

Islington Adult Community Learning

September – December 2023



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Studying with ACL

Whether you need new skills to get back to work, want to brush up on your basic skills or need help to find a job, we have courses ready and waiting to help you.

You must be 19 or over, unemployed or low-waged to be eligible for our free courses. Please bring proof of ID, residency and low wage (if in work and earning less than £23,302 per annum).

Next enrolment days

If you are interested in any of our courses then come along to our enrolment days on Wednesday 6, Thursday 7, or Friday 8 September 2023, from 9.30am-4pm.

Venue:

The Community Centre, 76 Parkhurst Road, N7 0FF

Missed our enrolment days?

Don't worry if you have missed the dates above, you can still enrol onto a number of our courses.

For more information visit our website

www.adultlearning.islington.gov.uk or call, text or WhatsApp 07734 777 466.

Digital Skills courses



Need to improve your digital skills? Do you want to get ready to gain a qualification in IT? Enrol onto one of these courses, such as computers for beginners or something more advanced.

Courses starting from September 2023 onwards

Drop in sessions

Drop in and learn a new skill

Friday 22 September - 8 December / 1-4pm

New to computers

Digital Skills for Beginners

Tuesday 19 September - 17 October / 9.30am-12noon, or
Tuesday 7 November - 5 December / 9.30am-12noon

Digital Skills for Improvers

Tuesday 19 September - 17 October / 1-3.30pm, or
Tuesday 7 November - 5 December / 1-3.30pm

Essential Digital Skills

Access to Essential Digital Skills

Tuesday 19 September - 5 December / 9.30am-12noon

Essential Digital Skills Entry Level 3

Wednesday and Thursday
20 September - 7 December / 1-3.30pm

Essential Digital Level 1

Thursday 21 September - 8 December / 9.30am-12noon, or
Friday 22 September - 9 December / 9.30am-12noon

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Using Microsoft Office

**Word Processing
Level 2**

Wednesday 20 September - 6 December /
9.30am-12.30pm

**Spreadsheets/Excel
Level 2**

Monday 18 September - 4 December /
1-4pm

**Using Email & File
management**

Wednesday 20 September - 18 October /
9.30am-12noon

**Personal budgeting using
Excel**

Thursday 21 September - 12 October /
2-4.30pm

Introduction to using Excel

Wednesday 1 November - 29 November /
9.30am - 12noon

Introduction to Social Media

**Introduction to Social
Media for career/
business growth**

Monday 25 September - 16 October / 10am-12noon, or

Monday 13 November - 4 December / 10am-12noon

Seen a course you like, get in touch today !

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to hear about our what courses are starting next.**

Preparing for Work courses



Are you looking to get a job? Would you like to build your confidence and the skills needed to compete in the job market? If yes, then sign up to one of our employability skills programmes to help you prepare better for the world of work.

Courses starting from September 2023 onwards

Support looking for work

Employment Support

From Monday 11 September 9.30am-12.30pm

From Friday 15 September 1-4pm

Effective CV writing

From Monday 11 September 1-4pm

Information, Advice and Guidance (IAG)

From Tuesday 19 September / 9.30am-12noon

Looking for new career

Introduction to Working in Adult Social care including Basic Food Hygiene and Boost your interview skills units

Thursday 26 September - 5 December / 9.30am-4pm

Introduction to working in Administration

Friday 22 September - 1 December 9.30am-12noon

Public Speaking

Wednesday 13 September - 11 October 9.30am-12noon

Level 1 Developing Personal Confidence and Self Awareness

Tuesday 26 September - 5 December 1-4pm

Introduction to Market Trading and Events Planning

Wednesday 11 October - 6 December 1-4pm

Starting your own business

**Level 2 Certificate
Creating A Business Start-Up**

Tuesday and Thursday
26 September – 7 December
10am–12noon

**Level 2 Certificate in Understanding
Business Improvement Techniques**

Tuesday and Thursday
26 September – 7 December
1.30–4pm

Working with Children

**Level 1 Supporting Children
in Nursery and Reception**

Thursday 21 September – 7 December
9.30am–12.30pm

**Children's Development
including Safeguarding
Level 1 certificate**

Thursday 21 September – 7 December
1–4pm

**Preparing to work with Children
in Schools Level 1**

Tuesday 19 September – 12 December /
9.30am–12.30pm

**Introduction to Support Work in
Schools**

Monday 6 November – 27 November
9.30am–12noon

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ESOL, English and Maths

Are you looking to improve your English or maths skills for work? Do you want to help your kids with their homework? Our English, maths or ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Language) courses will help you.

Why should you study with us?

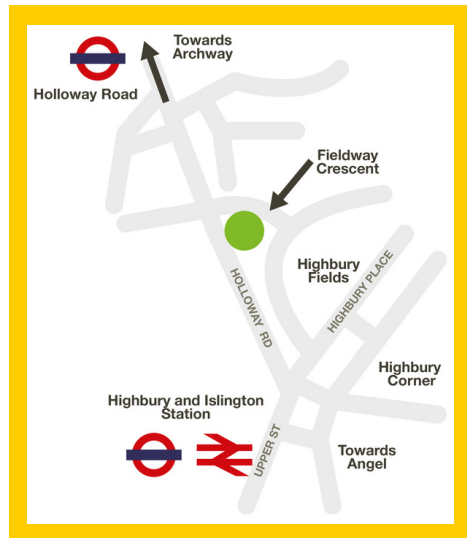
- Classes from complete beginner to more advanced
- Nationally recognised qualifications to help you with work or life in the UK.
- Our classes run in a variety of venues all over Islington, often in Libraries, Community Centres, schools or Children's Centres
- Classes start in September, January and April

How do I enrol?

We offer initial assessments every Monday during term-time at 1pm. (no appointment necessary)

Venue: First Steps Learning Centre, Central Library, 2nd floor, 2 Fieldway Crescent, N5 1PF.

For more information call, text or WhatsApp 07734 777 466





FREE DIY courses for Women

DIY Using Battery Drills

To introduce learners to battery drills to enable them to carry out simple DIY tasks at home.

**8 November 2023, 10am-1pm, or
6 March 2024, 10am-1pm**

DIY Electrics

You will learn how to diagnose simple electrical problems, how to keep your home safe, understand your fuse box (consumer unit) and how to save on electricity costs.

**13 March 2024, 10am-1pm, or
19 June 2024, 10am-1pm**

DIY Plumbing Emergencies

This workshop will teach you what to do in an emergency, how to fix a dripping tap, how to sort out slow and clogged drains or toilets.

**30 November 2023, 10am-1pm, or
13 June 2024, 10am-1pm**

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🌐 **www.adultlearning.islingon.gov.uk**



Creative, Practical and Wellbeing courses

We run a range of creative, practical and wellbeing programmes for all residents. Please see below for a list of some examples of courses offered under this curriculum area:

- DIY Electrical Safety in the Home for Women
- DIY Plumbing Emergencies for Women
- DIY Using Battery Drills for Women
- Conversation Café
- Community Sewing

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Family Learning courses

We run a range of family learning programmes for all residents. See below for a list of some examples of courses offered under this curriculum area:

- Family Language
- Introduction to SEND (Special Educational Needs and Disabilities) in Schools for Parents and Carers
- Maths for Key Stage 2 Parents
- Literacy for Key Stage 2 Parents
- Storytime with Song
- Craft for under 5s
- African Craft Making for Families
- Tie-dye Bags and Patterns
- Handa's Surprise Storybooks

Our Family Learning courses take place in local organisations. Please contact your local children centre, library or the school your child attends to find out what they have planned with ACL. Check our website for the latest classes that are open to residents to enrol on.

For more information and how to enrol:



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Developing Digital Skills for work and life



Come along and

- **Check your current level**
- **Browse our free courses**
- **Speak to a tutor**
- **Sign up to a course starting in September**

Attend one of the sessions below between 10am-12noon or 1-3pm

Tuesday 25 July
Tuesday 1 August
Tuesday 8 August
Tuesday 15 August



**Islington Computer Skills Centre, Finsbury Library,
245 St John Street, EC1V 4NB**

No booking required, just turn up.

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Start a new course this September with Adult Community Learning



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We offer a range of free courses in the following areas:

- Digital skills
- Creative, practical and wellbeing
- English/maths
- Family learning
- ESOL
- Preparing for work

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