

ESL & GED Preparation Classes

As of 7/09

Name of Program	What Offered	When
<p><i>Belmont Street Baptist Church</i> 25 Belmont Street, Worcester, MA 01605 For more information, call 508-753-0312</p> <p>Contact is Pastor Soto</p>	<p>ESL- Wednesday Evenings from 6:30pm- 8:30pm September thru June</p> <p>No cost</p> <p>No GED</p>	<p>Registration starts in September the first two weeks.</p>
<p><i>Catholic Charities</i> 10 Hammond Street, Worcester 01610 Contact 508-798-0191 x15</p> <p>Walk in</p> <p>Mattie Hennesy is the contact 508-860-2261</p>	<p>GED & ESL Classes are from September - June Monday –Thursday, Time = 8:30-2:30pm (may be changed)</p> <p>For ages 16 and up No cost</p>	<p>Classes start in September.</p> <p>Registration is ongoing</p>
<p><i>Centro Las Americas</i> 11 Sycamore Street, Worcester 01608 508-798-1900 x270</p> <p>Contact the Education Department x270 Nina Howard</p>	<p>ESL program Monday- Tuesday – Thursday 9:00am to 12:00pm</p> <p>No GED classes</p> <p>Cost is \$225 but payment arrangements can be made</p>	<p>ESL starts on August 10, 2009</p>
<p><i>Clark University— COPACE</i> 950 Main Street Worcester 01610 508-793-7794</p> <p>Just call and ask for ESL classes</p>	<p>ESL Instruction Monday & Wednesday and also Tuesday & Thursday Morning classes 9:30am to 12:00pm Afternoon classes 1:00pm to 3:30 pm Night time classes 6:30pm to 9:00pm</p> <p>No GED classes</p>	<p>ESL classes start August thru December</p>

<p><i>Family Ties</i> 130 Leeds Street Worcester 01606 508-799-3136</p> <p>Contact Person is Beth Vietze</p>	<p>Free GED & ESL classes 5:30-7:30pm Tues & Thursdays</p> <p>Entry Guidelines: Live in Worcester & have a child 0 -3</p>	<p>Classes start first week of October & ends in April</p> <p>Call now to get on the waiting list</p>
<p><i>Latino Education Institute</i> 486 Chandler Street Worcester, MA, 01602 508-798-6507 Office is located at 537 Chandler</p> <p>Speak to Consuelo Riveros</p>	<p>ESL Program Tuesdays & Thursdays</p> <p>Must be over 18 No Cost</p> <p>No GED</p>	<p>To begin in the fall</p>
<p><i>Literacy Volunteers of Worcester</i> at Worcester Public Library / 3 Salem Square, 01608 Call 508-754-8056 for more information.</p>	<p>Just offers ESL</p> <p>Levels: beginner, high beginning, intermediate, intermediate /advanced</p> <p>Cost is \$30 for 12 weeks</p>	<p>Registration Begins August 19th – September 15th.</p> <p>Visit office 9-5 Wednesday & Thursday during those dates. Must undergo testing</p> <p>Fall Semester runs September 15 – December 12th</p>
<p><i>Lutheran Social Services</i> 30 Harvard Street, Worcester, 01609 508-754-1121</p> <p>Contact Person is Monica Born</p>	<p>Free ESL classes</p> <p>Tuesday 9-12pm Wednesday 9-12pm Thursday 9-12pm</p> <p>No GED classes</p>	<p>ESL classes starting September 2, 2009 & Thurs May 30th</p> <p>Call now to register</p>
<p><i>Quinsigamond Community College</i> Call 508-751-7900 100 Front Street, 2nd floor QCC-Adult Basic Education at the Training & Education Center</p>	<p>Free GED, pre GED & ESL Classes</p> <p>GED classes held mostly online</p>	<p>Registration to take place on Monday August 3rd at 12:00 noon or 4:00pm</p>

<p>Refugee Apostolate 27 Chandler Street, Worcester 01609 508-831-7455</p>	<p>ESL - this program is only for clients that do Community service at their site</p> <p>No GED</p>	
<p>Southeast Asian Center 120 Chandler Street, Worcester 01609 508-791-4373</p>	<p>Free ESL classes</p> <p>Placement test needed There are 3 levels Level 1 & 2 classes Are weekdays 6:00pm – 8:00pm and level 3 classes are in the weekend 2:00pm 4:00pm</p>	<p>ESL classes start in September</p>
<p>St. Bernard's Church Rectory 236 Lincoln Street, Worcester 01605 508-736-6986</p> <p>Contact person is Sister Ines</p>	<p>ESL classes Monday & Wednesday evenings 6:30pm to 8:30pm ESL</p> <p>\$20 registration fee & cost of book</p> <p>No GED</p>	<p>Registration start on September 9, 2009 from 5pm to 7pm</p> <p>Classes start in September 21,2009</p>
<p>St. Peter's Church 929 Main St., Worcester, 01610</p> <p>Contact Sister Mary Ann at 508-752-4674.</p>	<p>ESL classes in September Tuesday & Thursday 10:30am -12:30pm Beginners, basic & intermediate</p> <p>No GED Small cost</p>	<p>Registration start in September Call back 1 month before to get the day of registration</p>
<p>Training Resources of America Worcester 01608 508-753-2991 Contact Christine or Christy <u>New location is 2 Foster street, 3rd floor 01608</u></p>	<p>ESL & GED evening classes ESOL Monday & Wednesday 4:30 thru 7:45pm GED Tuesday & Thursday 4:30 -7:45pm</p> <p>No cost</p>	<p>Informational Sessions every month starting Monday August 24, 2009 @ 4:30pm Tuesday August 25, 2009 @ 4:30pm & ongoing (ESL on Mondays & ABE GED is on Tuesdays)</p>

<p>Worcester Community Action Council, Inc. 484 Main Street, 2nd floor, Worcester 01608 508-754-1176 x 146 or x158</p> <p>Contact person Mary Murphy or Allan Tubman</p>	<p>GED for young adults ages 16-21 WINGS GED includes employment component.</p> <p>Offered ear round.</p> <p>No cost</p>	<p>Ongoing registration</p>
<p>Worcester Housing Authority 180 Constitution Ave., Worcester 01605</p> <p>Call for more info 508-635-3306</p>	<p>9:00-1:00pm, Monday – Friday Offer Pre-GED & GED</p> <p>No cost as long as lives in WHA apartments</p>	<p>To start in September thru mid June</p> <p>Ongoing registration Pretesting needed</p>
<p>Worcester Public Schools Adult Learning Center - 24 Chatham St. Rm. 21 01609 (508) 799-3170</p>	<p>1 GED & ESOL classes</p> <p>No cost</p>	<p>Call or come in at end of August to take placement test and be put on list</p> <p>No classes during the summer</p>
<p>Worcester State College 486 Chandler Street, Worcester 01602 508-929-8031</p> <p>Contact is Susan S.</p>	<p>ESL September 14 – December 1 Monday Wednesday Friday 9:00am – 1:00pm Tuesday & Thursday 12:30pm 4:30pm</p>	<p>Full time classes coast \$299.00 dollars Part time classes \$99.00</p>
<p>Worcester Youth Center 326 Chandler Street Worcester 01602 791-4702 Contact John or Laura</p>	<p>GED classes start in July year around Monday thru Friday 10:00am – 1:00pm</p>	<p>GED pre testing starts at 9:00am</p>
<p>YOU Inc. 81 Plantation Street 849-5600 x397</p> <p>Speak with Kate Bullin</p>	<p>GED & Education for employment program</p> <p>Monday – Friday 9 :00 – Noon For 16 – 21 year olds</p>	<p>Year round program Openings now</p>

	<p>Must be at 7th grade level in math Designed for youth with a learning disability and who have low/no income</p>	
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