EDUCATION

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

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

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

COLLEGES

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

College of DuPage
Older Adult Institute
425 Fawell Boulevard
Building K, Room 165
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137-6599
(630) 942-2208

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

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

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

National-Louis University
850 Warrenville Road
Lisle, IL 60532
(855) 658-4636
1-888-658-8632

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

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

ELDERHOSTEL/ROAD SCHOLAR

Road Scholar is the name for the programs developed and offered by Elderhostel. A nonprofit organization, Road Scholar offers inexpensive, short-term academic experiences hosted by educational institutions throughout the United States and Canada and in 150 countries around the world. Individuals 55 years of age and older, their spouse of any age, or companions who are at least 50 are welcome to participate. A limited number of scholarships are available for programs within the United States. Catalogs can be mailed by request and are available in every public library in the United States.

Illinois Elderhostel
11 Avenue de Lafayette
Boston, MA 02111
1-800-454-5768
www.roadscholar.org

LIBRARIES

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

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

ADDISON

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

AURORA

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

BARTLETT

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

BENSENVILLE

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

BLOOMINGDALE

Bloomingdale Public Library
101 Fairfield Way
Bloomingdale, IL 60108
(630) 529-3120

CAROL STREAM

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

CLARENDON HILLS

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

DARIEN

♥Indian Prairie Public Library
401 Plainfield Road
Darien, IL 60561
(630) 887-8760

DOWNERS GROVE

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

ELMHURST

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

GLENDALE HEIGHTS

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

GLEN ELLYN

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

HANOVER PARK

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

Poplar Creek Public Library
4300 Audrey Lane
Hanover Park, IL 60133
(630) 372-0052

HINSDALE

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

ITASCA

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

LISLE

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

LOMBARD

Helen M. Plum Memorial Library
110 W. Maple Street
Lombard, IL 60148
(630) 627-0316

NAPERVILLE

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

♥**Nichols Library**
200 W. Jefferson Avenue
Naperville, IL 60540
(630) 961-4100

95th Street Library
3015 Cedar Glade Drive
Naperville, IL 60564
(630) 961-4100

OAK BROOK

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

ROSELLE

♥**Roselle Public Library**
40 S. Park Street
Roselle, IL 60172
(630) 529-1641

VILLA PARK

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

WARRENVILLE

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

WEST CHICAGO

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

WESTMONT

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

WHEATON

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

WOOD DALE

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

WINFIELD

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

WOODRIDGE

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

Voices of Vision Talking Book Center
C/O DuPage Library System
127 S. First Street
Geneva, IL 60134
1-800-227-0625

Free library service for anyone unable to comfortably read standard print due to a visual or physical impairment. Materials are delivered to eligible readers by mail (postage free). Audio machines are available also as well as access to downloadable books and magazines 24/7. Applications are accepted at Talking Book Centers, Illinois public libraries or online at **www.ilbph.org**.

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Retro-Tech Inc.
625 W. Main Street
Peoria, IL 61606
(309) 682-0675
www.retro-tech.org

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