ONLINE $100
12/14–1/20 24 hours ONLINE $100

Beginning Writer’s Workshop

Some of the best works of fiction and nonfiction were crafted in a writer’s workshop. This online course will help you write your own creative piece. Like a true writing workshop, you will learn literary techniques, peer review a classmate’s work, and receive constructive criticism on your work. You will also learn how to use literary devices, meaningful dialogue, and imagery in your different drafts. By the end of this online workshop, you will have a thoroughly developed creative writing piece. You might even be ready for publication!

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10/12–11/18 24 hours ONLINE $115
11/16–12/23 24 hours ONLINE $115
12/14–1/20 24 hours ONLINE $115

Instant Italian

This dynamic course will teach you how to express yourself comfortably in Italian. You’ll read, hear, and practice dialogues of everyday words which will teach you to communicate in a wide variety of settings.

“I found the information in the class to be very useful and just the thing that I needed to be able to go to Italy and communicate in an understandable and basic way. Professor Bertoldi’s explanations were very clear and the additional information available for each lesson was very helpful.” – Ed2go student

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10/12–11/18 24 hours ONLINE $100
11/16–12/23 24 hours ONLINE $100
12/14–1/20 24 hours ONLINE $100
Gluten-Free Baking
Fill your gluten-free baking toolbox with practical tips and techniques to adapt your favorite recipes to gluten-free versions, choose ingredients strategically, and troubleshoot common problems. Put your techniques to the test by baking a couple batches of non-yeasted gluten-free goodies. New and experienced gluten-free bakers are welcome. Bring two gallon-size storage bags or small dishes to take your creations home. NOTE: While using gluten-free ingredients, the class will be held in a shared kitchen using equipment that also processes food containing gluten.

10/5 Wed 6–8 PM Location: PC-X118 Class ID: 12998
Deadline: 9/28 $65

Mead Making Basics
Investigate and celebrate the world's oldest fermented beverage, mead (honey wine). This class introduces you to the characteristics of various mead styles, such as traditional, fruit, and high gravity. Improve your palate with an accompanying mead tasting that illustrates the principles of mead-making. Award-winning mazer and certified mead judge Maggie Wachter will be your instructor. Must be 21 years of age.

11/12 Sat 2–4:30 PM Location: Curtis Orchard Class ID: 13324 Deadline: 11/5
$89

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International Pastries  $195
Join pastry chef Doris Klenke as she leads you through culinary creations from around the globe. This class series is a tantalizing way to explore new regions, celebrate different cultures, and enjoy some delectable desserts! With hands-on experience, you’ll gain the confidence to recreate recipes at home and leave everyone wanting more!
Register for all three and SAVE!

**German Pastries: Peach Kuchen and Pfeffernusse Cookies**
Learn to bake peach kuchen, a Transylvanian dessert made with peaches and custard, to chewy, gooey perfection on a tender cookie crust; and pfeffernusse cookies, with a blend of warm, wintry spices. Learn how to combine just the right amount of each spice for an authentic and delicious German dessert.
*Bring two lidded containers to take home any leftovers.*
9/28 Wed 6–8:30 PM  Class ID: 13326  Deadline: 9/21  Location: PC-X118  $75

**Norwegian Pastries: Butter Cookies (Serinakaker) and Apple Pie (Eplepai)**
It’s northern lights viewing season in Norway! Imagine yourself viewing the beautiful sky with a tasty dessert in hand. Learn to make the perfect butter cookie with subtle almond and vanilla flavors and a soft, pillowy texture that melts in your mouth. You’ll also create a traditional Norwegian apple pie, a moist and fruity dessert similar to cake that can be served warm or cold.
*Bring two lidded containers to take home any leftovers.*
11/9 Wed 6–8:30 PM  Class ID: 13327  Deadline: 11/2  Location: PC-X118  $75

**French Pastries: Yule Log (Bûche de Noël)**
Until the 1800s, it was custom for extended families to select a log to bring home and burn to celebrate Christmas gatherings. Today, a rich chocolate Christmas cake carries the symbolism of this tradition. Instructor Doris Klenke will walk you through the perfect way to prepare the filling, cake roll, and frosting, and help spark your creative side with decoration ideas that will culminate in a treat for both the eyes and stomach.
*Bring two lidded containers to take home any leftovers.*
12/7 Wed 6–8:30 PM  Class ID: 13328  Deadline: 11/30  Location: PC-X118  $75
home & garden

**Beginner Birding**
Join over 47 million birders nationwide and learn the basics to a lifelong hobby. In two classroom sessions, you’ll learn the basics of how to get started, where to go, and what you’ll need. Progress into identification methods and learn about 50 to 100 species you can find in our area this fall and winter. Your final class will be field experience at a local Champaign/ Urbana park where you’ll practice identification with your instructor. Leave with the tools you need to venture into the field with confidence.

*Recommended gear for field day: binoculars, notebook, pen or pencil.*

10/3–10/15 Mon 6–8 PM & Sat 8–11 AM
Class ID: 13345
Deadline: 9/26
Location: CE
$79

**Fall Floral Arrangement**
Enjoy using the beautiful colors and textures of fall to decorate your home. As you begin your floral design, Carol Kamradt, ICPF, ICD, will guide your eye to create an outstanding arrangement for autumn.

*All tools and materials provided. Park in W2 lot. Class will be held in the greenhouse.*

10/22 Sat 1–3 PM
Class ID: 13335
Deadline: 10/8
Location: PC-W120
$79

**Holiday Greens Centerpiece**
Build your own centerpiece for the holiday table this year. Instructor Carol Kamradt, ICPF, ICD, leads you through an informative discussion with tips on embellishing and finishing touches as you create an arrangement of fresh holiday greens.

*All tools and materials provided. Class will be held in the greenhouse.*

12/3 Sat 1–3 PM
Class ID: 13302
Deadline: 11/19
Location: PC-W120
$79

**How Estate Sales Work and the Do’s and Don’ts to Holding One**
Whether you are considering an estate sale due to divorce, downsizing, the loss of a loved one, or other reasons, it's important to understand how the process works. Join Rebecca Prather as she shares techniques on how to prepare for a sale, what to look for in an estate sale planner, how to prep and organize, what to expect during the sale, and costs, pricing, and profit information. You’ll walk away feeling confident and prepared to move forward with planning.

11/15 Tue 6–7:30 PM
Class ID: 13343
Deadline: 11/8
Location: CE
$25

**Introduction to CNC Router**
The CNC router is a 21st century woodworking machine used to cut parts, carve decorative details, make signs, and produce relief carvings. CNC machines are becoming popular with woodworking hobbyists, artists, and crafters in home shops and makerspaces. Learn how to use the popular VCarve Pro software required for operating any CNC router by local CNC woodworker Allan Tuchman and design a project. An additional two hour session will be arranged for you to complete your project on an actual CNC machine at the Champaign Woodworkers Club, after being trained in the safety and operation of the CNC router.

*Prerequisite: comfort working with Windows PCs and using a computer mouse. Experience with design, graphics, or photo editing software is helpful.*

12/5–12/12 Mon & Wed 6–9 PM
Class ID: 13310
Deadline: 11/28
Location: CE
$265

**Introduction to Small Scale Poultry Keeping**
Whether you want backyard chickens or a small flock on a country plot, you’ll need to peck around to see what it takes to raise chickens. Understand the initial and ongoing expenses; egg production cycle and conditions that affect it; the chicken life cycle; and how to raise and care for your flock, from incubation to dressing out. This class will include hands on participation at Joy of Illinois Farm in an outdoor setting. This is an ideal class for anyone considering a more self-sustaining lifestyle by raising your own food and possibly earning a little extra income while you’re at it. Great for those just getting started or planning to dive into small scale or backyard farming.

*Wear long pants and closed-toe shoes.*

9/24 Sat 3–5 PM
Class ID: 13342
Deadline: 9/17
Location: Joy of Illinois Farm
$75

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Introduction to Welding
Learn the basics of welding on the weekend. Welding is a useful skill for car mechanics, general hobbyists, artists, or those interested in DIY home and farm repair projects. In just five Sundays, discover the welding methods and safe operating practices of stick (SMAW) and MIG (wire, GMAW). Practice what you’ve learned in the lab and work on a project of your choice.

Bring to each class: your own pair of safety glasses and gauntlet-style welding gloves; both are available at most home improvement stores or online. Wear full length pants and clothing made of non-synthetic materials to each class. No open-toed shoes or frayed clothing.

10/16–11/13 Sun 3–6 PM Class ID: 13315 $269
Deadline: 10/9 Location: PC-T131/T132

Live at the Hive: September
This hands-on class gives you practice with beekeeping tools, shows you hive-inspection techniques, and helps you determine the health of a hive. Through on-site instruction at a hive, Maggie will address topics relevant to the concerns of the hive during the month, from weather and hive threats to activity and behaviors.

Required supplies: hive tool ($12–15) available at Farm and Fleet or Rural King; unscented dishwashing gloves made of rubber or durable plastic (available at any grocery store, $3–4); a bee veil. Bee veils are also available for purchase on site.

9/18 Sun 3–5 PM Class ID: 13012 $35
Deadline: 9/11 Location: Sola Gratia Farm

Overwintering Our Hives
Winters are tough on honey bees. Many hives don’t make it through the Illinois winter without beekeepers’ help. This class will highlight measures that beekeepers can take to improve their bees’ chances of survival. Learn about winter feeding, hive insulation, ventilation, and other essential preparations, including a technique for making winter sugar boards.

Don’t miss this opportunity to learn how to protect and help your honey bees survive the most critical time of the year. This class is for beekeepers and those concerned with honey bee survival.

10/20 Thu 6–8 PM Class ID: 13323 $29
Deadline: 10/13 Location: CE

Planning Your “Forever Home” Build
Whether you are in the dream stage or have a sketch on paper, instructor Debbie Insana will help you organize your thoughts on how you want your new build to look, feel, and function. Review the ins and outs of custom home building, from decision making and timelines to interfacing with designers, builders, and lenders. Cover the latest in home technology and discuss sustainable building options. Bring your sketch to class for a roundtable discussion. Share examples with others to gain deeper insight that will move your project forward.

9/29–10/13 Thu 6–8 PM Class ID: 13002 $69
Deadline: 9/22 Location: CE
**A Day at the Coliseum**
Discover fascinating facts and myths about this famous Roman edifice. The rituals, crowds, executions, and gladiators were the main events, but other interesting activities and agendas took place. Learn why events at the Coliseum were expensive and who sponsored them. You’ll also explore the dimensions and construction of this magnificent building.

9/14 Wed 1:30–2:45 PM 
Class ID: 13025

Deadline: 9/7 
Location: CE 
$9

**A Survival Story of Don Davis: WWII Veteran and Japanese POW**
After his B-24 Liberator bomber was shot down in India on just its second mission in November 1943, 19-year-old Don Davis and nine other crew members were captured by the Japanese and suffered through 18 months as POWs in present-day Myanmar. Hear the stories and intimate details of how these men survived torture, starvation, and disease. Bonded by this experience, the survivors remained close after the war, spending vacations together with their families and sharing some of their experiences through the years. Storyteller Nancy Reifsteck, daughter of Don Davis, has painstakingly put together a scrapbook detailing Don’s life and time in service. Join us as she shares the story of her hero, her father.

11/9 Wed 1:30–3 PM 
Class ID: 13340

Deadline: 11/2 
Location: CE 
$15

**Champaign County History and Artifact Preservation**
For over 50 years, the Champaign County History Museum has educated the public about the unique stories that took place in our community. Join museum manager Connor Monson as he describes five unique stories that helped make Champaign-Urbana what it is today. After the lecture, Connor will also describe the day-to-day work of the museum and how historical artifacts are conserved and displayed.

10/19 Wed 2–3 PM 
Class ID: 13341

Deadline: 10/12 
Location: Champaign County History Museum 
$19

**Living in Ancient Rome (115 CE)**
Learn what life was like for the people of Rome, from commoners to the wealthy. What did their homes look like, what did they eat, and how did they celebrate? Discover how family life, cultures and customs affected their daily living. Festivals, public baths, and fashion were a big part of city living. With instructor Bruce Walker, you’ll also explore Roman enslavement, religion, and sexuality during this time. Ancient Roman dessert will also be served.

10/12 Wed 1:30–2:45 PM 
Class ID: 13026

Deadline: 10/5 
Location: CE 
$9

**Piecing Together the Past: Genealogy**
Genealogy is an immensely popular topic, and it’s easy to get swept up in the allure of finding all the answers. Rather than just an accumulation of facts, genealogy tells a story, or narrative of how we relate to the past. Each of us has a unique genealogical narrative that makes us who we are but learning how to solve or interpret this narrative can sometimes be puzzling. Learn practical steps for piecing together your family history as a beginner genealogist. Your instructor, Marlaina Lindgren, will use examples from her own family history and experience.

10/25–11/1 Tue 6–8 PM 
Class ID: 13338

Deadline: 10/18 
Location: CE 
$49

**Virtual Charleston Ghost Tour**
Join the award-winning Charleston Tours, seen on the Today Show, Travel Channel, PBS, and Lifetime for a ghost tour of Charleston, South Carolina. With its 350 years of history, Charleston surely has lots of ghosts! Your host, Eric Lavender, will show you some of the city’s haunted sites on this virtual tour. Learn why one of the founding fathers was so afraid of being buried alive. Meet one of the ghosts of the Old Exchange Building. Did you know Aaron Burr’s daughter haunts Charleston? The Dock Street Theatre has two ghosts, one with a link to President Lincoln. There are even TWO ghost dogs roaming Charleston. Join Eric on this 60-minute haunted adventure.

Suitable for ages 12 and older.

10/25 Tue 6–7 PM 
Class ID: 13068

Deadline: 10/18 
ONLINE 
$25
Managing Health Care Expense in Retirement

With any government program there can be confusion, opinions, and complexity leading to misinformation. This is certainly true of Medicare. Learn the basics of Medicare and how it coordinates with supplemental insurance. This course gives you what you need for making decisions for yourself or a loved one. For more than 20 years, Jim Lilley of Chesser Financial has been helping people understand retirement income and spending and knows how to make this an enjoyable and informative presentation.

This course deals with the concerns of those age 60 and older.

11/16 Wed 6–8 PM   Class ID: 13318
Deadline: 11/9 Location: CE $9

Preparing Your Estate Plan

Do you know where your assets will go when you die? If not, join financial advisor Kellie Wolking-Kaefring to explore the steps of estate planning. Topics include the function of a will, and the various types of trusts. An estate-planning attorney will be present to answer questions.

10/18–10/25 Tue 6:30–8:30 PM   Class ID: 13309
Deadline: 10/11 Location: CE $15

Savvy Social Security Planning

Social Security is the largest single source of retirement income for most Americans, yet most Americans do not maximize their benefits. Learn five key factors for applying for benefits and ways to estimate your benefits, minimize taxes during retirement, coordinate benefits with your spouse, and more. Jim Lilley of Chesser Financial leads you through this informative seminar, where you will learn that the decisions you make today can have a tremendous bearing on the total amount of benefits you stand to receive over your lifetime.

Designed specifically for those age 50 and older.

11/7 Mon 6–7:30 PM   Class ID: 13317
Deadline: 10/31 Location: CE $9

Introduction to Orienteering

Learn to find your way to various checkpoints with the aid of a map and compass. Orienteering truly is a sport for everyone. Courses can range from paved paths to bush-whacking courses; learning to read a map with a compass is a fun skill to learn in navigating them all. Join instructor Matt Plutz in the classroom for basic introductions to map and compass reading, then practice your newly acquired skills on a field course at Lake of the Woods in Mahomet, Illinois.

Plan to walk 3–4 miles on uneven ground for the field portion of the class. Wear comfortable shoes and pants. Bring a water bottle.

9/28–10/1 Wed 6–8 PM & Sat 10 AM–1 PM   Class ID: 13320
Deadline: 9/21 Location: CE & Lake of the Woods $69
**travel**

**Visit Lake Geneva, Wisconsin**
Start off the morning strolling along the walking path next to the lake. Then select from some fabulous eateries for your lunch and get some shopping in. After spending some free time, we’ll meet back at the docks for an afternoon boat tour of Lake Geneva featuring a narrated history of the lake and the mansions surrounding it.
*Lunch additional. Register by August 30. Sorry, no refunds after this date. Plan to be on your feet for extended periods. If mobility/accessibility is an issue for you, please contact our office with any questions prior to registering.*

9/14 Wed 6:45 AM–8:30 PM
Deadline: 8/30 Location: CE Class ID: 13349
$139

**Reminisce on Route 66**
Take a journey down memory lane, starting with a guided tour at the McLean County Museum of History in Bloomington, Illinois, which includes the Cruisin' with Lincoln on Route 66 Visitors Center. From there, we’ll hop on a portion of the mother road to Pontiac for a delicious lunch at Edinger’s Filling Station followed by an afternoon at the Illinois Route 66 Hall of Fame Museum and the Pontiac Oakland Auto Museum on your own. Make sure to find some of the 18 murals painted by the Walldogs located near the museums.
*Price includes tickets/donations to all museums. Lunch additional. Plan to be on your feet for extended periods. If mobility/accessibility is an issue for you, contact our office with any questions prior to registering. No refunds after October 14.*

10/27 Thu 8 AM–5:30 PM Class ID: 13348
Deadline: 10/14 Location: CE $69

**Make a Date with Local History**
Visit the home of David Davis, a longtime friend of Abraham Lincoln, in Bloomington. Davis built the mid-Victorian style mansion for his wife, who preferred to stay in Illinois when he left for Washington, D.C., as a Supreme Court Justice appointed by President Lincoln. After a tour of the mansion and grounds, you’ll enjoy a stop at a local eatery and refuel for the afternoon. On our way back to Champaign, we’ll stop at the Museum of the Grand Prairie in Mahomet for a guided tour of the main exhibits with a docent available to answer all your questions.
*Lunch additional. Register by October 26. Sorry, no refunds after this date. Expect standing and walking for each tour, including walking on uneven surfaces and stairs. If mobility/accessibility is an issue for you, please contact our office with any questions prior to registering.*

11/9 Wed 9 AM–4 PM Class ID: 13350
Deadline: 10/26 Location: CE $69

**Overnight Trip to Historic Galena**
Found in the northwestern corner of Illinois, the city of Galena is known for its beauty and historical roots. Named one of America’s “Top 10 Best Small Towns,” Galena features Illinois’ oldest operating hotel, The DeSoto House, which opened in 1855; you’ll enjoy an overnight stay here. About 85 percent of the buildings in Galena are listed on the National Register of Historic Places. There will be plenty of free time to browse through Galena’s 19th-century downtown, with more than 100 storefronts featuring clothing, jewelry, collectibles, specialty items, gifts and more. But that isn’t all you’ll find. Galena has tastes from around the world. Artisan-inspired dishes from Italy, Japan, Greece and France are featured at every corner, making this a destination foodies of all ages will enjoy. Your hosts will be Mindy McClusky and Carrie Harris. A Galena native, Carrie will share her inside tips for the best shopping, dining, and attractions in the downtown area.
*Trip price includes: discounted group rate at the historic DeSoto House Hotel (single or double occupancy); full breakfast at hotel, Admission to Grant’s Home, and Blaum Brothers Distillery Tour. All other meals, tours, and entertainment on your own. Expect to be on your feet for extended periods. If mobility/accessibility is an issue for you, contact our office with any questions prior to registering. Register by September 9. Sorry, no refunds after this date. Space is limited to 13 participants.*

10/12–10/13 Wed & Thu 6:30 AM–8:30 PM Class ID: 13351
Deadline: 9/9 Location: CE SINGLE $309
Deadline: 9/9 Location: CE DOUBLE $289

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**ARMCHAIR PRESENTATIONS**

Join us for presentations on lands both near and far. Enjoy refreshments as part of a leisurely afternoon.

**Greece**
Travel through the ages as you explore Greece, the birthplace of modern democracy and a land of spellbinding mountains, seascapes, islands, and volcanoes. Your journey through antiquity will take you to the Acropolis and the Parthenon in Athens; to Olympia, host of the first Olympic Games; to the temples of Zeus, Apollo, and Poseidon; and to the riveting UNESCO World Heritage cliff-hanging monasteries of Meteora. Leave the mainland on a ferry to the idyllic island of Santorini, one of the Cyclades islands born of a volcanic eruption in the Aegean Sea. Here you’ll stroll among the iconic blue-domed churches, cobbled streets, and whitewashed hillside “cave” homes. Your island sojourn will include a 6-mile walk along an exquisite caldera rim path with breathtaking Agean views, a visit to Akrotiri, a bronze-age ash-covered “Pompeii,” and a dip in thermal waters after descending an extinct volcano. Join your host Mindy McClusky as you visit the best of Greece’s glory!

11/15 Tue 1:30–3 PM  
Class ID: 13009  
Deadline: 11/8  
Location: CE  
$15

**Southern Adventure: Patagonia and Antarctica**
There are plenty of exotic places to visit in the world, but Antarctica is probably at the top of the list. Combine a trip to Antarctica with one to the mountains of the Chilean Patagonia, and you have a truly unforgettable experience. Join Fred Delcomyn as he describes the wildlife and scenery he encountered on his journey to these exceptional places.

12/13 Tue 1:30–3 PM  
Class ID: 13331  
Deadline: 12/6  
Location: CE  
$15
computers & technology

Beginner Computers
Jane Bateman is great at giving students all the individual attention they need and helping them get more use out of a computer. If you're comfortable with a mouse and the keyboard doesn't confuse you, the next steps are to format a document, copy, cut, and paste, find files, and save. You'll also learn how to use a USB flash drive for saving and storing files such as documents and pictures.

10/26–11/16 Wed 1–3 PM Class ID: 13306
Deadline: 10/19 Location: CE $79

Excel Essentials
Learn the basic and essential concepts of formulas, functions, and shortcuts for Microsoft Excel in this hands-on class. Become familiar with creating, modifying, formatting, and printing worksheets. Practice data files will be provided for you to apply your new skills, knowledge, and confidence. The small class size allows for conversation and instruction from Wendy Barker.

10/11–10/13 Tue & Thu 1–3 PM Class ID: 13355
Deadline: 10/4 Location: CE $99

Computer Scams, and What Not to Click On!
Don't let your computer control you! Find out what you should and should NOT click on. Instructor Michael Wilson will discuss scams, frustrating and suspicious popups, advertisements, your haywire computer, email ads, and links. Not for Apple/Mac users or tablets. This class is specifically designed for those age 55+.

10/18 Tue 3:30–4:30 PM Class ID: 13339
Deadline: 10/11 ONLINE $20

Getting to Know Your iPhone
Author and instructor Mike Wilson will demonstrate how to use your smartphone. This class is designed for mature and recent iPhone users! Mike will cover cell phone topics, such as: the photo app, texting, navigating, apps, contacts, email, camera, the App Store, settings, and the Internet. Not for Android users. This class is specifically designed for those age 55+.

10/12–10/14 Wed–Fri 12–1 PM Class ID: 13332
Deadline: 10/5 ONLINE $55
11/28–11/30 Mon–Wed 7:30–8:30 PM Class ID: 13333
Deadline: 11/21 ONLINE $55

Excel: Format Like a Pro
Do you want to make your worksheets look professional and engaging as well as easy to read? Learn the ins and outs of formatting as well as simple tips and tricks to quickly clean up your spreadsheets. Learn shortcuts to adjust column and row sizing, apply special number and date formats, use font color, fill cells, add borders effectively, apply cell styles, master format painter, and discover conditional formatting.

10/27 Thu 1–3 PM Class ID: 13274
Deadline: 10/20 Location: CE $99

Excel: Function, Function, What’s Your Function?
Do you want to get more out of Excel? Have you ever needed to pull specific data out of a spreadsheet? Ever thought to yourself, “there must be an easier way!” Unravel the mystery of functions by exposing the most useful ones in Excel. You will start with logical functions (IF, SUM IF, SUM IFS) to help you create comparisons in your formulas. From there, you will move on to conditional functions (AND, OR) to quickly highlight important information in a spreadsheet. Discover how to find and retrieve data with the VLOOKUP, HLOOKUP, MATCH, and INDEX functions and learn how they will assist you in tables of data, along with more valuable secrets of Excel.

11/8 Tue 1–3 PM Class ID: 13273
Deadline: 11/1 Location: CE $99

Excel: Pivot Tables, Charts, and Dashboards, Oh My!
Learn the essentials regarding managing data and creating pivot tables in Excel. You will use pivot tables to summarize, sort, count, and chart your data. Learn how to build pivot tables from single or multiple data sources, add calculated fields, and format your layout to make it easy to read. You will also create pivot charts, slicers, and dashboards to help visualize your data. In addition, you will learn how to use the new data model feature to build pivot tables from related tables.

12/1 Thu 1–3 PM Class ID: 13272
Deadline: 11/24 Location: CE $99
CompTIA A+ with Exam Voucher: Live Online

CompTIA A+ exam is a globally recognized industry standard for establishing an IT career. CompTIA A+ Core Series 220–1001 exam and 220–1002 exam cover expanded content on the growing IT support role, including expanded baseline security topics. The certification provides a different approach to defining competency in operational procedures, including basic disaster prevention, recovery, and scripting basics and a greater dependency on networking and device connectivity. Exam registration assistance and exam voucher will be provided to you after successfully passing the course.

Prerequisites: high school diploma or GED and Essential Computer Skills: Windows assessment. Tuition Assistance available through our program partner at www.protrainedu.org/ tuition-assistance.

Register and pay online at parkland.theknowledgebase.org.

10/4–11/15 Tue & Thu 6–9 PM Class ID: 12984
Deadline: 9/27 ONLINE $1,489

Cybersecurity Bootcamp

Cybersecurity Bootcamp (powered by ThriveDX) is a fully online accelerated training program, meeting only twice a week, designed to successfully prepare people with little or no background in IT for entry level jobs in cybersecurity, a highly in-demand and lucrative career path. Developed around military training methodologies and hands-on learning, the program focuses on the key skills sought by employers. The bootcamp prepares you not only with technical knowledge but with the essential skills required for a successful career in cybersecurity.

11/7–5/29 Mon & Thu 6–10 PM Class ID: 12962
Deadline: 10/31 ONLINE $4,499

INSTRUCTOR SPOTLIGHT

Wendy Barker

Wendy Barker has been teaching at Parkland for over eight years and enjoys helping participants use technology to make their lives easier, not harder! When she’s not teaching Excel and other Office and Adobe products, she works for a network security auditing company; you can also find her at various gyms teaching group fitness classes.

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Project Management Bundle page 26
Project Management Bundle (For Non-Professional Project Managers)  $255

Not a project manager by title, but find yourself managing projects? No problem! Learn about the foundations of project management— not as a profession, but as a set of techniques you can tailor to your projects. You’ll start with a basic overview class and then dive deeper every two weeks with a new workshop with tips and information to take your project management skills to the next level. While this series provides valuable information, it does not count toward PMP certification nor is it considered in the PMP application process. 

Save by enrolling in the full series.
Project Management: An Overview
Learn about the foundations of project management—not as a profession but as a set of techniques you can tailor to your projects. You’ll go over the broad strokes of the Project Management Lifecycle: initiation, planning, execution, monitoring and controlling, and closing. The goal will be to provide an overview of project management that will improve your project predictability, communications, and outcomes. You will focus on waterfall methodologies; elements of agile methodology will also be covered. Training will touch on these aspects:
- Project processes
- Creating project goals and deliverables (and metrics for success)
- Identifying and establishing the full scope of the project work
- Identifying project participants, roles, and responsibilities
- How work will be accomplished—who will perform the work and when
- How work is managed and controlled, and what happens if adjustments or changes to the project need to be made
- How to know when a project is complete, and how to know if it was successful

Class will build off and reference information presented in Project Management: An Overview. While this series provides valuable information, it does not count toward PMP certification, nor is it considered in the PMP application process.

10/4 
Tue 8 AM–12 PM
Class ID: 13275
Deadline: 9/27
Location: CE
$100

Project Management: Stakeholders & Requirements
Ensure your project’s success by having the right people involved from the start. Learn how identifying key stakeholders allows everyone to fully understand the expectations and responsibilities the project requires.

Class will build off and reference information presented in Project Management: An Overview. While this series provides valuable information, it does not count toward PMP certification, nor is it considered in the PMP application process.

10/18
Tue 12–1:30 PM
Class ID: 13276
Deadline: 10/11
Location: CE
$50

Project Management: Work Breakdown Structure
You’ve determined all the major deliverables and milestones. Where do you go from there? Discover how to deconstruct and organize project deliverables into manageable groups and understand how to see a project and all its details, also known as a work breakdown structure. This is a way to turn a mountain of work into more manageable tasks that can be assigned to resources. The results are a complete list of defined work that encompasses the full scope of your project.

Class will build off and reference information presented in Project Management: An Overview. While this series provides valuable information, it does not count toward PMP certification, nor is it considered in the PMP application process.

11/1
Tue 12–1:30 PM
Class ID: 13277
Deadline: 10/25
Location: CE
$50

Project Management: Risks (and Issues)
Even with the best-laid plans, there are risks and issues within every project—some small and some catastrophic (but not for you!). Understand how to anticipate, evaluate, and manage risks, issues, and assumptions throughout the project management cycle. Planning for unexpected events is one of the keys to ensuring a successful project.

Class will build off and reference information presented in Project Management: An Overview. While this series provides valuable information, it does not count toward PMP certification, nor is it considered in the PMP application process.

11/15
Tue 12–1:30 PM
Class ID: 13278
Deadline: 11/8
Location: CE
$50

Project Management: Lessons Learned
It is important to move quickly and efficiently through projects, but you also need to step back to review processes along the way. Be sure the processes are still meeting the needs of the project, its resources, and its stakeholders. Sharing observations and suggesting changes for improvement throughout a project can lead to more successful outcomes. Sometimes the lessons learned are specific to your project, but they are also a great way to share knowledge and practices that can improve workflow and future projects.

Class will build off and reference information presented in Project Management: An Overview. While this series provides valuable information, it does not count toward PMP certification, nor is it considered in the PMP application process.

11/29
Tue 12–1:30 PM
Class ID: 13279
Deadline: 11/22
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Leading EDGE Certificate Series

Designed to develop and enhance the skills of extraordinary leadership, this leadership series consists of 12 unique courses offered January to December. To qualify for the certificate, you must complete a minimum of 44 hours consisting of 5 required courses AND at least 6 of 7 electives.

*Denotes required course

Managing Priorities in the Workplace

In today’s workplace, leaders and their teams have far too many competing priorities to manage effectively. Gone are the days of doing more with less. Instead, we must do everything with next to nothing. Change is constant, and resources are limited. Traditional time management is no match for today’s challenges. Explore and apply a range of skills and strategies to manage your focus and requests to achieve desired results.

10/5
Deadline: 9/28
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Class ID: 11498
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Deadline: 10/6
Location: CE
Class ID: 11499
10/5
Deadline: 9/28
Location: CE
Class ID: 11498
10/13
Deadline: 10/6
Location: CE
Class ID: 11499

Successful Delegation

Thorough planning + clear communication + effective follow-through = successful delegation! Delegate in a way that gets results, builds confidence, increases respect, and allows time for high-priority tasks while you serve the interests of the organization and your team.

11/2
Deadline: 10/26
Location: CE
Class ID: 11500
11/10
Deadline: 11/3
Location: CE
Class ID: 11501

Giving Recognition that Drives Results

Excellent performance and productivity improve and increase customer loyalty and organizational success. By recognizing and reinforcing positive behaviors, managers can encourage and reinvigorate individual contributors to repeat the behaviors that lead to positive results. Learn about impact, barriers, and key actions for giving recognition, and how to best tailor and deliver recognition to the recipient.

11/30
Deadline: 11/23
Location: CE
Class ID: 11502
12/8
Deadline: 12/1
Location: CE
Class ID: 11503
Introduction to Voiceovers: Getting Started in Voice Acting 2022

“Wow, you have a great voice!” Have you heard that more times than you can count? Do you listen to your favorite audiobooks, commercials, or cartoon characters and think, “I could do that!” Want to earn income using your talents from the comfort of your home? If so, you could have what it takes to begin working as a professional voiceover artist. Explore the industry with your instructor, a professional voice actor from Voices For All, in a one-on-one video chat setting. Discover current trends in the voiceover industry and how easy and affordable it can be to set up and work from home. Learn about various types of voiceovers and the tools you’ll need for success. Your instructor will take notes as you read a real script and offer coaching to improve your delivery. You’ll receive a professional voiceover evaluation later. One-time, 90-minute introductory class.

Requirements: You must have Internet access and video chatting capabilities using a method such as Zoom, Skype, or iChat/FaceTime.

ONLINE class will be scheduled AFTER registration.

Class ID: 11371 $49

Instructors Wanted!

Do you have a special skill or knowledge of a certain subject matter? Have you ever thought about sharing your passion with community members or local businesses? You can become a noncredit Community Education instructor and teach in person or virtually. For more information or if you have class ideas, contact us at 217/351-2235 or email communityeducation@parkland.edu. We are looking for leaders in these areas:

- Crafts: wood carving
- Culinary: cooking, food service sanitation, mixology, baking
- History: local, European, specific era, civil rights, sports
- Home & Garden: handyman, gardening, upcycling
- Technology: are you a techie?
- Travel: near or far, show us where you’ve been
- Writing: creative, fiction, or nonfiction
- Youth: chemistry, construction, physics, robotics
Broker’s Pre-License Principles
Fulfill 15 of the 75 hours of pre-license education with this state-approved course. Apply what you learned in the 60-hour Broker Pre-License Topics, practice dealing with buyers and sellers in a safe environment using the laws and rules reviewed in Broker Pre-License Topics, and gain insight on the proper application of the laws and rules. Sponsored by Illinois REALTORS®.
Prerequisite: Broker’s Pre-License Topics. Book included; available at first session.
Register by November 11 to receive a $50 discount.
11/28–12/12 Mon & Wed 6–9 PM Class ID: 12977
Deadline: 11/21 Location: CE $299

Basics in Applied Agronomy:
Certified Crop Adviser Exam Prep
Learn the fundamentals of raising commercial crops in the Midwest (corn, soybeans, wheat, and alfalfa). Designed to help you prepare for the Certified Crop Adviser (CCA) Exams, the class covers material that may relate to performance objectives described in CCA exam study materials. It is the responsibility of the student to review CCA local and international performance objectives in preparation for taking certification exams. The course also serves as a good review of basic agronomy before the next cropping year.
CEUs available for Certified Crop Advisers (CCAs): Board-approved 26 CEUs (6.5 Soil & Water Mgt., 6.5 Nutrient Mgt., 6.5 Pest Mgt., 6.5 Crop Mgt.). Suggested textbooks available online.
Register by October 11 to receive a $40 discount.
11/8–1/24 Tue 6:30–9 PM Class ID: 13286
Deadline: 11/1 ONLINE $399
transportation & distribution

Advanced Forklift
Learn the necessary information to become a skilled, in-demand powered industrial truck (forklift) operator. In four days, gain valuable knowledge and critical hands-on experience that reflect real-life workplace scenarios in various environments. Equipment used in training includes a standard forklift, order picker (stand-up), and electric walkie pallet jack. Local employers make site visits throughout the program. Opportunities to create connections and learn about local employment are guaranteed.

Prerequisites: Be able to read, write, speak, and comprehend English. Dress appropriately for the weather because the hands-on portions will be outside. Wear closed-toe shoes and bring a lunch daily (lunch break will be provided).

Register by November 1 to receive a $100 discount.
11/14–11/17 Mon–Thu 8 AM–5 PM Class ID: 13259
Deadline: 11/7 Location: CE $995

UAS Certification Exam Prep
Get licensed to fly drones commercially! Take your business to new heights and discover new opportunities through commercial drone use. Drone’s safety, efficiency, and cost benefits make them increasingly attractive for a range of business and government functions: marketing, agriculture, real estate, media, special events, and inspections. The Federal Aviation Administration requires drone operators to pass a UAS (unmanned aerial system) aeronautical knowledge test in order to fly drones commercially. Discover what UAS operators need to know about regulations, airspace, weather, and more. For an additional $175, you may also register to take the FAA certification written exam.

Instructions on how to register for the FAA Exam will be emailed approximately 3 weeks prior to the class start date.

Register by November 4 to receive a $30 discount.
11/30–12/1 Wed 8 AM–5 PM & Thu 8–11 AM Class ID: 12982 Deadline: 11/23 Location: CE $429

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CPR for Health Care Providers: Instructor-Led
Learn to promptly recognize several life-threatening emergencies, give high-quality chest compressions, deliver appropriate ventilations, and provide early use of an AED. Upon completion, you will be issued an American Heart Association BLS Healthcare Provider Course Completion Card.

You will be emailed an access code for the e-book on the registration deadline, you must pick it up at Community Education at least one week before class during the hours of 8 AM to 5 PM, Monday through Friday. Register by September 23 to receive a $10 discount.

10/8 Sat 8 AM–12 PM Class ID: 13260
Deadline: 9/29 Location: CE $89
Register by October 21 to receive a $10 discount.
11/5 Sat 8 AM–12 PM Class ID: 13261
Deadline: 10/27 Location: CE $89

CPR FAQs
How soon should I register for a CPR course?
Classes fill fast! Your program deadline will affect your certification needs. Please contact your program manager for the deadline. If you choose to complete the hybrid class, your online certificate of completion is valid for only 60 days. You must complete the hands-on skills portion within 60 days.

How long is my CPR card valid?
Your card is valid for two years.

When will I receive my CPR Card?
It typically takes two to three weeks to process. If you need proof sooner, your instructor can issue you a temporary card upon successful completion of the course.

Do I need a book?
Yes. Textbooks are an integral part of the instructor-led CPR education before, during, and after the course. You may reuse your textbook during renewals or updates until new science guidelines are published.

CPR for Health Care Providers: Hybrid
Learn life-saving skills through a variety of e-learning tools such as dramatizations, e-simulations, animations, self-directed learning, and interactive activities. After completing the online portion, you will attend a structured Basic Life Support (BLS) hands-on session with an American Heart Association (AHA) instructor. This session focuses on meaningful skills practice, debriefing, team scenarios, discussions of local protocols, and skills testing. Upon completion, you will be issued an American Heart Association BLS Healthcare Provider Course completion card. This hybrid course is for health care professionals seeking an alternative method of completing a BLS course.

You must complete HeartCode BLS at onlineaha.org, print your certificate of completion, and bring it with you to class. Fee is an additional $32.50 (to be paid online).

Classes held at Community Education, $89 each.
Register by September 19 to receive a $10 discount.
10/4 Tue 5:30–6:30 PM Class ID: 13262
Tue 6:30–7:30 PM Class ID: 13263
Register by September 21 to receive a $10 discount.
10/6 Thu 5:30–6:30 PM Class ID: 13264
Thu 6:30–7:30 PM Class ID: 13265
Register by October 24 to receive a $10 discount.
11/8 Tue 5:30–6:30 PM Class ID: 13266
Tue 6:30–7:30 PM Class ID: 13267
Register by October 26 to receive a $10 discount.
11/10 Thu 5:30–6:30 PM Class ID: 13268
Thu 6:30–7:30 PM Class ID: 13269
**Medical Billing and Coding with Exam Voucher: Live Online**

Medical Billing and Coding Career Prep Complete covers a growing career field with numerous job opportunities. This course combines the basics of medical coding, medical billing, and medical terminology to provide a comprehensive program that prepares you to work as a medical coding and billing specialist in a medical office. You will learn medical terminology, insurance guidelines and compliance requirements, medical billing functions, and legal and ethical issues. Upon completion, you will be prepared to take the AHIMA Certified Coding Associate (CCA) national exam. Exam registration assistance and exam voucher will be provided to you after successfully passing the course.

*Prerequisites: high school diploma or GED and Essential Computer Skills: Internet Basics assessment. Tuition Assistance available through our program partner at [www.protrainedu.org/tuition-assistance](http://www.protrainedu.org/tuition-assistance).*

Register and pay at [parkland.theknowledgebase.org](http://parkland.theknowledgebase.org).

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**Pharmacy Technician with Exam Voucher: Live Online**

Prepare to work as a pharmacy technician in a retail or other pharmacy setting and to take the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board’s (PTCB) exam. During the 50-hour program, you will cover pharmacy medical terminology, the history of pharmacy, the pharmacy practice in multiple environments, pharmacy calculations and measurements, reading and interpreting prescriptions and defining drugs by generic and brand names. Through classroom lectures and hands-on labs, you will review dosage calculations, drug classifications, the “top 200 drugs”, I.V. flow rates, sterile compounding, dose conversions, aseptic technique, the handling of sterile products, total parenteral nutrition (TPN), dispensing of prescriptions, inventory control and billing and reimbursement. Clinical Externship: As part of this Pharmacy Technician program, you will participate in an 80-hour clinical externship. During class, additional information will be provided about how a site is selected. National Certification: This program meets the necessary requirements to take the Pharmacy Technician Certified Board (PTCB) – Certified Pharmacy Technician (PTCB) exam. NWCA National Certification: This program meets the necessary requirements to take the National Workforce Career Association (NWCA) Pharmacy Technician (PTAC) Exam. Tuition includes: book(s), materials, background check, drug test, and exam voucher.

*Prerequisites: high school diploma or GED and Essential Computer Skills: Internet Basics assessment. Tuition assistance available through our program partner at [www.protrainedu.org/tuition-assistance](http://www.protrainedu.org/tuition-assistance).*

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Deadline: 10/10 ONLINE $1,835
workplace safety

Food Service Sanitation Manager Certification
Succeed in the restaurant industry by earning the Food Service Sanitation Manager Certification. Equip yourself with valuable knowledge and leave with a solid understanding of food safety. Keep your customers, employer, and employees safe and successful. Carolyn McIntyre covers foodborne illness, time and temperature control, personal hygiene, cleaning and sanitizing, HACCP, food safety, preparation and serving, cross-contamination, and government regulations. This course meets all IDPH food code requirements to become a certified food protection manager (CFPM).

The exam is available in English, Spanish, traditional Chinese, simplified Chinese, Korean, and Japanese. The course is taught in English.

10/17
Deadline: 10/10
Mon 8 AM–5 PM
Location: CE
Class ID: 13270
$229

12/5
Deadline: 11/28
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Location: CE
Class ID: 13271
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Construction Skills to Build a Better World!

The Highway Construction Careers Training Program (HCCTP) is a job training program that EXPLORES a wide variety of skilled construction trades. Earn the credentials that get you into the essential careers of the construction industry. Access high-paying construction industry with healthcare and retirement benefits. Imagine yourself behind the powerful machinery that builds future infrastructure, imagine yourself wiring resilient electrical grids and imagine yourself building a better future. The HCCTP is dedicated to building a diverse workforce. Women and people of color are highly encouraged to apply. This training is for all who want to work with their hands and minds. Training consists of intensive 12 to 16 week programs that empower you with skills you need to enter the construction industry’s Earn While you Learn apprenticeships.

This pre-apprenticeship program covers these areas:
- Math for the trades
- Job readiness
- Tool safety and use
- OSHA 30 certification
- Forklift and aerial lift operations
- Intro to welding
- Backhoe and skid steer driving
- First aid and CPR certifications

There is no cost to the student. Funded by the Illinois Department of Transportation. Program Requirements:
- Valid Illinois driver’s license
- 18 years or older
- High school diploma or GED
- Pass a reading and math assessment at the 7th grade level
- Pass a drug test prior to acceptance and throughout the program

Step one is to register and attend ONE of the FREE upcoming orientations. Register at parkland.edu/HCCTP.

11/18 Fri 1-2 PM Class ID: 13389 Location: CE
Fri 4-5 PM Class ID: 13390 Location: CE
12/6 Tue 9-10 AM Class ID: 13391 Location: CE
Tue 12-1 PM Class ID: 13392 Location: CE
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PARKLAND THEATRE
2022–2023 season

The Story
by Tracey Scott Wilson
October 13–16 and 21–23 in the Harold and Jean Miner Theatre

The Comedy of Errors
by William Shakespeare: An Actors’ Studio production
Ticket sales directly fund the Parkland College Theatre Scholarship Program. November 10–13 in the Second Stage Theatre

A Christmas Story
by Philip Grecian
December 1–4 and 9–11 in the Harold and Jean Miner Theatre

Become a Friend of Parkland Theatre
Your donations help us to continue to provide high-quality productions. For more information, visit parkland.edu/theatre-howtogive

Get your tickets today at parkland.edu/theatretickets.

For more information on upcoming shows, visit parkland.edu/theatre.
The William M. Staerkel Planetarium is the second-largest planetarium in the state of Illinois. The Digistar 6 digital planetarium projection system transforms the 50-foot dome ceiling into an immersive virtual environment. The planetarium hosts numerous shows, programs, and special events. Stay up to date by calling our show hotline at 217/351-2446 or visiting us online at parkland.edu/planetarium.

- Open weekdays for school and civic groups. Virtual shows and Spanish-language shows available. Reservations required.
- Public presentations Fridays and Saturdays at 7 and 8 pm. Tickets are $5-$6 at the door. Virtual shows are free!
- Join Friends of Staerkel Planetarium (FOSP) and see FREE shows for a year.
- Teachers, book a field trip with us! Find a complete list of school programs by grade level, plus activities for before or after your visit, including links to the NGSS. Call 217/351-2568 to set up your field trip!
- Book a unique rental space for birthday parties, weddings, and other private events under the stars.
- Join the Galaxy Club: Kids get a stamp card and begin to earn free admission to a show.
- Rent-a-Scope: 10-inch Dobsonian telescopes; $10/night or $15/weekend.
- Get your astro news: northern lights, eclipses, and meteor showers, plus be the first to hear of upcoming programs at the planetarium. Subscribe to our email list.

Upcoming Shows

- **Expedition Reef**
  October 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 22, 28, 29 at 8 pm

- **Solar System Safari**
  October 8, 15, 22, 29 at 7 pm

- **The Sun, our Living Star**
  November 4, 5, 11, 12, 18, 19 at 8 pm

- **Coyote Explores the Earth, Moon, and Sun**
  November 5, 12, 19 at 7 pm

- **Season of Light**
  December 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17 at 8 pm

- **Santa’s Secret Star**
  December 3, 10, 17 at 7 pm

- **Celebrate Staerkel Planetarium’s 35th Anniversary**!
  Dave Leake, retired director of the planetarium, returns to present a show using only the original Carl Zeiss M1015 star projector. See Staerkel Unplugged: The Zeiss-Only Experience on October 1 at 2 pm.

**Sensory-Friendly Matinées**
Join us for a sensory-friendly matinée on October 22 and December 17. Sensory-friendly shows have “lights up, sound down” settings and a relaxed atmosphere where you can come, go, and move around as needed. Sensory-friendly shows are great for guests with autism spectrum disorder, sensory sensitivities, or young children. All are welcome!

**Pink Floyd Shows are Back!**
The sounds of Pink Floyd’s Dark Side of the Moon and Wish You Were Here ring in the dome again, but these aren’t our old light shows and they aren’t laser shows. Enjoy these full dome shows from Starlight Productions on the first Friday of each month at 9 pm. Please note that these aren’t for those with motion sickness! Tickets are $6 for everyone at the door.

**James B. Kaler Science Lecture Series**
On the first Friday of each month that school is in session, the planetarium welcomes a scientist from the community into the dome to share his or her expertise. Past topics include nuclear power, microbiology, climatology, and birdwatching. Visit parkland.edu/planetarium for schedule. All talks are at 7 pm, and tickets are $2 at the door.

- **10/7**: Students in PRECS, “Nature & Nurture: Examining How Diverse Organisms Adapt to Changes in their Everyday Environment”
- **11/4**: Dr. Tuğçe Baser, “Harnessing the Heat Beneath Our Feet: Geothermal Energy”
- **12/2**: Dr. Nicholas Anderson, “Trophic Interactions Among Insects”

**Earn your Scout Badges!**
Get help on your Girl Scout Space Science badge or your Boy Scout Astronomy merit badge by attending a workshop at the planetarium. Advance registration is required. Cost is $5 per Scout. Information about the workshops and registration forms can be found at parkland.edu/planetarium.

- **Boy Scout workshop**: November 1, 7-9:30 pm
- **Girl Scout workshop**: November 9, 7-8:30 pm

**See the Real Sky**
Join members of the C-U Astronomical Society at their rural observatory for a peek at the real sky. See the stars and planets through the dome’s 16-inch telescope or go inside Prairie Winds Observatory. All observing events are weather-permitting.

- **October 1** at 7 pm and **October 29** at 6:30 pm
- **Location**: CUAS Observatory, County Road 700E, south of Monticello Road, southwest of Champaign. Visit www.cuas.org for directions.
Giertz Gallery

Each year through its exhibitions and programs, the Giertz Gallery at Parkland College seeks to promote the development of artists’ talent and aesthetic awareness while expanding the audience’s appreciation of various art forms. The gallery presents exhibitions by contemporary artists of regional and national status and seeks to illustrate a wide range of traditional and innovative works in all media.

Open year-round but closed for holidays and during installations, the gallery offers an extensive exhibition calendar that includes six solo and group exhibitions per year. Additional programming features artist receptions, gallery talks, “For Art’s Sake” interviews aired on Parkland College’s television station, and other special programs that complement the exhibitions and enable Giertz Gallery to reach a wider audience. The gallery also offers an annual High School Art Seminar, gallery tours, an artist and curator lecture series, and programs for school groups between kindergarten and 12th grade, college classes, teachers, and community members.

Giertz Gallery’s unique location on the Parkland campus allows students to visualize college life and imagine a possible career in the arts beyond school. The gallery completes the circle by teaching college students to become professionals in the arts and introducing significant visual arts close to home in the Parkland community. These programs can lay the foundation for lifelong support of and interest in the arts.

Fall Exhibition (to be determined)
Monday, October 3–Saturday, November 5
Reception: Thursday, October 6, 2022, 5:30–7:30 pm
Gallery Talk at 6:15 pm

Fall Gallery Hours
Monday–Wednesday 10 AM–5 PM
Thursday 10 AM–7 PM
Saturday noon–2 PM

Closed November 23 (5 pm) and reopens Monday, November 28 for Thanksgiving; Closed December 12 and reopens January 9 for Holiday Break; closed January 16 for MLK Jr. Birthday.

2022 State of the Art:
In Blackest Shade, In Darkest Light
curated by Patrick Hammie
Monday, November 14–Saturday, February 11
Reception: Thursday, November 17, 5:30–7:30 pm
Gallery Talk at 6:15 pm by Patrick Hammie

Curator and participating artist Patrick Hammie is a painter, draftsman, sculptor, and illustrator specializing in portraiture, cultural identity, storytelling, and the body in visual culture. Hammie's projects, interdisciplinary collaborations, and commissions explore his journey through the spaces, relationships, and expectations his Black body navigates to offer stories that expand how we express notions of self, community, and others today. He is an associate professor and chair of studio art at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

In Blackest Shade, In Darkest Light is an exhibition that centers around drawing as a technology from which artists speculate, recover, and collect communal histories, and manifest stories of desired futures from the margins of imagination into the realities of the everyday. The title draws inspiration from DC’s Green Lantern Corps’ oath, “In brightest day, in blackest night, no evil shall escape my sight. Let those who worship evil’s might, beware my power, Green Lantern’s light,” from which members of the fictional space guardians access magical strength and gather the will to challenge adversaries using their imagination. Invited artists, some of whom identify as Black nerds, scholars, and DJs, revel in speculation ranging from horror, Afrofuturism and African futurism, magical realism, Ethno-gothic, science fiction and fantasy, Black quantum futurism, utopias, and dystopias, to superheroes.

All events in the accessible gallery are free and open to the public. Parkland College is a section 504/ADA-compliant institution. For accommodations, call 217/353-2338 or email accessibilityservices@parkland.edu. For more information call 217/351-2485 or visit parkland.edu/gallery.

Giertz Gallery acknowledges support from the Illinois Arts Council Agency.
5 Easy Ways to Register

Many classes have limited seating. Register early!

1. Online
   Use your computer, tablet, or phone to register online, 24 hours a day!
   Go to parkland.edu/ceRegister

2. In Person
   Community Education
   1315 N. Mattis Ave., Champaign
   Mon–Fri, 8 AM–5 PM, except major holidays - CLOSED Sep 5, Nov 24–25, Dec 23–Jan 2

3. Mail
   Parkland College Community Education
   1315 N. Mattis Ave.
   Champaign, IL 61821
   1. Fill out the enclosed enrollment form and include payment (credit/debit card number or enclose check).
   2. Make check payable to Parkland College.

4. Phone
   217/351-2235

5. Fax
   217/351-5928

Payment
- Payment is due at the time of registration.
- Acceptable forms of payment are Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, check, money order, and cash.
- Payment by your company must be authorized on your account.

Refunds
- A credit or refund is available if Parkland College cancels a class.
- To cancel your registration before a class starts, please call 217/351-2235.
- Refunds will be issued to students who cancel the class at least one business day prior to the class start date, unless otherwise noted.
- No refunds will be issued for classes canceled on or after the class start date.

Location
Please note the location of your class. Classes are held at Parkland College, online, and offsite locations.

Accessibility Statement
If you believe you have a disability for which you may need an accommodation (i.e., use of assistive technology or other classroom assistance), please contact Accessibility Services, Parkland College, room U260, 217/353-2338 or accessibility-services@parkland.edu.

Corporate Clients
Let us customize classes at your location or ours at times that best fit your needs. Contact Dave Webb 217/351-2235 or at communityeducation@parkland.edu.

100% Satisfaction Guarantee
If you are not completely satisfied with your class or experience, we will gladly enroll you in a course of equal value. You may also request a full refund by contacting our office within 10 business days of course completion at 217/351-2235.

Use your computer, tablet, or phone to register online, 24 hours a day:
parkland.edu/ceRegister
REGISTRATION FORM
Please print clearly. Missing information will delay your registration.

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Cardholder signature ____________________________

4 CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS

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SAVE TIME—REGISTER ONLINE!
parkland.edu/ceRegister
5 SPECIAL NEEDS/ALLERGY INFORMATION

If any participant has special needs or allergies, please indicate. (Attach list for multiple participants.)

Name: ____________________________________________

Allergies: _________________________________________

Special needs: ____________________________________

Please understand we ask this information to provide the best service possible. We will limit this information to necessary staff only.

6 EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION (REQUIRED for youth programs and trips)

Participant #1: ____________________________________________

Contact: ___________________________ Contact phone: __________

Participant #2: ____________________________________________

Contact: ___________________________ Contact phone: __________

7 WAIVER AND RELEASE (REQUIRED)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Parkland College holds the safety of its students in high regard and is committed to conducting Community Education courses in a safe manner. Parkland College continually strives to reduce such risks and insists that all students follow safety rules and instructions that are designed to ensure everyone’s safety. However, students must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to participate.

WARNING OF RISK

Community Education courses are intended to challenge and engage the student. Depending on the particular activity, students must understand that certain inherent risks always exist. Despite careful and proper preparation of instructors, there is still a risk when participating in courses. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible for Parkland College to guarantee absolute safety.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I understand that there may be certain risks of physical injury, damage or loss which I and/or my dependents may sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities associated with Parkland College courses offered by Community Education. In registering and participating in these courses, I expressly assume the risk and legal liability, waiving and releasing all claims for risk connected with said courses. Furthermore, I grant Parkland College and PCTV permission to record and/or photograph myself or my dependents for future promotion. In addition, I understand that there will be no refunds for classes canceled due to severe weather conditions, power outages, or situations that may affect the safety of the program or Parkland College.

I have read and understand the above important information, warning of risk, and waiver and release of all claims and assumption of risk.

Participant’s name (PLEASE PRINT)

Signature of adult participant or parent/guardian (if participant is under 18 years old) ___________________________ Date __________

Participation may be denied if the signature of adult participant or parent/guardian and date are not on this waiver.

8 RETURN TO:

ONLINE (credit cards only)
parkland.edu/ceRegister

PHONE (credit cards only)
217/351-2235

FAX (credit cards only)
217/351-5928

IN PERSON OR BY MAIL
Parkland College Community Education
1315 N. Mattis Ave., Champaign, IL 61821

QUESTIONS?
Contact us at 217/351-2235 or communityeducation@parkland.edu

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AT PARKLAND COLLEGE
Historic Galena (overnight trip)

Explore one of the “Top 10 Best Small Towns” and stay overnight at Illinois’ oldest operating hotel, the DeSoto House. This two-day excursion will include the opportunity to explore history, shopping, and dining in Galena’s historic downtown with over 100 storefronts. Hosted by Galena native Carrie Harris and Mindy McClusky. Single or Double rooms available. Page 22

Advanced Forklift

Looking for a job that doesn’t have you stuck behind a desk? Are you interested in warehouse and logistics? Explore a career as a forklift operator in this hands-on class. You’ll have plenty of time to practice what you learn and leave ready to start a new job.

- 4 days of training
- Jobs are in high demand
- Opportunities to connect with employers

Start today! Page 31
medical billing and coding
Endless job opportunities! Prepare to take the AHIMA CCA national certification exam.

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