

FY18 MEMBER AGENCIES

- Albany Park Community Center
- Anixter Center
- Asian Human Services
- Austin Coming Together
- Centro Autónomo de Albany Park
- Centro Romero
- Chicago Citywide Literacy Coalition
- Chicago Jobs Council
- Chinese Mutual Aid Association
- Corazón a Corazón
- D&H Literacy Center
- Delta Literacy Project
- Erie Neighborhood House
- Ethiopian Community Association
- Hana Center
- Hanul Family Alliance
- Heartland Alliance — Refugee and Immigrant Community Services
- Holy Spirit Life Learning Center
- Howard Area Community Center
- Hyde Park Refugee Project
- Indo-American Center
- Infant Welfare Society of Evanston
- Jane Addams Resource Corporation
- Literacy Chicago
- Literacy Volunteers of Illinois
- Morton College — Project CARE
- National Able Network
- North Lawndale Employment Network
- Onward Neighborhood House
- Precious Blood Ministry of Reconciliation
- RefugeeOne
- Rohingya Culture Center
- St. Joseph Services
- St. Leonard's Ministries
- South-East Asia Center
- The Learning Center
- Tolton Center of De La Salle Institute
- Triton College — Access to Literacy
- UCAN Chicago
- UIC Center for Literacy
- Vietnamese Association of Illinois
- Waubensee Community College — Adult Volunteer Literacy Project
- Willow Chicago
- World Relief Chicago

WORDS ABOUT LITERACY WORKS

“As a first-time ESL instructor, I would have been lost without Literacy Works’ training. Those two days gave me tools that I use in every class, and made me a more confident and competent instructor.”

—ESL INSTRUCTOR

“I really appreciated the concept of making everything simplified, structured, and broken down so that “anybody” could teach those concepts to their clients.”

—PROGRAM COORDINATOR

“The Literacy Works training was even more than I expected. It was a motivating, uplifting, and wonderful experience for tutors! It opened my mind to consider many different things about the students’ learning environment.”

—VOLUNTEER TUTOR

SHARING KNOWLEDGE

Literacy Works’ vision is that one day, all people will be able to recognize their full potential through the ability to read, write, and interpret the world.



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MEMBERSHIP



FY19 MEMBERSHIP DUES



ADDITIONAL SERVICES

Literacy Works offers two membership categories to help you fit your needs. Included with each membership level, your agency's staff and volunteer tutors have access to the trainings and programs shown below.

MEMBERSHIP LEVEL COMPARISON

LITERACY WORKS SERVICES INCLUDED	BASIC MEMBERSHIP	COMPREHENSIVE MEMBERSHIP
Monthly 12-hour English as a Second Language (ESL) Tutor Essentials Core Training for tutors*		✓
Monthly 12-hour Adult Basic Education (ABE) Tutor Essentials Core Training for tutors*		✓
Special Topics Training sessions for tutors and staff	✓	✓
Literacy Forum for training, networking, and resource sharing for tutors and staff	✓	✓
Peer Learning Series offer intensive professional development on a high-interest topic for staff	✓	✓
Capacity Builder Meetings offer training, networking, and sharing proven practices among professionals for staff	✓	✓
Tutor recruitment and referrals to your agency	✓	✓
Student referrals via the Adult Learner Helpline	✓	✓

AGENCY MEMBERSHIP

Agency dues are on a sliding scale, based on an agency's total adult literacy budget including, but not limited to ICCB, SOS, and private grants. Select the dues amount matching your budget and preferred membership package.

ADULT LITERACY BUDGET	BASIC MEMBERSHIP	COMPREHENSIVE MEMBERSHIP
less than \$25,000	\$100	\$150
\$25,001 to 49,999	\$125	\$275
\$50,001 to 99,000	\$150	\$385
\$100,000 to 199,999	\$175	\$440
\$200,000 to 249,999	\$200	\$495
\$250,000 to 499,999	\$350	\$600
\$500,000 to 999,999	\$475	\$900
\$1,000,000 and over	\$575	\$1200

Note: Literacy Works provides membership for individual organizations. If an organization has its own 501(c)(3) status, it is responsible for its own membership dues. Dues are based on an agency's total adult education budget, as our services go beyond supporting any individual contract.

BECOME A MEMBER

To receive an application for membership, contact membership@litworks.org.

Additional services are not included in the membership fee. Please contact Literacy Works for more information and pricing at membership@litworks.org.

CUSTOMIZED TRAINING AND SERVICES

Support your adult education staff or tutors with a customized on-site training. Our skilled trainers provide workshops on a wide range of adult education topics. We also provide specialized curriculum development.

Sample topics:

- Engaging Activities for Adult Literacy Instruction
- Unlocking Words: How to Help New Readers with Phonics and Word Analysis

CLEAR LANGUAGE LAB

We can help all types of programs at your agency tailor their approaches for participants with low literacy. We offer on-site training workshops and consulting services customized for healthcare, case management, workforce development, and other sectors.

Sample services:

- Workshops on effective oral and written communication with low-literacy or low-English clients
- Plain-language materials revision



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