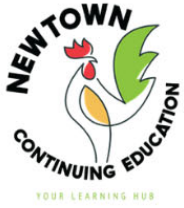


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25% Off Ages 62+
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SEPTEMBER

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PROGRAMS BEGIN

- Classes are taught by Professionals.
- Most classes take place at Newtown High School. Please see individual listings.

Join us for Classes in:

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Newtown High School
12 Berkshire Road
Sandy Hook, CT 06482



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Bus Trips



Please Consider Prior to Booking:

Friendship Tours makes every effort to provide the trip as written. We are not responsible for any changes made in the arrangements (departure locations or delays).

*All trips are non-refundable, but may be transferrable with sufficient notice (at least 30 days).

*Listed departure and arrival times are approximate.

*All trips must be booked at least 2-weeks in advance of the departure date.

*Once booked, if there is any change in the itinerary, we will notify you via email.

*Please note, changes made are not in Newtown Continuing Education's discretion; many times it is at the venue's decision.

Please visit our website for more
Bus Trips this fall/spring

NEW ENGLAND CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

The 38th annual New England Christmas Festival brings you the ONLY SHOPPING DAY you need to stock up on Holiday gifts for everyone on your list. It showcases 350 pop-up boutiques overflowing with American handmade gifts and specialty foods and provides the one-stop solution to the Christmas shopping conundrum. This festival is a delightful blend of a food festival within a craft festival, all set within the luxurious confines of the Mohegan Sun Resort.

Aisles overflowing with Treasures: Specialty foods, Seasonal décor, Distinctive Home Accessories, Fashion, Fine jewelry, Adorable kids' clothing, spa products, and much more.

Course# W24FEST Friday November 8, 2024

Price: \$118 Per Person

Estimated Departure NHS Parking Lot: 8:45 AM

Estimated Return to NHS Parking Lot: 5:30 PM

Tour guide provided by Friendship Tours

Art Classes

WATERCOLOR TECHNIQUES: BASIC

Come explore the art of watercolor painting. Learn techniques for using watercolor as a versatile way to find your artistic style. Lessons are guided exercises that can be used to complete a painting. Students with prior experience are welcome to join to review the basics or to join in to improve their skills. Students are required to purchase supplies; a supply list is available online. No prior drawing or painting experience needed. *Apply a 10% discount.*

Course# F24WCT 6 - 8:30 PM NHS 6 Classes **Price:** \$135
Tuesdays Sept 10, 17, 24, Oct 1, 8, 15, 2024
Lisa Dawson

CREATING CARTOONS AND COMIC STRIPS

Learn how to develop your own cartoon creations showcasing your individual ideas and look by exploring a variety of drawing styles and techniques, different styles of humor, and single panel vs comic strip formats. Develop your story idea and character(s) as much as your art. Instructor Michael Canavan is a professional illustrator, graphic designer and cartoonist. All materials needed for which a supply fee of \$20 will be collected at the first class. *A 10% discount applies.*

Course# F24CCO 6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 6 Classes **Price:** \$135
Thursdays Sept 12, 19, 26, Oct 10, 17, 24, 2024
*No class 10/3/24
Michael Canavan

DRAWING TECHNIQUES: BASIC

Learn the fundamental elements needed to create a drawing through a guided exploration of line, form, shape, texture, value, color and perspective. Those with prior experience are welcome to review the basics or to join and improve their skills. Students are required to purchase supplies; a supply list is available online. No prior drawing or painting experience is needed to join the class. *Apply a 10% discount.*

Course# F24DR 6 - 8:30 PM NHS 6 Classes **Price:** \$135
Thursdays Sept 12, 19, 26, Oct 10, 17, 24, 2024
*No class 10/3
Lisa Dawson

Exploring Pottery

I invite you to explore the amazing world of pottery in my home studio. The focus of this class is to learn the basics of throwing on the wheel. We will be spending three classes throwing, one class trimming and the last one we will be glazing the pieces. Everything needed to handle building projects and wheels are provided. Limited space is available. *No discounts apply.*

Course# 5 Classes Studio **Price:** \$350
F24EP1: Tuesdays Sept 10, 17, 24, Oct 1, 8, 2024 6:30 - 9 PM
F24EP2: Tuesdays Oct 15, 22, 29, Nov 5, 12, 2024 6:30 - 9 PM
F24PEP3: Wednesdays Oct 9, 16, 23, 30, Nov 6, 2024 9:30 - 12 PM
Roberta Ahuja, 1 Great Ring Rd. Sandy Hook, CT

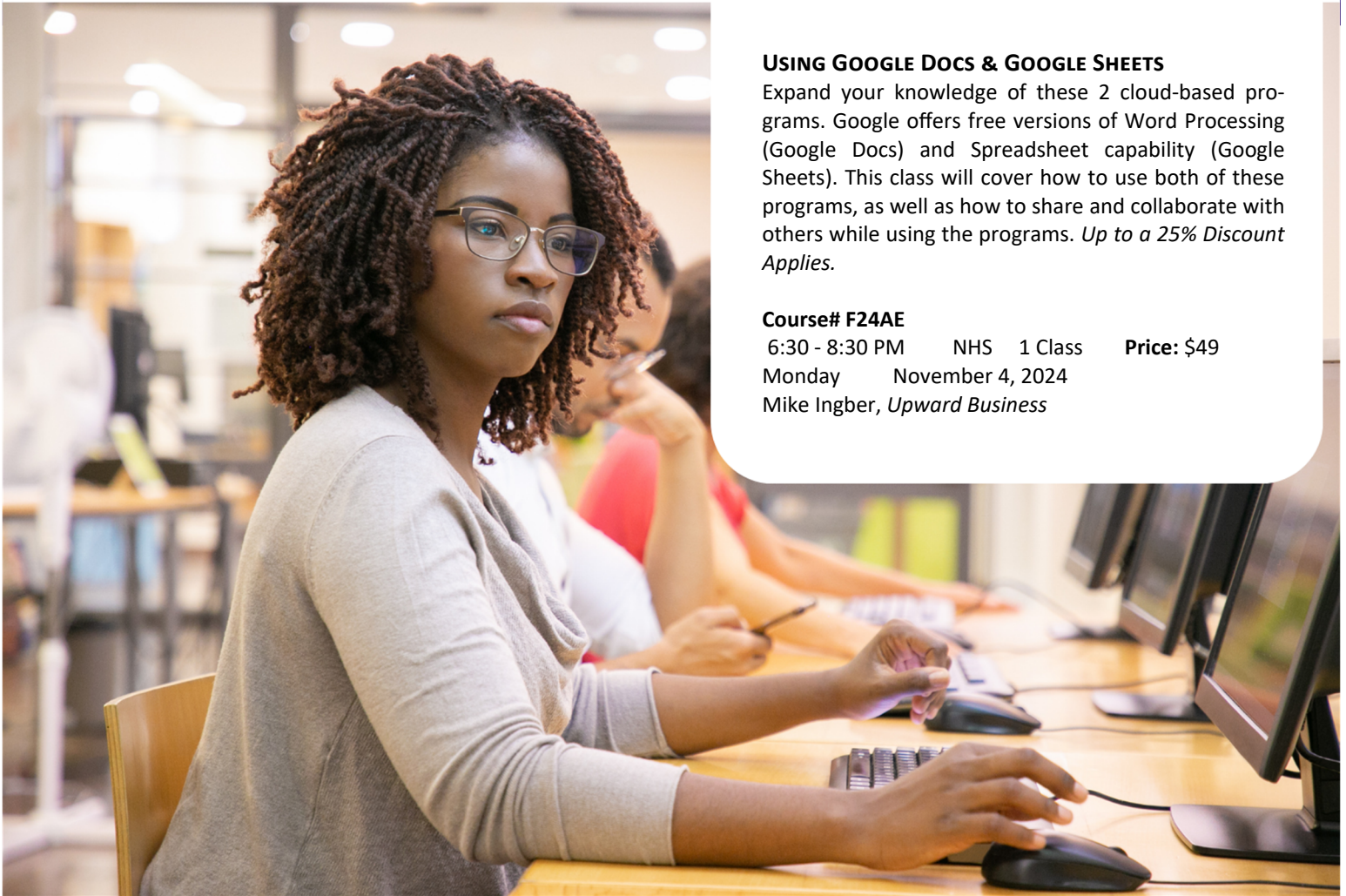


LIFE DRAWING

Designed for beginners who want to learn the basics of drawing from life - creating the illusion of depth and complex shapes on a two-dimensional surface. Using several different types of pencils and paper, students will draw from still life and photographs (chiefly the human form). Learning to observe the structure of what they are drawing. Topics include: composition, Proportion, perspective, value and edge relationships, foreshortening and light/shade. Instructor will provide all materials needed. A supply fee of \$25 is payable to the instructor at the first class. Class size is limited. *A 10% discount applies.*

Course# F24LD 6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 6 Classes **Price:** \$135
Mondays Sept 9, 16, 23, 30, Oct 7, 14, 2024
Michael Canavan

Computer Classes



USING GOOGLE DOCS & GOOGLE SHEETS

Expand your knowledge of these 2 cloud-based programs. Google offers free versions of Word Processing (Google Docs) and Spreadsheet capability (Google Sheets). This class will cover how to use both of these programs, as well as how to share and collaborate with others while using the programs. *Up to a 25% Discount Applies.*

Course# F24AE

6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 1 Class **Price:** \$49
Monday November 4, 2024
Mike Ingber, *Upward Business*

EXPLORING EXCEL

Spreadsheets are all about working with rows and columns of information, and Microsoft Excel is the spreadsheet most used by businesses, students, and home-users. In this class we will first review the important fundamentals of using Excel. We will discuss how to enter and edit data in a spreadsheet and how to format your spreadsheet. And we will cover how to use formulas to do common calculations and how to use Excel's versatile built-in functions. Join us and enrich your experience using Microsoft Excel. *Up to a 25% Discount Applies.*

Course# F24EE 6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 2 Classes **Price:** \$105
Mondays Sept 9 & Sept 16, 2024
Mike Ingber, *Upward Business*

ADVANCED EXCEL

This class covers additional important features of Microsoft Excel. We will discuss: working with dates, sorting your data, filtering, validation techniques, scenarios, filling cells efficiently, conditional formatting, printing options, protection, and more. We will also continue exploring Excel's extensive built-in functions. Some prior knowledge of Excel is expected for this class. *Up to a 25% Discount Applies.*

Course# F24AE 6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 2 Classes **Price:** \$105
Mondays Sept 30 & Oct 7, 2024
Mike Ingber, *Upward Business*

**Computer desktops to use during the Computer Classes are provided.*

Dance Classes

BELLY DANCE BLAST

Strengthen your core and sculpt your belly, arms and legs while learning the basics of the artistic, Middle Eastern Belly Dance! Basic choreography will be mixed with Pop and traditional Middle Eastern music to have you dancing away the calories. Beautiful hip scarves and silk veils provided (or you can bring your own). Workout clothes and a refillable water bottle are recommended. *Apply a 10% discount.*

Course# F24BD 6:30 - 7:30 PM NHS 8 Classes **Price: \$85**
Tuesdays Sept 10, 17, 24, Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024
Suzanne Candee

WEST COAST SWING: BEGINNER

West Coast Swing is a form of swing dancing which is very versatile and played to a variety of music! This beginner class will start you with the basics and get you moving with this very popular swing dance. Attend either session or both. No partner necessary. *No discounts apply.*

Course# 6 - 6:45 PM 4 Classes **Price: \$65**
F24WCS1: Fridays Oct 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024
F24WCS2: Fridays Nov 1, 8, 15, 22, 2024
Vitti's Dance Studio, 10 Precision Rd. (2nd Fl), Danbury

LABLAST FITNESS

LaBlast is a dance fitness program based on the ballroom & latin dances you see on "Dancing with the Stars". A perfect balance of dance and fitness, LaBlast inspires the mind and transforms the body. Fun & energizing, you'll dance to music from every artist, genre, and era! A partner-free, safe ballroom dance workout for every-body, come learn the skill of dance while blasting away calories. Beginners are encouraged to attend! **Wear sneakers and light hand weights are recommended. No discounts apply.*

Course# 6 - 6:45 PM
F24LBF1: Thursdays Sept 5, 12, 19, 26, 2024 **Price: \$48**
F24LBF2: Thursdays Oct 8, 10, 17, 24, 31, 2024 **Price: \$60**
F24LBF3: Thursdays Nov 7, 14, 21, 2024 **Price: \$36**
Vitti's Dance Studio, 10 Precision Rd. (2nd Fl), Danbury

LINE DANCING WORKSHOPS

Great exercise and so much fun, don't miss this opportunity to learn Line Dancing from internationally known teacher and choreographer Jill Weiss. Take one workshop or both, no partner necessary. *No discounts apply.*

Course# 1 Class **Price: \$15**
S24LDW1: Sunday October 20, 2024 3 - 4 PM
S24LDW2: Sunday October 20, 2024 4:15 - 5:15 PM
Vitti's Dance Studio, 10 Precision Rd. (2nd Fl), Danbury

NIGHTCLUB TWO STEP WORKSHOP: BEGINNER

Nightclub Two Step is a beautiful and simple dance which is great for slow music and when you want to do more than just rock back and forth to a romantic song. It's a great dance for ballads but can be danced to other music as well (which we will demonstrate in class). Super dance to know for weddings and social events. No partner necessary. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24NTSB 7 - 7:45 PM 4 Classes **Price: \$65**
Fridays Oct 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024
Vitti's Dance Studio, 10 Precision Rd. (2nd Fl), Danbury

SAMBA WORKSHOP - BEGINNER

Samba is a Latin dance which is high energy & great fun to learn! There are many different styles of Samba dance, some of which are seen in the carnival in Rio De Janeiro as well as in Latin ballroom dancing everywhere. In this workshop we will be starting with the basics of the partner dance and will have you moving to the beat of the music in no time! *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24SWB 7 - 7:45 PM 4 Classes **Price: \$65**
Fridays Nov 1, 8, 15, 22, 2024
Vitti's Dance Studio, 10 Precision Rd. (2nd Fl), Danbury

BACHATA: BEGINNER

Bachata is a Latin dance which originated in the Dominican Republic and is now danced all over the world. Rapidly becoming a "must-know" Latin dance, Bachata is lots of fun and easy to learn. These classes are for students who have little to no previous experience and are ready to get moving with this fun and exciting dance. Attend either season or both. No partner necessary. *No discounts apply.*

Course# : 7 - 7:45 PM 4 classes **Price: \$65**
F24BB1: Fridays Oct 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024
F24BB2: Fridays Nov 1, 8, 15, 22, 2024
Vitti's Dance Studio, 10 Precision Rd. (2nd Fl), Danbury

Fitness Classes

YOGA WITH KAREN

Unwind with a relaxing evening of yoga. Transform from tense and tight to mellow and limber. This yoga practice is designed to lengthen and stretch the body, breath and brain! Karen will teach you how to create an authentic personal practice. Wear sweatpants and bring an exercise/yoga mat (as well as a yoga strap and yoga blocks, if needed). Please refrain from wearing colognes and perfumes; essential oils are okay. *Apply a 10% discount.*

Course# F24YK1

6:30 - 7:30 PM NHS 6 Classes Price: \$69
Wednesdays Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Nov 6, 2024
Karen Pierce

This class involves laying down, knee movements, use of hands, and back and while modifications to movements can be made, we ask that you please consult with your physician prior to registering if you have any concerns to physical limitations, as this is an active class.



FENCING WITH CANDLEWOOD

Fencers of all experience levels are welcome to enjoy this Olympic sport! First time fencing? That's great! We'll jump start you with all the skills you need to get out there and have at it! Are you a more experienced fencer? Come and enjoy refining skills and enjoy the art of fencing with others who share the same interest. Fencers will learn the basics of footwork, bladework, tactical drilling and free-fencing as a group. All equipment is provided for those joining in. *No discounts apply.*

***The minimum age for the Fencing program is 12. Students 12-13 will need to register with a parent/guardian also registering. Any cancellations will be subject to the cancellation policy.**

Course# F24FEN

Tuesdays Sept 24, Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024
7 - 8 PM NHS 6 Classes Price: \$210
Candlewood Fencing, Pecks Ln, Newtown

TAEKWONDO

Taekwondo is a Korean Martial Art that gives you better strength, flexibility, stress relief, cooperation, and emotional stability. Taekwondo uniforms will be given at the first class for a new student. At the end of the class, you will have a chance to break a board and get a new belt! *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24TKO

Tuesdays Sept 10, 17, 24 Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024
7:10 - 7:50 PM NHS 8 Classes Price: \$160
World Champion Taekwondo, 125B S Main St Newtown

Mind & Body Classes

USUI REIKI I (Certification Optional)

Learn about the universal life force, become attuned to the energy in a spiritual ceremony, practice hands-on self-healing techniques, and go home with a robust toolkit to further develop your skills. Once attuned, you may experience improved confidence, relaxation, sleep, digestion, concentration, and patience or a reduction of pain, anxiety, or cravings. Using your newfound skills with intention, use Reiki to heal yourself, adults, children, pets, plants, and more. This gift of healing remains with you for the rest of your life. You will leave enlightened and begin to see the world differently. *No discounts apply.*

Course# 6 - 9 PM NHS 1 Class
F24REI1: Wednesday Sept 11, 2024 **Price: \$99**
(+\$27 digital materials fee payable to instructor)
F24REI2: Wednesday Sept 18, 2024 **Price: \$99**
(Certification with Pre-requisite Session 1)
Audra Mace

REIKI SHARE

Gather with Reiki practitioners to casually share positive energy, experiences, and development. Each person receives a Reiki treatment for a brief period from several different practitioners at one time, and have a chance to give Reiki to several people during the share. Whether you are a beginner honing your skills or wanting to experience Reiki healing, what happens at the Reiki share stays in the Reiki share. (Pre-requisite Proof of Reiki Level II Certification or higher). *No discounts apply.*

Course# 6 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class **Price: \$35**
F24RS1: Wednesday October 30, 2024

USUI REIKI LEVEL II CERTIFICATION

Explore transcendental energy by receiving Reiki II symbols, learning how to use them, and practicing complete treatments with in-person and distance methods. Over time you will deepen your meditation skills, heighten your sensitivity to energy, increase your intuition, and integrate applications for Reiki into your daily life. Reiki II Certification opens possibilities including entry into Reiki Shares, starting a business, and offering treatments remotely. *(Prerequisite Usui Reiki Level I Certificate dated minimum 21 days prior). No discounts apply.*

Course# 6 - 9 PM NHS 2 Classes **Price: \$299**
F24REI: Thursdays October 17 & 24, 2024
(+\$23 digital or \$45 hardcopy materials fee payable to instructor)
Audra Mace

NUMEROLOGY: PERSONAL READING

Numerology is an ancient metaphysical science that reveals the blueprint of every human being's life and is still one of the most accurate and powerful self-help tools available today. Validate and reconcile events from your past, gain insight into your future, or explore a specific intention for yourself or for a personal connection amazingly derived by numeric calculations based on birthdate and name in a 30 minute personal reading via telephone or video appointment with an experienced numerologist. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24NPR **Price: \$35**
By Appointment via Phone or Video 30 minute Personal Reading. You will be contacted approx. 24 business hours after enrolling.



Mind & Body Classes

LIANGONG SERIES 1 : FOR STRESS, STRAINS & SPRAINS

Liangong is a health exercise system that combines orthopedic science and sports medicine. The entire Liangong system consists of 3 series of 18 specially designed exercises to enable the practitioner to develop the ability to self-heal the body (joints, limbs, organs, and bodily functions). The first series of 18 Liangong exercises addresses chronic pain in the neck, shoulders, arms, back, hips, knees, and feet. This four-week course will introduce the student to body shaking and meditation to relax the body and connect the mind at the beginning of each class. Week 1 will introduce the first 6 exercises for preventing and relieving aching neck and shoulders. Week 2 will review the first 6 exercises and introduce exercises 7 -12 which prevent and relieve backache. Week 3 will review the first 12 exercises and introduce the last 6 exercises which prevent and relieve hip and leg pain. Week 4 all 18 exercises are reviewed as a whole, and participants leave with a handout explaining all 18 exercises. All four classes end with swinging the arms and massaging the face. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24LG1 6 - 7 PM NHS 4 Classes **Price:** \$49
Tuesdays Sept 10, 17, 24, Oct 1, 2024
Vincent Candela, *Brookfield Tai Chi*

EIGHT PIECES OF BROCADE

An ancient Chinese exercise and fitness system used as an alternative healing therapy (AKA medical Qi Gong). It consists of a series of eight exercises that follow the principles of Traditional Chinese Medicine. It is one of the most gentle and effective ways of working with the body, calming the nervous system, healing body, mind and spirit. Eight Pieces of Brocade enables the student to correct physical and energetic imbalances, releases emotions and stress. It is a simple and effective way of directing Qi (life energy) throughout the body and removing blockages that can cause sickness or disease without acupuncture, herbs or massage. No special equipment is required, just loose comfortable clothes and footwear. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24BQ 7:15 - 8:15 PM NHS 4 Classes **Price:** \$49
Tuesdays Sept 10, 17, 24, Oct 1, 2024
Vincent Candela, *Brookfield Tai Chi*

TAI CHI EASY - TAKE 10 SERIES

Feel better fast with Ten Minute Tai Chi Easy formulas. Transform your health by awakening your internal healing resources in just ten seconds. Choose to start your day, take a break, or end your day performing the Ten Minute Tai Chi Easy Movement Series, Ten Minute Tai Chi Easy Movement Total Body Tune-up, or Ten Minute Tai Chi Easy Massage Intensive. *No discounts apply.*

Course#
Guo Lin Anti-Cancer Walking Qigong 6 - 7 PM **Price:** FREE INTRO
F24TC1: Wednesday October 2, 2024
Tai Chi Easy - Take 10 Series 6 PM - 7:15 PM **Price:** \$69
F24TC2: Wednesdays Oct 9, 16, 23, 2024
(a one-time \$20 materials fee is payable to instructor)
Audra Mace

LIANGONG SERIES 2: FOR JOINTS & INTERNAL ORGANS

Liangong Series 2 addresses pains in the joints and limbs (arthralgia), inflammation of the tendon sheath where muscle connects to bone (tenosynovitis), tennis elbow, and dysfunction of the internal organs (high blood pressure, coronary heart disease, gastrointestinal disorders, neurosis and emotional distress). Series 1 is concerned with developing control of the limbs and joints of the limbs, and using them to address pain or injury in the neck, shoulders, back, legs, ankles and feet. Liangong Series 2 goes deeper to address issues in the connective tissue and strengthen the functionality of the internal organs with exercise and self massage. The first 6 exercises are designed for the joints of the limbs. Exercises 7 -12 are for preventing and healing tendonitis, and the last 6 exercises are for healing and preventing disorders of the internal organs. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24LG2 6 - 7 PM NHS 4 Classes **Price:** \$49
Tuesdays Oct 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024
Vincent Candela, *Brookfield Tai Chi*

THE SWIMMING DRAGON QIGONG

The Swimming Dragon is an ancient Taoist Qi Gong that has the power to improve our health, fitness level and promote general well being. It is practiced by repeating a short cycle of movements specifically designed as a comprehensive care system for the internal organs. The benefits of this movement are improvements in the digestive system and the ability to eliminate waste, improve the breathing process, fortifies the kidneys, relieves neck, shoulder, low back and hip pain by benefitting the spine, nervous system and meridians. Lastly it greatly enhances the body's ability to relax, reducing stress and the associated ailments. No special equipment is required, just loose comfortable clothes and footwear. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24SWQ 7:15 - 8:15 PM NHS 4 Classes **Price:** \$49
Tuesdays Oct 8, 15, 22, 29, 2024
Vincent Candela, *Brookfield Tai Chi*

Music & Media

INTRODUCTION TO IMPROV COMEDY

This course will dig deeper into the fundamentals of improvisational comedy, help improve storytelling skills, teach techniques to think quickly on your feet, and to generally be more creative. While the emphasis in teaching will be having fun over becoming perfect improvisers, students can expect a class, not just games. Connecting exercises with learning. *Come learn from an Upright Citizen's Bridge trained Improviser with over 20 years of experience. Matt has been seen on improv stages across the country including The Second City, Sea Tea Comedy Theater & The New York Improv Festival.*

Course# F24IMP

6 - 8 PM NHS 6 Classes Price: \$125
Thursdays Sept 12, 19, 26, Oct 10, 17, 24, 2024
*No class 10/3/24
Matt Austin

WRITE A NOVEL OR SHORT STORY

Learn how to successfully create and develop your novel or short story idea by FIRST focusing on the basics - character development, scene creation, and a fully developed plot - to construct a coherent, satisfying narrative. Rather than jumping in at page one with no real idea how your story will develop or end, get to know all your characters and the main conflicts and actions of your story first, for a manageable and successful writing experience. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24SST 6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 6 Classes Price: \$89
Tuesdays Sept 10, 17, 24, Oct 1, 8, 15, 2024
Michael Canavan

INSTANT GUITAR: FOR HOPELESSLY BUSY PEOPLE

In just a few hours you can learn enough about playing the guitar to give you years of musical enjoyment, and you won't have to take private lessons to do it. This crash course will teach you some basic chords and get you playing along with your favorite songs right away. Fee includes the online book, online follow up lessons, a recording of the class and also an optional periodic question and answer session. Class is held online using zoom and is partly hands-on instruction and partly lecture/demonstration. For ages 13+. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24IG 6:30 - 9 PM Zoom 1 Class Price: \$69
Wednesday November 6, 2024
Craig Coffman, *Chords are Key*

INTRODUCTION TO VOICEOVERS

Explore the craft of voiceovers! Discover current trends, opportunities and tools you need to find success in this growing remote working industry. Read a real script and receive coaching from your instructor, a professional voice actor to improve your delivery. One-time, 90-minute, introductory class. Learn more at <http://www.voicesforall.com/ooo>. Upon registration you will be contacted by VFA to schedule your class for a day and time of your convenience. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24IVO Virtual 1 Class (90 minutes) Price: \$49

Register online and you will be contacted by Voices for All, LLC to schedule your 90 minute session. Voices for all is available for appointments 7 days a week, (8 am - 8 pm). *You will book your time slot directly with Voices for All, LLC.*

INSTANT PIANO: FOR HOPELESSLY BUSY PEOPLE

In just a few hours, you can learn enough secrets of the trade to give you years of musical enjoyment. Learn to play piano the way professionals do-using chords. The chord method is LOTS of fun and dramatically easier to learn than reading notes. Fee includes the online book, online follow up lessons, a recording of the class and also an optional periodic question and answer session. Class is held online using zoom and is partly hands-on instruction and partly lecture/demonstration. For ages 13+. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24IP 6:30 - 9:30 PM Zoom 1 Class Price: \$69
Monday November 4, 2024
Craig Coffman, *Chords are Key*

Future & Financial Planning

*Financial seminars are provided as informational opportunities for those who wish to attend. Participants should consult with their own financial planners and or lawyers for advice prior to making decisions for their future and or finances.

ASSET PROTECTION TRUSTS & REVOCABLE LIVING TRUSTS

Avoid probate, minimize estate taxes, protect assets from Medicaid, preserve IRA funds, provide for disabled family members, and protect your estate from your children's creditors. Trusts keep you in control: You say what goes in, what comes out, and who does what. Avoid conservatorship during incapacity, litigation over your estate, costs of probate, and Medicaid forfeitures. Topics to be covered include: Revocable Living Trusts, Asset Protection Trusts, IRA Trusts, Special Needs Trusts, and Testamentary Trusts. *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# F24RLT Virtual 6:30 - 8 PM 1 Class **Price:** \$29
Wednesday September 11, 2024
Thomas E. Murphy Esq. & Michele F. Murphy RN, MSN, Esq., *Danbury Estate Planning & Elder Law*

SOCIAL SECURITY PLANNING:

DO YOU KNOW WHAT STRATEGY IS BEST FOR YOU?

When should you take your Social Security? How do you apply? What impact does your spouse's Social Security have on what you collect? This ninety-minute virtual presentation covers not only the basics of Social Security but also reveals strategies for maximizing your benefits. We will discuss how to minimize taxes on Social Security benefits and how to coordinate your Social Security with your other sources of retirement income. We welcome your questions about Social Security benefits as you explore your own personal options in making this financial *decision*. *The link is emailed as soon as you enroll. There are no refunds for this course once enrolled. Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# 6:30 - 8 PM Virtual 1 Class **Price:** \$29
F24SS1: Monday September 16, 2024
F24SS2: Tuesday October 8, 2024
F24SS3: Wednesday November 13, 2024
Charles Yannich & Al D'Agosto, *Retirement & Money Strategies*

ESTATE PLANNING & TRUSTS

During this informative seminar, you will learn about the estate planning documents everyone should have to properly plan ahead. These include a Will, Powers of Attorney, Living Will, and Revocable Living Trusts. We will also touch briefly on avoiding Probate and asset protection. *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# F24EP 6 - 7:30 PM NHS 1 Class **Price:** \$29
Wednesday September 18, 2024
Nicole Camporeale, *Hoekenga, Machado & Lyon, LLC*

ELDER LAW: PROTECT YOUR ASSETS AS YOU AGE

Anyone can require long-term care as we age, and it can be financially ruinous. Learn how to protect your home and life's savings from Medicaid (Title 19) in case you need long-term care. Elder Law attorneys will address these urgent questions: If I don't plan, what will Medicaid "take"? How can I protect my assets and still keep control over them? How can a trust protect my assets? How can I get income from Veterans Affairs? How can I avoid probate? Preserve your life's savings and lifestyle, and protect your assets as you age. Attorneys Murphy explain using trusts and other techniques to protect your assets and income and qualify for Medicaid benefits (for home care, assisted living, or nursing home), VA Aid & Attendance pension (up to \$2,727/month) and Probate Avoidance through Revocable Living Trusts. *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# F24EL Virtual 6:30 - 8 PM 1 Class **Price:** \$29
Wednesday October 23, 2024
Thomas E. Murphy Esq. & Michele F. Murphy RN, MSN, Esq., *Danbury Estate Planning & Elder Law*

FOUNDATIONS IN INVESTING & MAKING YOUR MONEY LAST

This seminar will cover two topics, Foundations in Investing and Making Your Money Last. Foundations in Investing is an educational Seminar for people who want an overview on investing, including key terms and investment types. This seminar covers the basic features of bonds, stocks and mutual funds and the importance of asset allocation. The second topic will include information designed for people who are thinking about retiring or have retired recently. This workshop will help you focus on what matters most to you and build a financial strategy to achieve it. *Apply up to a 25% discount.*

Course# F24MML 6 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class **Price:** \$29
Thursday September 12, 2024
Maria Xavier, *Edward Jones*

MEDICARE BASICS

Designed for those approaching 65 and or those new to Medicare, this educational workshop will cover many aspects of this somewhat daunting and complex subject. A few of the topics included are Medicare Part A, B & D, benefits, costs and various related Medicare solutions. "Medigap," plans (Medicare Supplements), Medicare Advantage Plans, Medicare Savings Plans, Extra Help, discount drug cards and how Medicare works with other health insurance. The goal is to learn about Medicare and to reduce the cost of healthcare. *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# 6:30 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class **Price:** \$29
F24MB1: Thursday September 19, 2024
F24MB2: Thursday October 17, 2024
F24MB3: Thursday November 7, 2024
Suzanne Candee, *HIQS Group*

History & Genealogy Classes

SCANDALS OF THE SILENT FILM ERA (1900 - 1929)

The beginning of the last century would be the time that the early Hollywood film industry begins. Learn about the film stars and the scandals that would rock the world of the silent film industry and which of the famous Hollywood personalities engaged in which scandals. A look at a historic period in American film history and those that had an impact on this period. *Apply up to a 25% discount.*

Course# F24SF1 6 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class **Price: \$44**
Wednesday September 18, 2024
Leon DiMartino

THE GOLDEN AGE OF HORROR FILMS (1930's - 1940's)

The 1930's began the decade of talking movies and many of the best horror movies of all time were made from the 1930's into the 1940's. The movie stars of these films included Bela Lugosi, Boris Karloff, Peter Lorrie, and others. Learn the story of how these classic films and the actors who appeared in them have had an impact on American film culture and film history to this very day. *Apply up to a 25% discount.*

Course# F24H5 6 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class **Price: \$44**
Wednesday October 16, 2024
Leon DiMartino

RESEARCHING OUR ROOTS: AN INTRODUCTION TO GENEALOGY

Are you interested in building your family tree? Join instructor Sarah Miller as she presents strategies to begin your ancestral research using a variety of online sources. We'll focus on American records available and how to locate them. The presentation is followed by guided research time with access to several paid genealogical subscriptions. Please bring family documents and information, as well as a tablet or laptop. This class is designed for those just beginning their ancestral research. *Apply a 10% discount.*

Course# F24RR 6 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class **Price: \$45**
Thursday September 19, 2024
Sarah Miller

RESEARCHING OUR ROOTS: DIGGING DEEPER

Genealogical research is both rewarding and challenging. Have you hit a roadblock in your ancestral research? Are you not sure how to find more generations of your family? Join instructor Sarah Miller as she shares tips and tools to help you dig deeper into your family's past. Sarah will present a case study of how she solved a difficult family mystery, and will introduce international research. She will also discuss strategies to feel confident in sourcing your research. Please bring any family documents and information you have, as well as a tablet or laptop, for guided research time. *Apply a 10% discount.*

Course# F24RD1 6 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class **Price: \$45**
Thursday October 17, 2024
Sarah Miller



Gardening Classes



HOUSEPLANTS 101

Cooler temperatures will be here before you know it and gardening outside will have to wait. Why not do some indoor gardening? We're talking houseplants! Do you have a hard time with indoor plants? Already a houseplant enthusiast? Expand your knowledge and know how. We will cover all sorts of houseplant situations and offer advice on how to keep your houseplants happy, what plants to choose (and what to avoid), where to place them, and how to maintain and overwinter indoor potted plants. From common houseplants to orchids, African violets, and everything in between, we'll tackle the different challenges of indoor gardening and learn how to make your houseplants work for you! *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# S24GAR3

6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 1 Class Price: \$39
Monday October 21, 2024
Nicole Christensen

POLLINATOR GARDENING IN FALL

Don't put away your gloves just yet! There are many advantages to fall planting. Native plants thrive because soil temperatures moderate, precipitation is more reliable, roots continue to grow and strengthen over winter, and cooler temperatures make gardening easier and more enjoyable. All gardens benefit from the introduction of native species. This program highlights many beautiful native plants with colorful photos and helpful hints on planting and design suggestions. *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# F24PG 6 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class Price: \$29
Wednesday September 18, 2024
Holly Kocet

FALL GARDEN TIPS FOR SPRING GARDEN SANITY...

In this class, we will discuss how to put your garden and flower beds "to bed" for the end of the season, how to properly store tools and other garden items, and how and what to prune, and how and what to sanitize. Avoid many preventable garden and yard issues, including diseases and other pests throughout the year by doing a few simple things before cold weather sets in. You'll walk away with some great tips! *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# F24SGS 6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 1 Class Price: \$39
Monday October 7, 2024
Nicole Christensen

CANNING 101:

A Comprehensive Beginner Guide to Canning and Preserving: Do you love to garden and find yourself with a bounty? Do you feel giddy at farmer's markets and come home with more than you can possibly eat? This class is for you! We will cover everything the beginner canner and preserver needs to know. Learn what tools you need, how to choose the best vegetables and fruits, and how to safely preserve your harvest, along with great tips, recipes, and more! *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# F24CAN1 6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 1 Class Price: \$39
Monday September 9, 2024
Nicole Christensen

IT'S NOT OVER YET...FALL PLANTING

It's not over yet! In this class, we'll plan a "fall garden", discussing what to plant now to extend your growing season in both vegetable and flower beds, with tips and tricks. We will also talk about perennials, containers, adding fall color, and thinking of spring with bulb planting tips. Both beginner and seasoned gardeners will benefit from this class with great tips! *Up to a 25% discount applies.*

Course# F24FP1 6:30 - 8:30 PM NHS 1 Class Price: \$39
Monday September 16, 2024
Nicole Christensen

Recreation & Knitting



BRIDGE 1: THE BASICS

Bridge is a social game that provides a workout for your brain whether you are taking classes or playing. If you are looking for a challenge, and want to make more friends, bridge is the game for you. This course is the perfect place to start whether you are a true beginner or returning to bridge after a long absence. Everyone will be playing bridge at the first lesson! Before the end of the course, players will be ready to join bridge games with friends. Come with a friend - or come alone and make new ones! See why bridge is the world's most popular card game. *No discounts apply.*

Course# F24BR1 9:30 - 11:30 AM ETH 8 Classes **Price:** \$125
Tuesdays Sept 24, Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, Nov 5, 12, 2024
Susan Fronapfel, Edmond Town Hall, Alexandria Room, Newtown

ADULT KNITTING CIRCLE: BEGINNERS

Make time for yourself and learn to knit! If you've always wanted to knit, but didn't know where to start, or need to brush up on the basics, this course is for you! Learn casting on, knitting, purling, shaping and more, creating a fashionable project to start! Knitting is a great hobby that can be transported with you- knit at sports events, waiting rooms...using snippets of time! It's a very calming hobby. Learn about different fibers, try out different types and sizes of needles, and more! Crochet basics will also be taught. *Students need to bring in a skein of SUPER bulky-weight yarn (recommended: Lion brand Wool-Ease "Thick N Quick" available at Joanns, Michaels, or Amazon) of their choice, and US size 13, or 15 knitting needles (straight, shorter length) to start. *Apply a 10% discount.*

Course# Wednesdays Teen Center 8 Classes **Price:** \$135
F24KBD: 11 AM - 12 PM *No class 10/30 & 11/27
Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, Nov 6, 13, 20, Dec 4, 2024
F24KBE: 6:45 - 7:45 PM *No class 10/30 & 11/27
Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, Nov 6, 13, 20, Dec 4, 2024
Nicole Christensen, (Teen Center, 53A Church Hill Rd)



ADULT KNITTING CIRCLE: INTERMEDIATE+

For those who can cast on and knit and purl, and are ready to build more skills (or have completed the beginner course). For intermediate students, projects will be created starting with an "oh so cute" hat that can be made in sizes from children to adults, as well as a seamless project "knitting in the round" on circular needles. In this comprehensive, step-by-step, fun class, you'll learn to read patterns, check gauge, master more difficult stitches (including cables), various ways to cast on, an more! Students need to bring in size 10 (longer length) straight needles and one skein (150 yards) of worsted/medium weight yarn of their choice to start. Other materials will be discussed in class, as needed. Advanced projects are also available, and students are always welcome to bring independent projects of their choice for help and instruction, as well. *Apply a 10% discount.*

Course# Teen Center 8 Classes **Price:** \$135
F24KID: Wednesdays 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM
Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, Nov 6, 13, 20, Dec 4, 2024 *No 10/30 or 11/27
F24IKE: Thursdays 6:45 - 7:45 PM
Oct 3, 10, 17, 24, Nov 7, 14, 21, Dec 5, 2024 *No 10/31 or 11/28
Nicole Christensen, Teen Center, 53A Church Hill Rd, Newtown

BRIDGE 2: LET'S COMPETE

Do you hate to pass? This class introduces the techniques of a modern competitive bridge game. Graduates of a beginning bridge class and players with some, but not a lot of experience, will discover how to interfere with and how to take advantage of the opponents' bidding, how to bid with great hands, how to try for slams, what to lead and more. *No discounts apply No discounts apply.*

Course# F24BR2
Tuesdays Jan 7, 14, 21, 28, Feb 4, 11, 18, 25, 2025
9:30 - 11:30 AM ETH 8 Classes **Price:** \$125
Susan Fronapfel,
Edmond Town Hall, Alexandria Room, Newtown

Informational Seminars



GOATS 101

Discover the captivating world of goats. Delve into the basics of goat care, behavior, and breeds while gaining insights on these adorable animals. Whether you are a prospective goat owner or simply intrigued by these delightful creatures, this class will provide a comprehensive overview. Topics covered will include basic care, nutrition, health and shelter needs. We invite you to explore the joys of goat ownership. *Apply a 10% discount. Attendees will have the opportunity to visit Great Ring Farm in mid-April after the baby goats are born.*

Course# F24IG 6:30 - 8 PM NHS 1 Class
Price: \$27 Single/\$39 Couple
Thursday November 7, 2024
Roberta & Chandravir Ahuja

GET HOMEWORK DONE!

This workshop is aimed at empowering parents to understand the challenges their children face with homework and how to effectively support them. Explore executive function skills and their importance in completing homework tasks. Gain valuable insights into your role as a parent in facilitating your child's homework success and discover practical strategies to implement at home. Understand what your child's role really is (hint: it's not just to do homework!) and get homework done!

Course# F24GHD 7 - 8:15 PM NHS 1 Class **Price:** \$50
Tuesday October 8, 2024
Melissa Bildner

Melissa Bildner is a licensed provider of Cindy Goldrich's Calm and Connected© workshop, a certified ADHD & Executive Function Parent Coach and a certified Life Coach. Melissa has been learning about and living with people afflicted with ADHD for over 10 years.

LENTZ & LENTZ SAT PREP

Designed to benefit students of all ability levels, this 24-hour program is divided equally between English and math and covers all facets of the SAT. Class features: test-taking techniques, practice SAT(s), advanced math and shortcut math, vocabulary development, speed-reading and online lesson podcasts for supplemental review. The podcasts are extremely helpful to all students, especially those with cognitive and perceptual disabilities. Extra help at no charge, course materials and complimentary refresher sessions are included in the tuition. Previous SAT type problems are used in conjunction with our own copyrighted curriculum. Lentz & Lentz teachers have been specifically trained to teach this program and all of our instructors have a background in teaching. Lentz & Lentz also allows students the flexibility to attend live make-up classes at any of its nearby locations. Positive scores on the SAT and PSAT could translate into thousands of dollars in scholarships and savings. Free extra help and live makeup sessions included in tuition: Students can set up free extra help by making an appointment to meet with their instructor directly before or after class. If a student misses a class or has a scheduling conflict they can contact Lentz & Lentz to set up a live make up class at a neighboring location. *No discounts apply.*

For more information or to register call 1-845-638-2826 or visit www.LentzSATPrep.com

Lentz & Lentz Guaranteed: Money back guarantee within three calendar days after lesson one if the student is not satisfied with the program. No refunds will be issued after that point in time. If the student does not attend the first session, regardless of any reason, there will be an \$85 charge. There is a \$25 processing fee for refunds. *Preferred rate for NHS is already reflected in pricing.*

LENTZ & LENTZ IN-PERSON COURSE SCHEDULE:

Course# LENTZF24

6:30 PM - 9:30 PM	NHS	8 Classes	Price: \$549
Mondays	Sept 23 & 30, 2024		
Wednesdays	Sept 18, Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 2024		

For online courses, please view the Lentz & Lentz website to enroll.

THE PRINCETON REVIEW'S ESSENTIALS COURSE:

Instruction Includes:

18 hours of focused classroom time

Unlimited access to SAT Advantage LiveOnline Sessions

Practice Materials Include:

9 The Princeton Review exclusive SAT practice tests

Flexibility:

365 days access to all our practice problems, out of class work, supplemental drills, and SAT exams, so you will be ready no matter when your test date is

Includes ACT Prep:

Full-length and single-section practice tests for the ACT

100+ expert-created video lessons for the ACT

Money Back and Satisfaction Guarantees:

If you don't score higher on your exam, we'll refund your tuition. Please review their website for terms and conditions.

If you're not 100% satisfied with your course, we'll let you repeat the program for free.

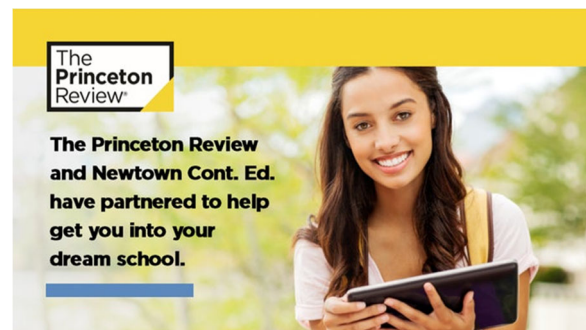
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WEBSITE: Princetonreview.com/NewtownCT

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NEWTOWN10% for discounts on tutoring



DRIVER'S EDUCATION

THE NEXT STREET :

The Full Driver's Ed Course typically earns you a discount with your insurance company and you can even add on the option to take the test with The Next Street.

Need Help with your
Permit Test?

Take the **FREE** practice test with questions straight from DMV's database. Each time you take the test, you'll get 25 new questions, so keep taking it. If you can take it 3 times, scoring at least an 80%, you're ready for the DMV.

Access the Practice Test:
Thenextstreet.com/practice

The Next Street Full Driver Education Course



Full Driver Education Course **Price: \$739*** Price may change

Bundle Includes:

30 Hours of Classroom Instruction &
8 Hours of Private Driving Lessons

This course typically qualifies you for an insurance discount through your insurance company and there is only a 4 month waiting period for your license. This is the most popular course available for HS students.

***Register Online:** Thenextstreet.com/newtownhs
Or Call TNS directly to Register: (860) 631 - 4292

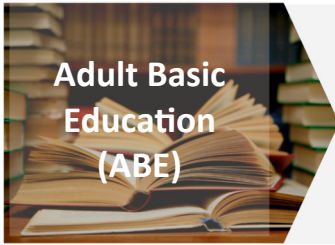
The Next Street offers unparalleled schedule flexibility. TNS has the largest variety of schedule offerings in the most time slots, every day of the week. No other driving school matches their availability of classes and lessons, where and when you need them.

Through their Student Portal, you can launch Zoom classes, view and change your schedule, add services, pay your bill and manage your entire driving school experience.

- ..# **License Testing Services available**
- ..# **Additional Private Driving Lessons available for add-on**
- ..# **8-Hour Adult Course also available**
- ..# **Additional services available**

WERACE : WESTERN CT REGIONAL ADULT & CONTINUING EDUCATION

Registration, textbooks & materials are **FREE** for Newtown residents for mandated classes.
Must be a Newtown Resident and present a valid ID.



Adult Basic Education (ABE)

For adult learners who need basic reading, writing and numeracy skills. Classes are offered in math and reading. (*Evening Classes*)



U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services Citizenship

Prepares students to pursue citizenship through the prescribed Immigration and Naturalization Service process.

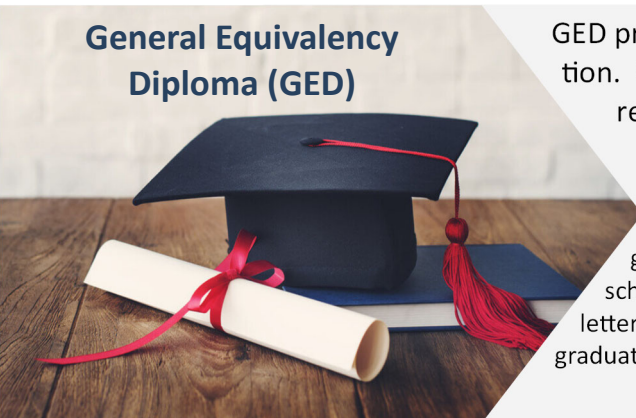
- Valid photo ID, proof of residency, and social security number are required.
- Registration for all new students includes a placement test. Please plan on a two-hour visit.
- New Students are encouraged to set up a pre-registration appointment prior to registering.
- All students will be required to attend a virtual, student orientation.

For more information visit:

www.Danbury.k12.ct.us

To Register for classes:

- Step 1:** Download the *Registration Forms* from the **Danbury.k12.ct.us** website under **Schools > Adult Education/WERACE**
- Step 2:** Complete the Registration Forms - found online.
- Step 3:** Call **(203) 797-4731** to complete your registration. All students must attend a virtual orientation. Registration is first come, first served.
- Register early.**

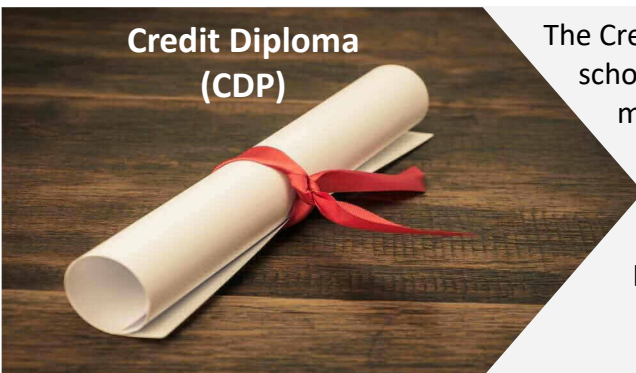


General Equivalency Diploma (GED)

GED preparation program to help students prepare for the GED examination. Classes prepare students for all sections of the exam with a focus on reading, writing and mathematics. Students may also enroll in Adult Basic Education (ABE) classes then progress to GED classes when ready.

Students who are 17 years old must submit documentation that a parent or guardian has signed them out of a CT high school and that they have been out of school at least six months. Students who are 18 years old must submit an official letter from the last Connecticut high school attended certifying that their class has graduated, or that they have been withdrawn from school for at least 6 months.

GED Testing (*Evening & Day Classes*)



Credit Diploma (CDP)

The Credit Diploma Program offers students the opportunity to earn a high school diploma through the accumulation of credits. WERACE graduates must earn 23 credits in specific academic and elective areas and may transfer earned credits from other high schools. Students have the opportunity to participate in teacher-facilitated classes, as well as earn credits through online platforms. Credits for work, military experience, job training, or community service may also be awarded.

CDP Testing (*Evening & Day Classes*)

English as a Second Language (ESL)

Designed for adults who have limited English language skills. There are three levels of ESL instruction: Beginning, Intermediate and Advanced. ESL classes help students to improve their listening, speaking, reading and writing skills so they are better able to find employment, become involved with their children's schooling, and make use of community resources.

(Evening & Daytime Classes)

SHARE YOUR TALENT OR IDEAS WITH OUR COMMUNITY

DO YOU HAVE AN INNOVATIVE IDEA?

Do you have a **new** or **exciting** course you would like to bring to the Newtown Community through Newtown Continuing Education? **We are always looking** for innovative instructors to bring their talent to us. We offer a *competitive salary*, as well as an opportunity for you to meet and engage with other members of our community and provide the space to do so.

Email Your Proposal to: continuinged@newtown.k12.ct.us

Full Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Course Information:

Program Name: _____

Preferred Dates/Times: _____

Brief Description: (75-100 words) _____

Professional References:

Name & Entity/Title: _____ Phone: _____

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Submit this form through Email: continuinged@newtown.k12.ct.us or by mail

Mail to: Newtown Continuing Education at Newtown High School - 12 Berkshire Rd. Sandy Hook, CT 06482

Policies

Cancellations: In order to provide the best program possible, we need a commitment at least **two weeks prior** to your scheduled class. Refunds will not be given without two weeks' notice. A cancellation fee is also assessed to all cancellations.

Refund Policy:

- A \$15 processing fee is assessed to all refunds. Refunds are issued with two weeks' notice.
- Cancellations accompanied by a doctor's note will be considered for classes. Please contact us as soon as possible. **Email:** continuinged@newtown.k12.ct.us (Please be sure to review our procedures for Make Up Classes).

Discounts: The Senior Discount and Early Registration discounts may not be combined, and are for use on select programs. *Discounts do not apply to Ed2Go online classes, Driver's Ed, SAT Prep Courses, or Bus Trips. Discounts must be applied prior to payment processing, otherwise your discount is forfeited. Credits on your accounts cannot be applied to these classes either.*

Fees:

- A \$15 fee will be assessed for any and all cancellations, regardless of reason.
- Returned checks are subject to a \$15 charge.

Make Up Classes: Make up classes will be offered, either in-person or virtually. Neither refunds, credits, nor proration's will be given for your absence in a make-up class; regardless of reason. Make up classes are usually added on to the last week of your session date, or moved to another date. Email is the form of contact for make up classes.

Arrival for Programs:

- Please arrive **no earlier than 5 minutes** prior to your scheduled class, as instructors use their time to setup for classes and to be prepared for you.
- Please pre-register online or via phone. There is no on-site registration.
- Please do not wander the building. *Bathrooms are in the front of the building upon arrival.*
- A TV screen is placed in the lobby which will help you find your way. Classroom assignments for courses are listed online at newtown-ce.revtrak.net the day of your course.

Age Requirements:

- Most classes are open to students ages 16 and older, unless prior permission is given from NCE.
- Bus Trips are offered to anyone over 14 years of age, unless otherwise noted or with special permission from NCE.

Web Courses:

- Participants are to provide their own device. All Newtown Board of Education policies should be complied with while attending online courses.
- Materials will not be provided, unless previously specified.
- If you are asked to leave due to inappropriate behavior, neither a credit nor refund will be issued.

Visitors: Visitors will not be permitted in the building. Only those that have **pre-registered** for a program or are retained as instructors will be given admittance into a class. Childcare is not provided and children are not allowed to sit in on classes, nor outside in the hallway for their safety.

School Closings & Policies

Weather Related:

- Please wait for an email directly from Newtown Continuing Education regarding a cancellation of evening classes. Emails are sent by 2:30PM on the day of the class.
- Our **Facebook Page:** *Newtown Continuing Education* is updated with Evening class closures.

Extenuating Circumstances:

- If schools are closed to the public at the discretion of the Board of Education or State of Connecticut, make up classes *will be* given. At times make up classes will be given virtually or in a blended learning style (computer, PSAT/SAT, Mind and Body, Personal Development, Communication, Photography, History, Driver's Ed, and crafting classes, etc.).
- We are not responsible for providing devices to attend virtual classes, some instruction will be given on access to the virtual "classroom," through Zoom or Google Meet, prior to your scheduled class. For seminars, you can join in via phone if another device is not available.
- Bus excursions are subject to cancellation, and will be at the discretion of Friendship Tours or any of their participants. *Refunds for bus trips will be on a case-by-case basis.*
- If a decision is made to cancel and or postpone classes due to circumstances out of our control, NCE will provide a make up schedule.

Smoking & Board of Education Policies:

All public school buildings and grounds are non-smoking areas, per policy of the Newtown Board of Education. This policy also applies to virtual courses. Participants are expected to adhere to all District policies, regardless of whether they are attending programs in-person or virtually; with the exception of wearing a mask and social distancing for virtual programs.

Non Discrimination Policy:

Newtown Continuing Education does not discriminate on the basis of ethnicity, race, color, age, marital status, gender, disability, sexual orientation or religion, mental or physical disability or any other legally recognized protected status in any of its employment practices, school activities, or educational programs.

*We appreciate your continuous support,
understanding and cooperation*

Register for an Adult Ed Class

Full Name:

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY):
 / /

Address:

[Skip the form & Register Online at:](#)
newtown-ce.revtrak.net

City State Zip
*We send email notifications for updates/cancellations. An email is required to enroll in a program.

Email

Phone#: Alt. Phone#:

Designated Emergency Contact: (*Required)

Name: Phone:

Relationship:

Course Registration : *Discounts cannot be combined & do not apply to all courses.*

Course#/Name: Fee:

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Grand Total:

BY REGISTERING YOU AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING LIABILITY WAIVER: (Please review all policies on pg. 18)

Liability Waiver: I, undersigned, assume all risks and hazards incidental to such participation in the Newtown Adult Continuing Education activity; and I hereby, waive, release, absolve indemnity, and agree to hold harmless the Newtown Adult Continuing Education Department and the program instructors, organizers, sponsors, etc. for any claim arising out of injury to myself. Participation is at my own risk. There is no medical coverage. In voluntarily agreeing to in-person participation in a Newtown Continuing Education program, participant(s) understand that they are assuming sole responsibility for any illness or injury, the participant and/or his/her family or others in the Participant's household, including serious illness, damage, loss, temporary or permanent disability, and death, that may occur as a result of in-person participation in the Activity. The District/Newtown Continuing Education is not responsible for any injury, illness, loss, or damage to the Student and/or his/her family or others in the Student's household, whether resulting from acts or omissions of third parties, or other persons not under the control of Newtown Continuing Education nor the District, from the operation or condition of facilities or premises, from acts of war or terrorism, or from acts of God or nature (including, but not limited to, COVID-19), except to the extent that the injury, loss, or damage is caused by the sole negligence or reckless, wanton, or intentional misconduct of the District, its officers, trustees, faculty, employees, agents, or representatives

**Signature: _____ Date: _____

Send Us Your Registration via Mail or EMAIL:

Email: continuinged@newtown.k12.ct.us or Mail Check/Form: 12 Berkshire Rd. Sandy Hook, CT 06482

Payment Information: Payment Method: Credit Card (Visa/MasterCard/Amex/Discover)

Credit Card Number:

CVV: Exp.: Signature: _____

Checks Payable to: Newtown Continuing Education Amount Enclosed/Charge: \$

*We will email you a receipt for your payment. No other confirmation is provided.
All Registrations are first come, first served, and registration based, you will be contacted in the event a class is full or canceled.*



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Adult & Continuing Education Brochure

Listings are updated regularly online:

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Newtown-ce.revtrak.net

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