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2024 Course Schedule



The Career Development Center, Inc. is a union-negotiated benefit for the Goodyear hourly workers. All classes at the center are at no cost to you!

In addition, all hourly employees have \$2,500.00 (beginning January 1st), (Per calendar year) available for any classes you would like to take from an accredited college or university.

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The Career Development Center is *YOUR* Union Negotiated Benefit. We offer Customized Courses at our Center that are *FREE* to active and retired employees and their spouses. There may be some out of pocket expenses for personal supplies for some of the classes; a list will be supplied before the class begins. The customized courses are based on interest that is communicated to the Site Coordinators and/or our Local Governing Board (LJC). We are currently going through some changes due to new state regulations that have been implemented due to the pandemic. We look forward to getting the Career Development Center back on track and growing to its fullest potential to have as many classes of interest as possible to benefit and serve our Union Members.

The Career Development Center also offers Tuition Assistance to the active employees and retirees for one year from their retirement date. Tuition Assistance is \$2,500.00 per calendar year, January 1st—December 31st, to apply toward course tuition and required books. The courses can be for credit toward a degree or certification; it can also be used for self-edification courses, such as the motorcycle safety course at Danville Community College. Classes may be taken in a classroom setting or online as long as the learning center is *ACCREDITED*. If there is any question of the learning centers' accreditation, we will be more than happy to help look into it and help with any other questions to help you reach your educational and training goals.

There are new things happening at the Career Development Center. We are now able to offer customized classes at other Career Development Center and International Career Development Center sites. As the courses become available, we will post them on our Facebook page and our Website. Registration for those courses will be done through our center, but because the courses will be offered at other sites there will be registration deadlines. We will also continue to add courses to our program as we will be partnering with new vendors to increase the amount and types of courses we will be able to offer. We will post updates as they become available. If there is a course you are interested in, please let us know.

We look forward to having everyone return and welcoming new participants to the USW Local 831 Career Development Center.

Sincerely, Kathy and Gina

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Custom Courses

Section 1: Classes are scheduled on A & C Shifts Off Days. Section 2: Classes are scheduled on B & D Shifts Off Days.



Basic Computer Skills: All Levels

Section 1: 3:30-5:30 pm, Alternating Tuesdays and Thursdays, January 16 - March 7, 2024

Section 2: 8:30-10:30 am, Alternating Tuesdays and Thursdays, January 18 - March 5, 2024

Computer Applications and Concepts: All Levels

This course will go over computer concepts, internet skills, word processing, spreadsheet, database, and presentation software.

Section 1: 5:30-7:30 pm, Alternating Tuesdays and Thursdays, January 16 - March 7, 2024 Section 2: 10:30-12:30 pm, Alternating Tuesdays and Thursdays, January 18 - March 5, 2024

Genealogy Group: Will meet 3:30 - 5:30 pm, Once a month on Mondays: January 22nd, February 19th and March 18th, 2024



Photo Editing and Restoration Workshops:

Will meet 5:30 - 7:30 pm, Once a month on Mondays: January 22nd, February 19th and March 18th, 2024





Air Frying Basics: *Limited Class Size

Will discuss the different types of Air Fryers on the market and learn how to cook healthier and faster.

12:30-2:30 pm, Alternating Tuesdays and Thursdays,
February 1 - February 15, 2024

Floral Refresh: *Limited Class Size

Outdated, Faded, or falling apart arrangements can be revived.
Use the base you already have to give your arrangement new life.
12:30-2:30 pm, Alternating Tuesdays and Thursdays,
February 20 - March 5, 2024





Custom Courses

Section 1: Classes are scheduled on A & C Shifts Off Days. Section 2: Classes are scheduled on B & D Shifts Off Days.



Small Engine Repair:

Section 1: 5:30 - 8:30 pm

Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, January 24 - March 11, 2024

Section 2: 5:30 - 8:30 pm

Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, January 17 - March 4, 2024

Introduction to Basic Welding:

In this introductory course you will learn various welding methods and techniques. The participant will learn about different types of welding equipment, basic welding safety, and the use of various tools to prepare metals for welding. This course is geared for the beginner but all skill levels are welcome.

Section 1A: 8:30-10:30 am, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, Jan. 24 - March 11, 2024 Section 1B: 10:30-12:30 pm, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, Jan. 24 - March 11, 2024 Section 1C: 12:30-2:30 pm, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, Jan. 24 - March 11, 2024 Section 1D: 3:30-5:30 pm, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, Jan. 24 - March 11, 2024

Section 2A: 8:30-10:30 am, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, Jan. 17 - March 4, 2024
Section 2B: 10:30-12:30 pm, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, Jan. 17 - March 4, 2024
Section 2C: 12:30-2:30 pm, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, Jan. 17 - March 4, 2024
Section 2D: 3:30-5:30 pm, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, Jan. 17 - March 4, 2024

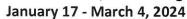




Woodworking:

Section 1: 3:30 - 6:30 pm, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays, January 24 - March 11, 2024

Section 2: 8:30 - 11:30 am, Alternating Mondays & Wednesdays,











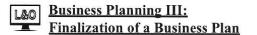




live & online classes



4wks



This course will allow the participant the opportunity to

complete a final draft of a business plan. The final draft will

include an operational plan, a management plan, a market-

ing plan, as well as a complete financial plan. The financial

plan will include a revenue forecast, an operating expense

cash flow projections. Spouses are welcome to attend at no

forecast and will generate a projected profit and loss and

8wks

AI = Artificial Intelligence. Everyone is talking about AI. What exactly is it? How can it help me? Is it dangerous? What are the facts and what is so controversial about AI? Did you know that AI is already part of many things in daily life? From personal assistants to self-driving cars, AI is having a huge impact on nearly every industry. Join your Instructor in this eye-opening class and get the answer to these and many more questions about AI. See real life examples of AI at work today and see where AI is headed. You can use AI productively in your everyday tasks today. Come see how. Prerequisites: None

Tuesdays—February 6 to February 27 10am-12pm or 3:30pm-5:30pm Location: ZOOM ONLY

Instructor: William Needles

How to Keep Records
Using QuickBooks

Instructor: Scott Williams

Location: Leon Lynch

charge. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-March 14 to May 2

8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm

6wks

Business Planning II:
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 revenue forecast, a profit and loss projection and a cash flow projection. Spouses are welcome to attend a no charge. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays—January 11 to February 29 8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm

Location: Leon Lynch Instructor: Scott Williams

8wks Keeping accurate and thorough records in a small business is a must. The business owner must know how his/her financial status is at all times. This course is designed to teach a simple method to track money coming in and out of a business. This information is critical in maintaining accurate financial records for taxation purposes. This course will provide you the ability to develop customer/vendor databases, recording expenses, writing checks, creating sales receipts and invoices, tracking inventory and bills to be paid. Do not lose sleep whether or not your records are in order. Prerequisites: None

Wednesdays-February 7 to March 13 8am-10am or 4pm-6pm or 6pm-8pm

Location: Leon Lynch Instructor: Scott Williams



Students will receive traditional classroom instruction and online availability. Each live class is recorded and then uploaded and made available online within 48 hours of the live class.

ZOOM/Online

Easy Guitar for Everyone V2

12wks Go with your GUT Feeling

6wks

Everyone is welcome from beginners to advanced players! Learn to play the guitar fast and easy with award winning guitarist Eric Lambert in the comfort of your own home! Using the Zoom app and your computer or tablet, Eric teaches you all the techniques you need to know to play your favorite songs. Each class is video recorded so the student is able to review it's contents anytime night or day. Eric will also be available via Zoom, text and email for support to answer, or demonstrate the answer, and to answer any questions you may have. Have fun! Play guitar! Prereguisites: own a guitar

Mondays-January 8 to April 1 No Class: January 15 11am-12pm or 3pm-4pm

Location: ZOOM

Instructor: Eric Lambert



Free Vacations: Affordable Fun Family Travel 1wk

Travel free on your next family vacation when you know how to find the deep travel discounts. World traveler Gina Henry shows you how. Earn free airline tickets, hotel nights, tours and more in the USA and worldwide. Learn about reward credit cards, volunteer at state and national parks, fun work vacations, paid travel opprotunities, teach English, mystery shop on vacation and more. Plus important tips on travel websites, health, safety, trip insurance, car travel and packing. Includes a 100-page digital book (\$39.95 value). Go to www.GinaHenry.com for information.

Monday-April 1 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm Location: ZOOM

Instructor: Gina Henry



Learn more about Nutrition, Gut Health, and how our current food supply became what it is today. Class topics will be: Anxiety & Digestion, where you will learn the correlation between anxiety or feelings of anxiousness and its relation to your gut health; Cravings & Compulsive Eating, where you will learn the impact of sugar when it comes to cravings and the tools to overcome compulsive eating: The Evolution of our Standard American Diet, in which, students will learn the evolution of food. Prerequisites: None

Thursdays-January 18 to March 7 No Class: February 8 and February 15 9am-10am or 4pm-5pm (PM is ZOOM only)

Location: JobLink

Instructor: Desiree Brummett

Learn to Play the Piano/Keyboard: 10wks Levels 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5

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 onsite, or can be Zoomed with instructor online, or can be a hybrid class (onsite and/or Zoom) in case you cannot make it to class due to your schedule or other time conflicts. Prerequisites: None

Tuesdays-January 30 to April 9

No Class: March 12

11:30am-1pm or 3:30pm-5pm Location: Leon Lynch/ZOOM Instructor: Frances Zahariadis



ZOOM/Online

Mystery Shopping: Get Paid to Shop

1wk Virtual Beginning Sign Language Class

6wks

Do you like to shop? Get paid to shop at almost every store in your area, plus many online shopping assignments from home or on vacation (in over 70 countries). Businesses need to know their customers in order to stay in business. Learn the TOP 100 MYSTERY SHOPPING COMPANIES. Review actual assignments. Get paid or keep the items you buy. A FREE dinner for two at a nice restaurant, a FREE hotel, tank of gas, groceries, dry cleaning, store items and more. Instructor has been a professional mystery shopper for over thirty years and teaches in 90 cities. Includes a 100-page digital book (a \$39.95 value). Go to www.GinaHenry. com for more information.

Monday-April 15 9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm Location: ZOOM

Instructor: Gina Henry



1wk

The Secrets of Reward Credit Cards: Free Air, Hotels, and Cash Back

Earn hundreds of thousands of airline frequent flyer miles and hotel reward points without ever stepping foot on a plane or paying for a hotel and redeem them for high-value trips. Or earn "cash back" to pay for your vacation (or to pay your electric bill, rent, mortgage, etc). Flights and hotels are typically the most expensive part of your vacation. Learn a "Beginner's Strategy" then graduate to more "Advanced Strategies" that earn you 1 million+ reward points a year. Reward programs are detailed. Includes a 100-page digital book (a \$39.95 value). Go to www.GinaHenry.com for more information.

Monday-April 8
9am-12pm or 3pm-6pm
Location: ZOOM
Instructor: Gina Henry

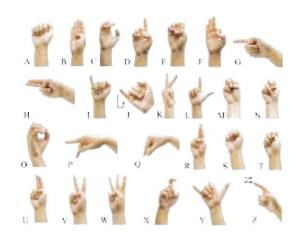


To train students how to communicate using American Sign Language, students will have class virtually once a week. Students will have the knowledge of basic traditional signs used by the hearing-impaired or deaf. They will learn the manual alphabet, handshape usage, common phrases, vocabulary training, grammar and interactive vocabulary building. Classes will also be recorded and available for students to watch. Prerequisites: None

Mondays—January 22 to February 26 9am-11am or 12pm-2pm or 6pm-8pm Location: ZOOM

Instructor: Rhoda M. Jenkins





Tuition Assistance

Active employees and retirees up to one year of retirement date are eligible for up to \$2,500.00 per year (Jan.– Dec.) at an accredited school. The tuition assistance can be used for course tuition and required books. Tuition assistance cannot be used towards course equipment, supplies or testing fees. Tuition assistance will not pay for fail, dropped, withdraw or repeated courses. It is the participants responsibility to let the Career Development Center know if they have withdrawn from a course.

College and or trades classes can be for credit or for self edification as long as they are taken at an accredited learning site. If you are not sure of a sites accreditation we will help look into the information. The courses can be in person and/or online.

To apply for tuition assistance a Career Development Center Tuition Assistance Application (can be printed from our website) must be completed and turned into the office (email/fax/drop off in mailbox) along with the participants course registration from the school/learning site. If the participants paid for the courses or books out of pocket we will need the completed application, course registration and receipts and will refund the participant normally within two weeks.

*If you have college credits from years ago, DON'T let them go!

They can still be used to complete degrees and achieve those goals.

- *Most college credits will transfer from college to college; don't feel like you have to start over.
- *An investment in you is an investment in your future.
- *IT'S NEVER TOO LATE!



Access to LinkedIn Learning, an on-demand learning solution designed to help you gain new skills and advance your career. You will receive a customized learning experience that features instructional content relevant to your professional interests and goals. Call the Career Development Center and learn how you can use your tuition assistance to utilize all of these Linkedin learning resources.

With LinkedIn Learning, you get:

- Unlimited access. Choose from more than 5,000 video tutorials, covering business, creative and technology topics.
- Personalized recommendations. Explore the most in-demand skills based on your experience.
- Expert instructors. Learn from industry leaders, all in one place.
- Convenient learning. Access courses on your schedule, from any desktop or mobile device.
- Helpful resources. Reinforce new knowledge with quizzes, exercise files, and coding practice



Subscription-Based Online Learning Providers Approved for TA

The following online learning providers have been approved by the ICD National Office for Tuition Assistance funding through the subscription-based online provider policy. If you would like the ICD National Office to consider a provider for approval, please contact your Program Specialist.

<u>Provider</u>	Website		
Rosetta Stone	www.rosettastone.com		
Lynda.com aka LinkedIn Learning ITU	www.lynda.com		
	https://ituonline.com/icd		
The Great Courses Plus	www.thegreatcoursesplus.com		
ToolingU	http://www.toolingu.com/		
Career Academy	www.careeracademy.com		
Masterclass	https://www.masterclass.com		
Universal Class	https://www.universalclass.com/index.htm		
Udemy	https://www.udemy.com		
Pencil Kings	https://pencilkings.com		
SkillShare	https://www.skillshare.com		
Coursera	https://www.coursera.org		
Duolingo	https://www.duolingo.com		
Babel	https://www.babbel.com/		

ICD Educational Partners



L&O classes are Career Development Classes offered by the JobLink and Leon Lynch Learning Centers which are recorded and available to other sites via streaming technology. When you sign up for a class that is recorded, you can watch the class live from a remote location or access the class after the session, on demand. .



Ashworth College offers two types of programs through its ICD partnership. Participants can take advantage of online, customized type classes at a rate of \$525 each under the "Career Programs" tab. In addition, under the "Degrees" tab, Undergraduate Degree and Certificate Programs are available for \$1440 per semester, and Masters programs are available at a rate of \$2500 per semester. Contact Karen Hedge with questions or to enroll: 1.877.758.7630 ext. 2060 or kahedge@ashworthcollege.edu



The United Steelworkers Institute for Career Development, as a member of the learning partner tuition discount program, can offer participants a 10% tuition discount and exclusive scholarship opportunities. Participants, along with spouses and children, are also eligible for additional services including no application fee, no evaluation fee, complimentary tutoring, flexible or structured enrollment systems, and all textbooks are provided at no cost through a CSU book grant.



ICD has a partnership with DeVry University and its Keller Graduate School of Management to bring you affordable, accredited degree programs with the flexibility you need for a work/life balance. ICD participants are eligible for a 15% reduction on any classes at DeVry University and Keller Graduate School.



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Customized Class Registration Form

*Only one class registration form per class.

Name:						
Address: _						
City: Telephone Number – Home:		State:	Zip Code:		-	
		Cell:				
Yes	Please check if we have pe Your email address will not	ermission to contac t be used for any of	ct and distribute info	ormation to yo	ou by email.	
Active Employee	Shift:	C	Clock Card #			
Retired Employee	Date of Retirement:	C	Clock Card #			
Active Spouse		S	Spouse Clock Card #			
Retired Spouse		S	Spouse Clock Card #			
Name and Relation	et Information: (Optional) ship: r(s):					
	Course Name		Section	Start Date	Completion Date	

Confidentiality Statement

All information received from you by the Career Development Center is Considered "Confidential Information." Confidential Information will Remain under lock and key at all times when not in use and will not be Released to anyone without your written consent.

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^{***}Classes are filled on a first come, first served basis. If a participant misses 2 classes without notifying the CDC, their spot will be given to the next person on the waiting list.