

SPRING 2022 Class Catalog

Local 1010 Joblink - bkjoblink.org and Riverdale
Local 1011 Leon Lynch - ihlearningcenter.org



Building the HVAC Lab at Leon Lynch.

Registration begins March 21, 2022.

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3 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER

Local 1010 Members

- 1 PHONE**
Call (219) 399-8135 or (219) 399-8136
- 2 ONLINE** Log on to bkjoblink.org
- 3 WALK-IN**
Office location-hours:
Joblink Learning Center
3333 Michigan Ave.
East Chicago, IN 46312
MON-FRI 8:00am to 4:00pm

Local 1010 Members (Riverdale)

- PHONE**
Call (708) 392-1083
- FAX**
(708) 392-1193

REGISTRATION

BEGINS **MONDAY** **March 21**



Local 1011 Members

- 1 PHONE**
Call (219) 398-9363 ext. 112
- 2 ONLINE** Log on to ihlearningcenter.org
Fax (219) 354-0853
- 3 WALK-IN**
Office location & hours:
Leon Lynch Learning Center
1410 Broadway Street
East Chicago, IN 46312
MON-FRI 8:00am to 4:00pm

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Did you know that you are eligible to take classes at other sites?

Check out their website to peruse their catalog of classes.

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technical



Appliance Repair

12wks

This introductory class will teach students how to operate and maintain their home appliances such as washers, dryers, ranges, microwaves, and refrigerators. Expect a hands-on class where students will learn to break down, troubleshoot and repair major appliances. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-March 30 to June 15

8am-11am or 4pm-7pm

Location: 4728 Hohman Ave, Hammond, IN 46327

Instructor: Roland Alvarez

◆ Build Your Own Guitar

9wks

This class will teach traditional woodworking techniques using both hand and woodshop power tools to learn about the science and craft of lutherie (string-based musical instrument construction). We will apply understanding about the physics of vibration energy, the mathematics of fret board design, the mechanical properties of various woods, and engineering principles to construct a quality acoustic or electric guitar, ukulele, or other braced-type string instrument. Students receive a \$100 wood stipend, additional material costs to the student are dependent upon the instrument chosen. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-May 19 to July 28

No Class: 1 day TBD

9am-1pm or 3pm-7pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: David Dolak

◆ Electrical Open Safety Lab

4wks

This class is a hands-on, lecture and discussion class to address any electrical safety or tasks that individuals may be concerned about or are having issues on solving their own electrical problems. Safety videos and products that are available to the public will be demonstrated. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-June 2 to June 23

8am-11am or 3:30pm-6:30pm

Location: JobLink Instructor: Bill Cameon

Epoxy Resin Class

4wks

Epoxy is a two-part system used in creating art in many forms. Come and learn how to make glitter and faux wood grain coasters and tumblers. We will be making wine glasses that look like they were done in glass blowing class. Wine charms, bookmarks and luggage tags will also be made by using silicone forms. You won't believe all the pieces you can make to either sell or give away as gifts. It just takes some knowledge of the products and a little time. Prerequisites: None

Fridays-June 3 to June 24

10am-1pm or 2pm-5pm

Location: JobLink Instructor: Kim Riley

NEW

Epoxy Resin Class

1wk

Students will be learning how to mix and properly measure epoxy. They will be using alcohol ink, mica powders and acrylic paint to create stunning glassware, wine charms, and coasters. You will be able to customize your pieces using the many colors available with these three mediums. You will also be making a tray to display your projects on using a cabinet door and some handles. Your set will be ready for entertaining this summer. Prerequisites: None

Saturday-June 11

9am-2pm

Location: Joblink Instructor: Kim Riley

NEW

◆ Lawn Equipment Maintenance & Repair

12wks

Spring/summer is here and the harsh winter is just a memory. The trouble your snowblower gave you is not. Here is your opportunity to save big by bringing your equipment to class for tune-ups, minor repairs, or complete overhauls. Mowers, tractors, tillers, chain saws, trimmers, blowers, and that snowblower you struggled with last winter. This is a good time to repair all of these machines. Bring your equipment to this twelve-week class and learn to make the necessary repairs. You will save the labor charge (\$60-\$75 per hour). Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-April 7 to June 23

8am-11am or 3pm-6pm

Location: JobLink Instructor: Michael Daly

Thursdays-June 30 to September 22

No Class: July 28

8am-11am or 3pm-6pm

Location: JobLink Instructor: Michael Daly

technical



Lawn Equipment: Quick Repair

3wks

Spring/summer is here and the harsh winter is just a memory. The trouble your snowblower gave you is not. Here is your opportunity to save big by bringing your equipment to class for tune-ups, minor repairs, or complete overhauls. Mowers, tractors, tillers, chain saws, trimmers, blowers, and that snowblower you struggled with last winter. This is a good time to repair all of these machines. Prerequisites: None

Mondays- May 2 to May 16

May 23 to June 13

No Class: May 30

June 27 to July 18

No Class: July 4

August 1 to August 15

8am-11am or 3pm-6pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Michael Daly



MTE Prep

12wks

This 12-week course will introduce students to topics related to industrial electrical maintenance and troubleshooting of AC/DC circuits and motors, print reading, analog and digital circuits, test equipment, computers, DC crane control, power distribution, PLC's, power supplies, transformers, instrumentation and hydraulics. This course is for people who want to take the Ramsay test or get a better understanding of MTE Principals. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-June 9 to August 25

9am-12pm or 3:30pm-6:30pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Joseph Hynek

Use Your Benefit

Besides the classes in this catalog, you can use your benefit for classes that lead to a certificate, license or degree from an accredited institution. Your benefit will pay for these online providers:

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Morgan Stanley
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Rosetta Stone
TPC
Tooling You

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[Masterclass.com](https://www.masterclass.com)
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Interested in Mechanical, Electrical or Instrumentation?

Now you can access hundreds of online courses through

ISA Cyber U

woodworking



◆ Custom Projects 15wks

Custom Projects gives you access to Joblink's "state of the art" woodshop to build something not listed in the catalog, or to finish a project from a previous class. Bring in your ideas, and images of something you would like to build, and we will combine all the best ideas into an accurate 3D rendering. Get inspired by wood choices, finishes, and other projects in the shop. Learn how to use all the machinery and some hot tricks to work better and faster! Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-May 4 to August 10
9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Dale Meiners

◆ DIY Summer Projects 12wks

With springtime comes many outdoor activities. In this class you will be able to build a project or projects to address some of your outdoor spaces. You may like to build a raised garden, flower boxes, a bench or a swing. Bring your ideas and experience the satisfaction of building it yourself. Prerequisites: None

Mondays-May 2 to August 1
No Class: May 30 July 4
9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Nick Nash

◆ Sofa Shelves 15wks

In this class we will be building simple shelving to fit behind your sofa. You will have a place to set your coffee, books, and the remote to charge your phone. We will add USB charging outlets so you can both set your phone on the shelf and charge it. Come to class with the length and height of your couch, so we can get started. Prerequisites: None

Tuesdays-May 3 to August 9
9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Dale Meiners



◆ Look For the Diamond

If space is available, any class with a diamond (◆) next to the title is a class open to spouses of active Local 1010 and 1011 and retired Local 1010 and 1011 steelworkers. Classes without a diamond next to them are for active steelworkers only.

Tino Fulimeni Scholarship

Mariana Maldonado

Daughter of Andres Maldonado
USW Local 1010
 Cleveland Cliffs-Indiana Harbor East

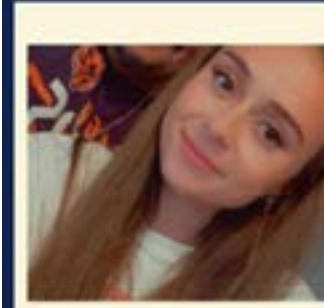


Mariana is a senior at Crown Point High School. She plans on studying kinesiology and become a physical therapist.

"I'm extremely proud to be the daughter of a Steelworker. My dad has always been a great example of humility, hard work, perseverance, and determination."

Mia Rivera

Daughter of Wilfredo Rivera
USW Local 1010
 Cleveland Cliffs-Indiana Harbor East



Mia is a junior pursuing a degree in sociology with a focus on criminal justice at Purdue University Northwest.

"Not only has my dad shown me how to be a good person, but also how to be a hard and dedicated worker."

Congratulations to all the winners!

Savanna Steele

Daughter of Gregorio Ortiz
USW Local 1011
 Cleveland Cliffs-Indiana Harbor West



Savanna is a freshman majoring in communications with a minor in photography at Columbia College. My father went all in when it comes to work and taking care of the family. He's shaped me into the person I am today."

Tino Fulimeni Scholarship Fund

Scholarships will be awarded to children/grandchildren of Steelworkers by the ICD.

Application deadline is September 15, 2022.

You may submit an application online at icdlearning.org.

For additional information, please visit or call your learning center.

business



Business Planning I: How to Develop a Business Plan

8wks

This is an introductory course in developing a business plan that requires no previous knowledge of the business planning process. This course will provide you with the ability to learn what is involved in developing a plan for a successful small business. You will learn about an operational plan, personnel planning, and finally a marketing and financial plan. Spouses may attend at no cost. Planning is the key to any business venture. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-May 5 to June 23
8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: Scott Williams

Business Planning II: Fine Tuning Your Business Plan

8wks

This course allows the participant the opportunity to complete an initial draft of a business plan. The initial draft will include an operational plan, a management plan, a marketing plan, as well as, a financial plan. The financial plan will include a comprehensive sales forecast, a profit and loss projection and a cash flow projection. Spouses may attend at no charge. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-June 30 to August 25
No Class: July 21
8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: Scott Williams

◆ Strategic Real Estate Investing

2wks

This course will encompass core real estate investing fundamentals necessary to understand how to invest in real estate. Students will have a full understanding of Indiana laws regarding real estate, the criteria needed in order to invest in real estate, as well as a variety of real estate terminology. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-May 5 to May 12
10am-12pm or 3pm-5pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Cory Armand

◆ Social Security 101

1wk

Have you ever wondered how Social Security benefits are calculated and what you will receive? From its humble beginnings during the Great Depression, Social Security has been serving the changing needs of the citizens of the United States since 1935. Social Security has a long and interesting history in the politics and landscape of the American public. A whopping 94% of American workers are a part of the system. Get a crash course in Social Security 101. Learn about Retirement, Disability, Medicare and more. Find out the easiest way to get a replacement Social Security or Medicare card. Prerequisites: None

Monday-May 2
10am-12pm or 3pm-5pm

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Monday-June 6
10am-12pm or 3pm-5pm
Location: Online/Joblink
Instructor: Daniel Summer

◆ Taking Stock In Your Life & Finances 6wks

The intention of this course is to introduce new-found confidence and understanding of the markets and how they may affect individuals in their financial growth and retirement. The course will teach students how to remove the media noise and biased opinions from the news heard and seen daily. Students will learn to make financial decisions with clearer minds, based on probabilities of success and reduced risk. Students will learn to trade the stock market from very basic concepts to more advanced trading strategies. Students will also learn how to build strong lists of stock and mutual funds. Prerequisites: Computer available for viewing classes, in the comfort of the student home, if desired. Each student, once registered for class by Joblink, shall submit their emails to tomcook1124@gmail.com, in order to be admitted into each live class session.

Tuesdays-May 10 to June 14
10am-12pm or 4pm-6pm
Location: Online/Joblink
Instructor: William Thomas Cook II

business



Using Video to Support Your Business 6wks

More than ever before, video is an integral part of every aspect of our lives. Statistics prove that businesses utilizing video in their overall promotional strategy have greater reach and longevity than those who do not use video. When most of us think of videos for business, we think of advertisements. While video ads are the most dominant business videos we see, they are not the only ways to use video. Video can be used for product demos, client testimonials, tutorials, interviews and other purposes. This class is designed to help you incorporate video in your business. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-May 4 to June 15
No Class: May 18
8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: Zernul Shackelford

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Understanding & Optimizing: Your Investment Choices

5wks

In this course, you will learn about options for investing in your 401K. The ultimate goal is for students to obtain knowledge that will help them develop a portfolio, and strategies that will help them achieve their financial goals for retirement. This is a zoom class. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-May 25 to June 22
9am-12pm or 3:30pm-6:30pm
Location: Online/Joblink
Instructor: Phil Seki

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REGISTRATION

BEGINS **MONDAY** March **21**

Use Your Benefit
 Become a Home Inspector
 Online Self-Paced and Live Classes Available



Inspection Certification Associates



personal development



Charcuterie Workshop

1wk

Do you love meat and cheese? This class is for you! Learn how to create a charcuterie arrangement with various meat and cheese pairings. Then, you will paint and stain a wooden tray with the colors and stencil design of your choice! Please register by August 2, and email Lauren at cheeseandcrafters0@gmail.com with your design selection. Visit <https://www.cheeseandcrafters.com/woodensigngallery/woodtray> for design options. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-August 9

5pm-8pm

Location: Cheese & Crafters

104 E. Joliet St., Schererville, IN 46375

Instructor: Lauren Dinterman

Cheese From the Alps

4wks

The European Alps are home to many ooey-goey melting cheeses. Start to discover them in France and make a great french onion soup with Comte. Create your own Swiss fondue by slowly melting Gruyere, Emmentaler and Appenzeller and eat with crusty bread. Staying in Switzerland, we learn about Raclette and have a Raclette party with baby potatoes, vegetables, mushrooms. Create your own combination. Prerequisites: None

Tuesdays-May 10 to May 31

10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Razvan M. Bancos

Cooking With an Instantpot With Your Kids

1wk

Bring your kids (limit 2) to this class and learn how to make three incredible recipes. You and your child will be doing all of the cooking, and eating. Once you cook in the Instantpot, you will not go back to "normal cooking" again. Prerequisites: None

Saturday-June 11

9am-12pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Chris Turner

NEW



Container Gardening

1wk

Butterflies and hummingbirds are not only beautiful but essential to our eco system. Together we will learn how to attract these to your yard. We will assemble a pot garden specifically arranged for them. You can take it home for your own patio. You will learn a few secrets to keeping them low maintenance & blooming all season. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-May 24

9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Lee Ann Bultema



Easy Guitar V4

12wks

Guitarists of all levels are invited to join our Easy Guitar group. We encourage guitarists with no experience, guitarists who used to play and would like to start again, experienced players from our core group and everyone skill level in between to take advantage of this unique learning experience from the award winning Eric Lambert and JobLink. Since we are Live and Online we utilize one on one instruction in the classroom as well as video instruction online. Eric is on call via email, text and Zoom to answer questions and to demonstrate techniques that may be challenging to a student. Prerequisites: Own a guitar and a smile :)

Mondays-May 2 to August 1

No Class: May 30 July 4

11am-12pm or 2pm-3pm or 3:15pm-4:15pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Eric Lambert



personal development

◆ Keep Crocheting

4wks

Beginners and intermediate crocheters welcome! You will be able to choose your project based on your skill level. Your instructor can teach you just about any stitch you want to learn. You will learn how to follow a written pattern and through demonstrations. Have fun and learn to relax with what might become a lifelong hobby. Tools and yarn will be provided. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-July 21 to August 11

9am-11am or 3:15pm-5:15pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Paulette Mezo

[Learn to Play the Piano/Keyboard:](#)

[Levels 1, 2, 3, or 4](#)

10wks

This class is designed for all levels of piano students. Learning and playing the piano/keyboard can open up an incredible door of creativity for you, as well as a fulfilling life of music making. Learn from an instructor with over 45 years of playing experience and over 30 years of teaching experience. The instructor will work with groups and individuals based on their piano level. This class is available on site, or can be Zoomed with instructor online, or can be a hybrid class (on site and/or Zoom) in case you cannot make it to class due to your schedule. Prerequisites: None

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Tuesdays-May 17 to July 19

10am-11:15am or 3:30pm-4:45pm

Location: Leon Lynch

Instructor: Frances Zahariadis

Perennials That Work

1wk

Do you want to enjoy flowers you do not have to fuss over and grow every year in your landscape to beautify your home? Come learn how you can incorporate these plants to add to your summer blooms. Whether on your patio or landscape you will not be disappointed in these sure to grow perennials. Go home with a pot you have created to add to your summer beautification. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-June 7

9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Lee Ann Bultema

◆ Piano/Keyboarding Open Lab

1wk

The purpose of this Open Lab is to acquaint students with the piano/keyboard by giving them the opportunity to ask questions and also address possible challenges they may be facing. The instructor will have extra materials and exercises available to help you focus on piano skills that need strengthening. This class is available to past piano/keyboarding students and is a great opportunity to prepare you for the next level of piano/keyboarding. Prerequisites: Must have taken or currently taking Learning to Play the Piano/Keyboard classes (Any Level)

Thursdays- May 12, May 26, June 9, June 23, July 14, July 28, August 04, August 11

1pm-5pm

Location: Leon Lynch Instructor: Frances Zahariadis

Resin & Beach Art

1wk

Resin and beach art is a very popular art form. Students will be given a variety of items for their projects i.e., star fish, shells, beach glass, sand, beach rocks and grasses to create a one-of-a-kind project. You will learn how to measure and properly mix epoxy, design and customize your own layout and learn how to make the illusion of water and waves using alcohol ink and a heat gun. Prerequisites: None

NEW

Saturday-June 4

9am-1pm

Location: JobLink Instructor: Kim Riley

Round Front Door Sign Class

1wk

If you've always wanted to make a beautiful sign for your front door but you're not sure how to start, then we have the answer! All materials and instruction are supplied including greenery and ribbon. All you have to do is show up and get ready to amaze yourself with your newfound artistic abilities. You must register by June 15th at the latest, so that you are able to choose your project before the class starts. You can find all of the choices here: <https://www.cheeseandcrafters.com/woodensigngallery/roundsigns>. Please email cheeseandcrafters0@gmail.com with your selection. Prerequisites: None

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Wednesday-June 22

5pm-8pm

Location: Cheese & Crafters, LLC

104 E. Joliet St., Schererville, IN 46375

Instructor: Lauren Dinterman

personal development



Spring Sign Workshop

1wk

If you've always wanted to make your own beautiful wood sign but you're not sure how to start, then we have the answer! All materials and instruction are supplied. All you have to do is show up and get ready to amaze yourself with your newfound artistic abilities. Make any sign in our gallery. You must register by May 10th at the latest, so that you are able to choose your project before the class starts. You can find all of the choices here:

<https://www.cheeseandcrafters.com/woodensigngallery>. Please email cheeseandcrafters0@gmail.com with your selection. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-May 17
5pm-8pm

Location: Cheese & Crafters, LLC
104 E. Joliet St., Schererville, IN 46375
Instructor: Lauren Dinterman

Spring Stained Glass

8wks

We specialize in the copper foil technique which is necessary for building the smallest projects to the largest. Students can be as creative as their imaginations will allow. They will learn to coordinate glass, jewels and bevels to create a seasonal piece for the upcoming holidays or a traditional panel that will add a flair to any room. Prerequisites: None

Mondays-May 2 to June 27
No Class: May 30

10am-12:30pm or 2:30pm-5pm
Location: SunCatchers Inc 1348 119th St Whiting, IN
Instructor: Margarita Otero / Edie Rauner

Tropical Gardening

1wk

Tropical plants make a stunning addition to your yard; low maintenance, colorful and sun loving. Come learn how to add a few of these to your garden and attract humming birds. Go home with a container to add pizzazz to your patio! Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-May 31
9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Lee Ann Bultema

NEW

Vegetable & Herbs

1wk

Growing your own food is healthy! Knowing how to grow, prepare and preserve is easy. Knowing where your food source comes from and harvested is so rewarding. Let me help you get started and be successful. You will take a pot home of your own to grow or replant. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-May 10
9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Lee Ann Bultema

Vintage Succulents

1wk

Vintage succulent plantings is my specialty. I do hundreds of them each year. They are funky and fun. Succulents can be tucked into vintage pieces to make a unique planting. We will put one of these together and learn how to take care of the latest craze succulents! You will go home with a planting of your own that you can keep or give away for a gift. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-June 14
9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Lee Ann Bultema

~ Spouse Participation ~

Did you know in order for a spouse of an active steelworker to take a class, the active steelworker must have taken **AND** completed a class yearly **BEFORE** the spouse can register?

skill building



◆ Fundamentals of Beekeeping: Hive Management

1wk

Full-time beekeeper, Nicky Jones, is offering this follow up class to Fundamentals of Beekeeping: Getting Started. By the time this course is offered, you should be a new beekeeper with an equally new colony of honeybees or possess a basic understanding of what it is to be a beekeeper and how to get started. This is a deeper dive into managing a colony of honeybees. We will cover topics such as performing a hive inspection, controlling pests and parasites, identifying and treating disease, and wax and honey production. Prerequisites: None

NEW

Wednesday-May 4
9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm
Location: JobLink **Instructor:** Nicky Jones

How to Travel Free & Safely During These Unparalleled Times

L-S

1wk

We're ready to get back to our travels! Where can we go now during COVID and how do we make our travel free and safe? National speaker Gina Henry will show you how she is traveling. She is the author of "How To Travel Free & Safely" and teaches in 90 cities nationwide. Learn about reward credit cards, volunteering, fun-work vacation jobs, mystery shopping & more. Plus learn about the deep travel discounts being offered right now to motivate us to book travel. Earn free airline tickets, hotel nights, tours and more in the USA and worldwide! Class includes Gina's 100-page digital book. This is a Zoom class. Prerequisites: None

Wednesday-May 18 **Monday-August 8**
10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm **10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm**

Location: Online/JobLink **Instructor:** Gina Henry

◆ JobLink Book Club

1wk

Join us for an enriching experience - read and discuss high interest books. This is not just for avid readers but also for those who just need a little push to read a book. Our discussions are always lively, fun and informative. How to join? Just register a month or so ahead of the discussion date, so you can get a copy of the book and have time to read it. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-May 10 **Tuesday-July 12**
3:15pm-5:15pm **3:15pm-5:15pm**

Location: JobLink **Instructor:** Marcia Taylor

◆ Mindful Stress Management

4wks

A calm and focused body and mind are the keys to success. Students participating in this class will learn techniques to help them manage stress, anxiety, sleeping problems, and depressive episodes. Students will obtain a working knowledge of the concepts of mindfulness, meditation and neuroplasticity. We will learn about ACEs (adverse childhood experiences) and how they can affect mental and physical health. Students will receive a booklet of resources as well as a grateful journal. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-June 2 to June 23
8am-9am or 3:30pm-4:30pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Robin Sizemore

NEW

◆ Spanish I

6wks

Have you ever tried to learn Spanish? It's not an easy task, but when it is fun, you find you can do it. Learn the basics of Spanish pronunciation and conversational phrases in this six-week class. Class is at JobLink, but also available over Zoom. Besides the Wednesday class, there will be a recorded practice session every week for additional practice. See you there - en la clase de español. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-April 20 to May 25
10am-11:30am or 3:30pm-5pm
Location: Online/JobLink **Instructor:** Marcia Taylor

L-S

The Secrets of Travel-Hacking: Free Air, Hotels, & Cash Back

L-S

1wk

Earn thousands of airline frequent flyer miles and hotel reward points without ever stepping foot on a plane or paying for a hotel. Flights and hotels are typically the most expensive part of your vacation budget. National speaker Gina Henry will show you how she is traveling free using reward credit cards. She is the author of "The Secrets of Travel-Hacking: Free Air, Hotels, & Cash Back" and teaches in 90 cities nationwide. Learn easy beginner strategies, then graduate to more advanced strategies. All the major reward programs will be detailed. Class includes Gina's 80 page digital book. This is a Zoom class. Prerequisites: None

Thursday-May 19 **Tuesday-August 9**
10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm **10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm**
Location: Online/Joblink **Instructor:** Gina Henry

JOBLINK LEARNING CENTER - OFFICE BUILDING

	Room B Door 5	Room C Live & Online	Room D	Joblink Kitchen
Mon	<p>♦ Social Security 101 May 2 10am-12pm or or 3pm-5pm (S.S. 101 Online Zoom)</p> <p>♦ Social Security 101 June 6 10am-12pm or 3pm-5pm</p> <p>How to Travel Free & Safely During These Unparalleled Times (Online Zoom) August 8 10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm</p>	<p>Easy Guitar V4 May 2 to August 1 No Class: May 30 & July 4 11am-12pm or 2pm-3pm or 3:15pm-4:15pm</p>	<p>Windows 11 Preview & Upgrade June 27 to July 18 No Class: July 4 9am-11:30am or 3:30pm-6pm</p>	
Tues	<p>♦ Taking Stock In Your Life & Finances May 10 to June 14 10am-12pm or 4pm-6pm</p> <p>Introduction to Home Automation Using Amazon Echo Devices July 12 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm</p> <p>The Secrets of Travel-Hacking Free Air, Hotels, & Cash Back (Online Zoom) August 9 10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm</p>	<p>♦ Book Club May 10 3:15pm-5:15pm</p> <p>♦ Book Club July 12 3:15pm-5:15p</p>	<p>Fighting Spyware, Viruses, Malware and How to Remove Them May 10 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm</p>	<p>Cheese From the Alps May 10 to May 31 10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm</p>
Wed	<p>How to Travel Free & Safely During These Unparalleled Times (Online Zoom) May 18 10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm</p> <p>Introduction to Home Automation using Amazon Echo Devices July 13 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm</p>	<p>♦ Spanish I April 20 to May 25 10am-11:30am or 3:30pm-5pm</p>	<p>♦ Fundamentals of Beekeeping May 4 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm</p> <p>Fighting Spyware, Viruses, Malware and How to Remove Them May 11 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm</p> <p>Understanding & Optimizing Your Investment Choices (Online Zoom) May 25 to June 22 9am-12pm or 3:30pm-6:30pm</p> <p>Microsoft Excel Introduction June 29 to July 20 9am-11:30am or 3:30pm-6pm</p>	<p>Nutritional Therapy Program May 4, May 18, June 1, June 15 11am-1pm or 2:30pm-3:30pm</p>
Thur	<p>♦ Strategic Real Estate Investing May 5 to May 12 10am-12pm or 3pm-5pm</p> <p>The Secrets of Travel-Hacking Free Air, Hotels, & Cash Back (Online Zoom) May 19 10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm</p> <p>♦ Keep Crocheting July 21 to August 11 9am-11am or 3:15pm-5:15pm</p>	<p>MTE Prep June 9 to August 25 9am-12pm or 3:30pm-6:30pm</p>	<p>Improve Your Health May 5, May 26, June 16, July 21 10am-11:30am or 2:30pm-4pm</p>	
Fri				
Sat				<p>Cooking With an Instantpot With Your Kids June 11 9am-12pm</p>

JOBLINK LEARNING CENTER - EXPANSION BUILDING

	Room E & F Door 5	Lab I Door 5	Lab II Door 5	Lab III Door 7	Lab IV & V Door 15
Mon			<p>♦ DIY Summer Projects May 2 to August 1 No Class: May 30 & July 4 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm</p>		<p>Lawn Equipment Quick Repair May 2 to May 16 May 23 to June 13 No Class: May 30 June 27 to July 18 No Class: July 4 Aug.1 to Aug. 15 8am-11am or 3pm-6pm</p>
Tues	<p>Vegetable & Herbs May 10 9am-10:30am or 3-4:30pm</p> <p>Container Gardening May 24 9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm</p> <p>Tropical Gardening May 31 9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm</p>	<p>Perennials That Work June 7 9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm</p> <p>Vintage Succulents June 14 9am-10:30am or 3pm-4:30pm</p>		<p>♦ Woodshop Sofa Shelves May 3 to August 9 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm</p>	
Wed	<p>♦ Yoga Basics May 18 to July 29 3:30pm-4:30pm</p>			<p>♦ Woodshop Custom Projects May 4 to August 10 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm</p>	
Thur	<p>♦ Mindful Stress Management June 2 to June 23 8am-9am or 3:30pm-4:30pm</p>		<p>♦ Electrical Open Safety Lab June 2 to June 23 8am-11am or 3:30pm-6:30pm</p>	<p>♦ Build Your own Guitar May 19 to July 28 No Class: TBD 9am-1pm or 3pm-7pm</p>	<p>♦ Lawn Equipment Maintenance and Repair April 7 to June 23 8am-11am or 3pm-6pm</p> <p>♦ Lawn Equipment Maintenance and Repair June 30 to September 22 No Class: July 28 8am-11am or 3pm-6pm</p>
Fri	<p>♦ Yoga Gentle Seated May 18 to July 29 3:30pm-4:30pm</p>	<p>Epoxy Resin Class June 3 to June 24 10am-1pm or 2pm-5pm</p>			
Sat	<p>Resin & Beach Art June 4 9am-1pm</p>	<p>Epoxy Resin Class June 11-9am-2pm</p>			

LEON LYNCH LEARNING CENTER - OFFICE BUILDING

	Upstairs Classroom	Downstairs classroom Rich Henry or John Hartman	Live & Online	Garage
Mon				
Tues	<p>Setup HD Video Recorder and Record with TV Antenna for Free May 31 8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm</p> <p>Android TV Box June 14 to June 22 No Class: June 15 8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm</p> <p>Laser Engraving July 5 to July 19 8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm</p>	<p>Learn to Play the Piano/Keyboard Levels 1, 2, 3, or 4 May 17 to July 19 10am-11:15am or 3:30pm-4:45pm</p> <p>iPhone Tips and Tricks May 17 to May 24 8am-11am or 3:30pm-6:30pm</p> <p>3D Printing 101 July 26 to August 9 8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm</p>		
Wed	<p>Desktop PC or Laptop Upgrade and Repair May 18 to June 8 8am-10:30am or 7pm-9:30pm</p> <p>Android TV Box June 14 to June 22 No Class: June 15 8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm</p>	<p>3D Printing 101 July 26 to August 9 8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm</p>	<p>Using Video to Support Your Business May 4 to June 15 No Class: May 18 8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm</p>	
Thur	<p>♦ Technical Open Lab May 12, May 19 June 16, June 23 July 7, July 14 August 4, August 11 8am-10:30am or 4:30pm-7pm</p> <p>Cut the Cable: Build Your Own Digital TV Antenna May 26 8am-10am or 3:30pm-5:30pm</p>	<p>Full Spectrum Wellness May 5 to June 9 8am-9am or 7pm-8pm</p> <p>Piano/Keyboarding Open Lab May 12, May 26 June 9, June 23 July 14, July 28 August 4, August 11 1pm-5pm</p>	<p>Business Planning I: How to Develop a Business Plan May 5 to June 23 8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm</p> <p>Business Planning II: Fine Tuning Your Business Plan June 30 to August 25 No Class: July 21 8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm</p>	
Fri				



fitness

Full Spectrum Health & Wellness

6wks

Nutritional Therapy Program

4wks

Full Spectrum Wellness is a comprehensive program designed to educate on the importance of nutrition and exercise. Those attending will learn the role of health, nutrition, physical activity, and wellness in daily life. Topics include: assessment of one's personal health, nutrition and meal preparation, improving personal fitness, and identifying changes and practical application that will enhance lifelong health. A one-year membership to Full Spectrum Fitness is included upon completion of this course. Members will be provided with a fitness center tour and machine/apparatus demonstration. Prerequisites: None

Learn to live your best life through diet and movement changes. Students will gain the tools needed to learn how to better navigate day to day activities that may be holding them back from becoming their healthiest self. Establish health goals and achieve them while learning how to shop smarter when buying food, how to cook healthier, and how to decode what ingredients you are putting into your body. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-May 4 to June 15
No Class: May 11 May 25 June 8
11am-1pm or 2:30pm-4:30pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Desiree Brummett

NEW

Thursdays-May 5 to June 9
8am-9am or 7pm-8pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: John Brant

Improve Your Health

12wks

This 12-week life-changing program is a systems approach to healing. Based on the model used by the Cleveland Clinic Center for Functional Medicine. This 12-week program will help you discover the root cause of chronic conditions. The premise of Functional Medicine is that the root cause of chronic disease is a combo of nutrient deficiencies, toxins, food sensitivities, or underlying infections. The 12-weeks of classes are online, and the four discussions are optional extra learning activities where students can ask questions about lessons etc. Live class dates: 5/5, 5/26, 6/16, 7/21. Prerequisites: None

♦ Yoga

11wks

Two classes instead of just one! We are now offering the option of traditional on the floor mat yoga combined with modified chair yoga, all in one session. Classes are still on same days as before. Wednesday is Basic Yoga and Friday is Gentle Seated Yoga. Come to one or the other - your choice or better yet BOTH! David makes it fun, easy to follow, and comfortable for any level of fitness or ability providing relaxed, gentle, effective modifications. Beginners are welcomed and encouraged! Prerequisites: None

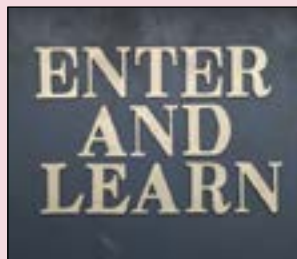
Wednesdays AND Fridays-May 18 to July 29
3:30pm-4:30pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: David Potesta

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Thursdays-May 5 to July 21
10am-11:30am or 2:30pm-4pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Desiree Brummett

REGISTRATION
BEGINS **MONDAY** March **21**

technology



3D Printing 101

3wks

This class will take you through the essentials of 3D printing. We will explore 3D printer hardware and the print process and then examine the software that enables you to create, modify, and print 3D models. You will also get some insights into 3D scanning technologies and what is coming up in the world of 3D printing. We will use free software and free apps that let you create 3D objects into 3D models. Prerequisites: None

Tuesdays AND Wednesdays-July 26 to August 9
8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: George Zahariadis

Android TV Box: Latest Version

2wks

The Android TV Box 4K turns your TV into a fully featured "smart" device. This box is Netflix and Google Certified, supports Google Assistant, has Wi-Fi and ethernet port, USB 3.0, Bluetooth, full HD 4K & 1080p output and supports multiple external devices with Dolby audio. We will learn how to download, install, update & upgrade apps and Kodi. The student cost for class is \$30. This must be paid by the student at the first class, if you wish to have an Android TV Box system to take home with you. Android TV Box systems will be provided in classroom for those who wish to not purchase a system. Prerequisites: None

Tuesdays AND Wednesdays-June 14 to June 22
No Class: June 15
8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: George Zahariadis

Cut the Cable: Build Your Own Digital TV Antenna

1wk

Cable bills busting the budget? You may be missing out on free TV. Using scrap wire with stock lumber, build a slick homemade antenna and stay tuned. We have been able to catch over 30 channels with this antenna that you can build in class. Come and build your own digital TV antenna and see what you are able to watch on TV for free, rather than paying those monthly cable bills. Prerequisites: None

Thursday-May 26
8am-10am or 3:30pm-5:30pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: George Zahariadis

Desktop PC or Laptop Upgrade & Repair

4wks

Having troubles with your PC or laptop and need repairs, upgrades, or just tweaking so it functions more efficiently? Want to see if your system is Windows 11 compatible? Bring your desktop or laptop to class to fix possible issues or upgrade for optimal performance. Students will work with their systems and help each other on different desktop and/or laptop issues and upgrades and learn via lecture and hands on. This class is primarily hands on. A \$50 credit towards hardware such as SSD drive or RAM memory will be applied on your hardware purchases to upgrade your system. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-May 18 to June 8
8am-10:30am or 7pm-9:30pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: George Zahariadis



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technology



Fighting Spyware, Viruses, Malware & How to Remove Them

1wk

Learn about all the weapons you need to battle malicious software and win. There are as many as twenty-eight spyware programs running on the average home computer like yours. That's a lot of people prying into what's on your PC, and your internet connection is a virtual welcome mat. During this class, you can learn how invasions occur, spot an infestation, repair damage that's already done, and slam the door on those who want to hijack your computer and your wallet. Prerequisites: Participant would be bringing their own computer to second session to remove viruses. (It's not required)

Tuesday AND Wednesday-May 10 AND 11
9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Joe Knezovich

Introduction to Home Automation Using Amazon Echo Devices

1wk

Start your smart home from lights and plugs to thermostats and cameras. Alexa can help make your home smarter and more automated by simplifying your everyday routines. Learn to control smart devices in your home with your voice or away on vacation with your phone. Understanding what's important to you and a few relatively inexpensive products will deliver most of the conveniences and safety that a high-end smart home can deliver, and on a much more modest budget. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday AND Wednesday-July 12 AND 13
9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: Joe Knezovich

Laser Engraving

3wks

In this class we will learn how to prepare images, patterns and letters to laser engrave directly on wood, leather, plastic, metals, fabric, and stones. Come to this class and find out how to laser engrave your designs and create gifts, or create custom acrylic or wooden signs, custom ceramic tiles for your home or for selling. This class along with the sublimation and/or vinyl cutting class can become a great part-time or full-time promotion/advertising business. Prerequisites: None

Tuesdays-July 5 to July 19
8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: George Zahariadis

Microsoft Excel Introduction

4wks

This class introduces the skills necessary for productive development of workbooks. It includes tasks to explore Excel, create formulas, copy and move data, and print worksheets. The student will also learn how to work with ranges, use the Office Assistant, basic workbook skills, Excel shortcuts, and page setup. This class covers skills needed to prepare worksheets for publication. This class includes tasks to format numbers, text, and cells, along with many shortcuts that will allow you to become a more productive Excel user. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-June 29 to July 20
9am-11:30am or 3:30pm-6pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: George Zahariadis

iPhone Tips & Tricks

2wks

Even though you use your iPhone every single day, you may not realize how powerful and feature-packed it really is. In fact, your iPhone has a few tricks up its sleeve that you probably don't know about. Using the latest iOS software, we wanted to share some tips so you can take full advantage of your smartphone. They're extremely convenient and fun, and they'll hopefully help save you a little time, too. Many of the tips and tricks apply to your iPad also. Prerequisites: None

Tuesdays-May 17 to May 24
8am-11am or 3:30pm-6:30pm
Location: Leon Lynch Instructor: George Zahariadis

technology



Setup HD Video Recorder & Record with TV Antenna for Free

1wk

You will learn to setup a DVR converter box and record over the air antenna stations onto a USB stick. You will be able to record your favorite over the air TV shows, schedule series recordings in advance and view recordings and skip commercials just like a normal DVR for free. No internet connection needed just plug box onto antenna and TV and setup recordings by viewing an over the air TV guide and view whenever you are ready. Recordings are stored on USB memory stick and allows you to even watch on computer/laptop. You can purchase the DVR converter box for \$20 in class. Prerequisites: None

Tuesday-May 31
8am-10:30am or 3:30pm-6pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: George Zahariadis

◆ Technical Open Lab

1wk

We have open labs available for you. Bring your computer or laptop to lab so we can help you with repairs or upgrades, back up your data or check your computer/laptop for viruses. If you have any Firestick, Raspberry Pi, Android TV box, alarm system, security camera, cell phone or tablet questions or repairs, if you have questions about a class you have recently taken, need help on any software, this will be your opportunity to come talk to George, our instructor. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays- May 12
May 19
June 16
June 23
July 7
July 14
August 4
August 11
8am-10:30am or 4:30pm-7pm
Location: Leon Lynch
Instructor: George Zahariadis

Windows 11 Preview & Upgrade

3wks

Microsoft has released the new Windows 11 OS. Microsoft's first major operating system upgrade in six years. That means if you are purchasing a new computer or laptop, you will be working with Windows 11. Come to this class to see what new features are included with Windows 11 and to see if your computer is compatible to upgrade to Windows 11. Upgrades are free and you will be instructed on how to download and perform the upgrade to your personal computer or laptop. Microsoft will be phasing out Windows 10 in the next few years so come to this class to prepare for the latest OS upgrade. Prerequisites: None

Mondays-June 27 to July 18
No Class: July 4
9am-11:30am or 3:30pm-6pm
Location: JobLink
Instructor: George Zahariadis

Policy on Dropping a Class

If you need to withdraw from a class, you must notify your learning center two business days before the start of the class. You can call or email us about dropping a class, but phone messages are not accepted. If you do not drop the class in a timely fashion, your account will be charged for the cost of the class.

Live and Online classes are offered at Leon Lynch Learning Center and at JobLink.

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live and online



Business Planning I:

8wks

How to Develop a Business Plan

This is an introductory course in developing a business plan that requires no previous knowledge of the business planning process. This course will provide you with the ability to learn what is involved in developing a plan for a successful small business. You will learn about an operational plan, personnel planning, and finally a marketing and financial plan. Spouses may attend at no cost. Planning is the key to any business venture. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-May 5 to June 23
8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm
Location: Leon Lynch Instructor: Scott Williams



Business Planning II:

8wks

Fine Tuning Your Business Plan

This course allows the participant the opportunity to complete an initial draft of a business plan. The initial draft will include an operational plan, a management plan, a marketing plan, as well as a financial plan. The financial plan will include a comprehensive sales forecast, a profit and loss projection and a cash flow projection. Spouses may attend at no charge. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-June 30 to August 25
No Class: July 21
8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm
Location: Leon Lynch Instructor: Scott Williams



Easy Guitar V4

12wks

Guitarists of all levels are invited to join our Easy Guitar group. We encourage guitarists with no experience, guitarists who used to play and would like to start again, experienced players from our core group and everyone skill level in between to take advantage of this unique learning experience from the award winning Eric Lambert and JobLink. Since we are Live and Online we utilize one on one instruction in the classroom as well as video instruction online. Eric is on call via email, text and Zoom to answer questions and to demonstrate techniques that may be challenging to a student. Prerequisites: Own a guitar and a smile :)

Mondays-May 2 to August 1
No Class: May 30 July 4
11am-12pm or 2pm-3pm or 3:15pm-4:15pm
Location: JobLink Instructor: Eric Lambert



◆ Taking Stock In Your Life & Finances

6wks

The course will teach students how to remove the media noise and biased opinions from the news heard and seen daily. Students will learn to make financial decisions with clearer minds, based on probabilities of success and reduced risk. Students will learn to trade the stock market from very basic concepts to more advanced trading strategies. Students will also learn how to build strong lists of stock and mutual funds. Prerequisites: Computer available for viewing classes, in the comfort of the student home, if desired. Each student, once registered for class by Joblink, shall submit their emails to tomcook1124@gmail.com, in order to be admitted into each live class session.

Tuesdays-May 10 to June 14
10am-12pm or 4pm-6pm
Location: Online Instructor: William Thomas Cook II



Using Video to Support Your Business

6wks

More than ever before, video is an integral part of every aspect of our lives. Statistics prove that businesses utilizing video in their overall promotional strategy have greater reach and longevity than those who do not use video. When most of us think of videos for business, we think of advertisements. While video ads are the most dominant business videos we see, they are not the only ways to use video. Video can be used for product demos, client testimonials, tutorials, interviews and other purposes. This class is designed to help you incorporate video in your business. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-May 4 to June 15
No Class: May 18
8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm
Location: Leon Lynch Instructor: Zernul Shackelford

MTE Prep

12wks

This 12-week course will introduce students to topics related to industrial electrical maintenance and troubleshooting of AC/DC circuits and motors, print reading, analog and digital circuits, test equipment, computers, DC crane control, power distribution, PLC's, power supplies, transformers, instrumentation and hydraulics. This course is for people who want to take the Ramsay test or get a better understanding of MTE Principals. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-June 9 to August 25
9am-12pm or 3:30pm-6:30pm
Location: JobLink Instructor: Joseph Hynek

live streamed

[How to Travel Free & Safely During These Unparalleled Times](#)

1wk

We're ready to get back to our travels! Where can we go now during COVID, and how do we make our travel free and safe? National speaker Gina Henry will show you how she is traveling. She is the author of "How To Travel Free & Safely" and teaches in 90 cities nationwide. Learn about reward credit cards, volunteering, fun-work vacation jobs, mystery shopping & more. Plus learn about the deep travel discounts being offered right now to motivate us to book travel. Earn free airline tickets, hotel nights, tours and more in the USA and worldwide! Class includes Gina's 100-page digital book. This is a Zoom class. Prerequisites: None

Wednesday-May 18

Monday-August 8

10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm

Location: JobLink Instructor: Gina Henry

[Improve Your Health](#)

12wks

This 12-week life-changing program is a systems approach to healing. Based on the model used by the Cleveland Clinic Center for Functional Medicine. This 12-week program will help you discover the root cause of chronic conditions. The premise of Functional Medicine is that the root cause of chronic disease is a combo of nutrient deficiencies, toxins, food sensitivities, or underlying infections. The 12-weeks of classes are online, and the four discussions are optional extra learning activities where students can ask questions about lessons etc. Live class dates: 5/5, 5/26, 6/16, 7/21. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-May 5 to July 21

10am-11:30am or 2:30pm-4pm

Location: JobLink Instructor: Desiree Brummett



[Spanish I](#)

6wks

Have you ever tried to learn Spanish? It's not an easy task, but when it is fun, you find you can do it.

Learn the basics of Spanish pronunciation and conversational phrases in this six-week class. Class is at JobLink, but also available over Zoom. Besides the Wednesday class, there will be a recorded practice session every week for additional practice. See you there - en la clase de español. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-April 20 to May 25

10am-11:30am or 3:30pm-5pm

Location: JobLink Instructor: Marcia Taylor

◆ [Social Security 101](#)

1wk

Have you ever wondered how Social Security benefits are calculated and what you will receive? From its humble beginnings during the Great Depression, Social Security has been serving the changing needs of the citizens of the United States since 1935. Social Security has a long and interesting history in the politics and landscape of the American public. A whopping 94% of American workers are a part of the system. Get a crash course in Social Security 101. Learn about Retirement, Disability, Medicare and more. Find out the easiest way to get a replacement Social Security or Medicare card. Prerequisites: None

Monday-May 2

Monday-June 6

10am-12pm or 3pm-5pm

Location: Online/Joblink Instructor: Daniel Summer

[The Secrets of Travel-Hacking: Free Air, Hotels, & Cash Back](#)

1wk

Earn thousands of airline frequent flyer miles and hotel reward points without ever stepping foot on a plane or paying for a hotel. Flights and hotels are typically the most expensive part of your vacation budget. National speaker Gina Henry will show you how she is traveling free using reward credit cards. She is the author of "The Secrets of Travel-Hacking: Free Air, Hotels, & Cash Back" and teaches in 90 cities nationwide. Learn easy beginner strategies then graduate to more advanced strategies. All the major reward programs will be detailed. Class includes Gina's 80 page digital book. This is a Zoom class. Prerequisites: None

Thursday-May 19

Tuesday-August 9

10am-1pm or 3pm-6pm

Location: Online/Joblink Instructor: Gina Henry

[Understanding & Optimizing: Your Investment Choices](#)

5wks

In this course, you will learn about options for investing in your 401K. The ultimate goal is for students to obtain knowledge that will help them develop a portfolio, and strategies that will help them achieve their financial goals for retirement. This is a zoom class. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-May 25 to June 22

9am-12pm or 3:30pm-6:30pm

Location: Online/Joblink Instructor: Phil Seki

one day classes

[Social Security 101](#)

Mon-May 2 or June 6

[Fundamentals of Beekeeping: Hive Management](#)

Wed- May 4

[JobLink Book Club](#)

Tues-May 10 or July 12

[Vegetable & Herbs](#)

Tues- May 10

[Spring Sign Workshop](#)

Tues- May 17

[How to Travel Free & Safely During These Unparalleled Times](#)

Wed- May 18 or Mon-August 8

[The Secrets of Travel-Hacking Free Air, Hotels, & Cash Back](#)

Thurs- May 19 or Tues- August 9

[Container Gardening](#)

Tues- May 24

[Cut the Cable: Build Your Own Digital TV Antenna](#)

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[Setup HD Video Recorder & Record for Free](#)

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Tues- May 31

[Resin & Beach Art](#)

Sat- June 4

[Perennials That Work](#)

Tues- June 7

[Cooking With an Instantpot With your Kids](#)

Sat- June 11

[Epoxy Resin Class](#)

Sat-June 11

[Vintage Succulents](#)

Tues- June 14

[Round Front Door Sign Class](#)

Wed- June 22

[Charcuterie Workshop](#)

Tues- August 9



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general information

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how to register

online

Register online at bkjoblink.org

by phone

Call our office Monday through Friday between 8:00am to 4:00pm (219) 399-8135 or 8136.

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Each participant is limited to \$2,000 annually for courses in this category. These are the classes created by the learning centers specifically for steelworkers. Nearly all of the classes in this category are advertised in our catalogs.

Tuition Assistance Program

The Tuition Assistance Program allows steelworkers to attend colleges and schools of their own choice as long as the schools are accredited institutions of post-secondary education or are recognized by a state board of vocational education. \$2,500 in tuition assistance.

Issuance 14

Students who have an educational and career goal in mind and need more than \$2,500 yearly to achieve those goals should apply for Issuance 14. If the student has a specific goal in mind, they have to create an educational development plan and apply for the combination of these funds. If approved, a steelworker may be eligible for up to \$4,500 yearly.

Issuance 15

The ICD policy "Issuance 15" allows retirees access to tuition assistance if: That retiree has begun a career goal using TAP, has retired within the last 12 months, and if there is money available from the previous year's tuition assistance budget.

Riverdale

Office Hours

Monday through Friday
7:00 am to 3:00 pm

Information

General Information
(708) 392-1083
Fax (708) 392-1193

Mailing Address

13500 South Perry Avenue
Riverdale, IL 60827
Jeff La Belle, **Coordinator**

Learning Advocates

Shawn Andree, Hot Strip

general information

Local 1011 - Leon Lynch Learning Center

how to register

online

Register online at ihlearningcenter.org

by phone

Call our office Monday through Friday between 8:00am to 4:00pm at (219) 398-9363 ext. 112 or fax enrollment to (219) 354-0853.

in person

Stop by our office Monday through Friday between 8:00am to 4:00pm.

Mission Statement

The Leon Lynch Learning Center career development program is established to prepare the Steelworker for opportunities outside the employment of the steel mill and making them a more rounded individual.

Office Hours

Mon through Fri
8:00am to 4:00pm

Leon Lynch's Local Joint Committee

Steven Serrano

USW Local 1011 Co-Chair

Roger Hughes,

Cleveland Cliffs Company Rep.

Restricted Classes

Out of your \$2,000 a year customized course allowance, you can only use \$1,250 per year on restricted personal development classes.

Customized Courses

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Tuition Assistance Program

The Tuition Assistance Program allows steelworkers to attend colleges and schools of their own choice as long as the schools are accredited institutions of post-secondary education or are recognized by a state board of vocational education. The benefit will pay \$2500 in tuition assistance.

Issuance 14

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Look for the ♦

If space is available, any class with a diamond (♦) next to the title is a class that Local 1011 and 1010 spouses and retirees are eligible to take. Classes without a diamond (♦) next to it are for active steelworkers only!

Information

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Web Address: www.ihlearningcenter.org

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BERF Jim Hemphill

Blast Furnace Brian Romo, Stana Krause, Tim Slinker

BOF Mark Franco, Keith Schwant

Caster Jose Rios, Melody Brawley

Coating Brandi Flitar, Ursula Peppers

Electric Shop Tom DeBold

LMF Gordon Wilkes, John Vucko

Safety Andres Chavez, Isabel Sundin

SDF Dan Heavner, John Yagelski

Training Guy Weiss

Utilities Nick Matthews, Cornelius "Neal" Pearson

Vac Services Kaabala Shabazz

Fire Services/Security Cynthia Gibson

Q.A Richard Waddell

retiree/spouse information

Spring 2022 Registration Dates

Course	Registration Begins	Class Begins
Lawn Equipment Maintenance & Repair	Thursday/March 31	Thursday/April 7
Spanish I	Wednesday/April 13	Wednesday/April 20
DIY Summer Projects	Monday/April 25	Monday/May 2
Social Security 101	Monday/April 25	Monday/May 2 (online)
Woodshop: Sofa Shelves	Tuesday/April 26	Tuesday/May 3
Woodshop: Custom Projects	Wednesday/April 27	Wednesday/May 4
Fundamentals of Beekeeping: Hive Managements	Wednesday/April 27	Wednesday/May 4
Strategic Real Estate Investing	Thursday/April 28	Thursday/May 5
Joblink Book Club	Tuesday/May 3	Tuesday/May 10
Taking Stock In Your Life and Finances	Tuesday/May 3	Tuesday/May 10
Piano/Keyboarding Open Lab	Thursday/May 5	Thursday/May 12
Technical Open Lab	Thursday/May 5	Thursday/May 12
Yoga Basics & Gentle Seated	Wednesday/May 11	Wednesday/May 18
Build Your Own Guitar	Thursday/May 12	Thursday/May 19
Electrical Open Safety Lab	Thursday/May 26	Thursday/June 2
Mindful Stress Management	Thursday/May 26	Thursday/June 2
Social Security 101	Monday/May 30	Monday/June 6 (online)
Lawn Equipment Maintenance & Repair	Thursday/June 23	Thursday/June 30
JobLink Book Club	Tuesday/July 5	Tuesday/July 12
Keep Crocheting	Thursday/July 14	Thursday/July 21

How to register?

Online at 8:00am at bkjoblink.org OR in person or by phone at 8:30am 399-8135 or 8136. Register as early as possible because classes can fill quickly.

NOTE: Spouses of retirees CANNOT participate in classes.

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Active members are eligible for classes at these sites.

To find out what classes are available check out the websites listed below.



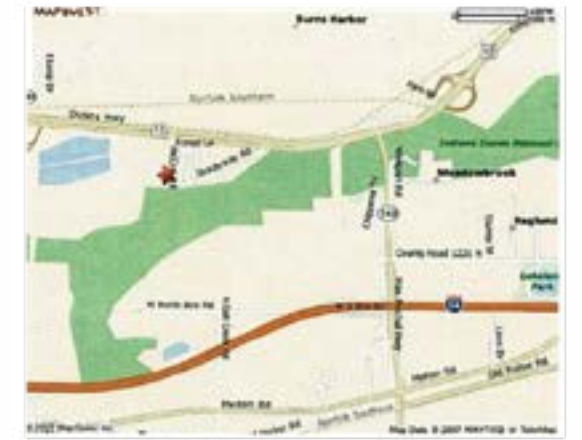
US Steel - Midwest Career Development
1919 Willowcreek Road, Portage, IN
www.usscareer.com/midwest



US Steel - Gary Works
1221 E. Ridge Road, Gary, IN
www.usscareer.com



McBride Hall - Local Union 1014
1301 Texas St., Gary, IN



USW/Mittal - Burns Harbor
1275 1/2 McCool Road, Burns Harbor, IN
www.mittalcareer.org



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3333 Michigan Ave., East Chicago, IN
www.bkjoblink.org



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More information to follow.



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