# **OUR MISSION:**

To promote the personal development of children, youth and adults through cultural education while providing resources that contribute to cross-cultural understanding between Hmong and non-Hmong people.



The Hmong Cultural Center also works to advance the human rights of Hmong interacting with mainstream institutions and systems across the United States as it educates non-Hmong professionals and service workers about the background and culturally specific needs of their Hmong constituents.





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# ADULT BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY PROGRAMS



"Learning the past to preserve the future"

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The program is open to everyone over the age of 18. Its goal is to promote personal development, self-sufficiency, and reduce dependency in Hmong adults by effectively preparing them for their new employment and life in America.

The program is divided into two parts: the citizenship classes and the ESL classes.



# Why should you or your loved ones enroll in this program?

- Because it is free of charge.
- Because the teachers are experienced and will help all who attend to develop in many ways.
- Because it will also be beneficial for other members of the family and the Hmong community as a whole.
- Because it will make life in America much easier.
- And because everyone here at the Hmong Cultural Center wants to help you.



### **CITIZENSHIP CLASS**

The classes prepare students for their citizenship exam by teaching them about American history, government, legal system, and other principles. The program also offers tutoring sessions for the citizenship interviews and for writing.

### **Class Hours:**

English Citizenship Mon. - Thurs. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM English Citizenship Tues - Thurs. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM English Citizenship Tues. & Thurs. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Medical Waiver Citizenship Mon. & Tues. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM Medical Waiver Citizenship Wed. & Thurs. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM





## ESL CLASS (ENGLISH AS SECOND LANGUAGE)

The classes train adults in basic English vocabulary and grammar, and more importantly inter-personal communicational skills to prepare them for the everyday life and the American working environment.

Through the classes, students will also gain a better understanding of and experience for the employment-seeking process including, applications, advertisements, and interviews.

Furthermore, lab sessions will allow students to develop and be familiar with basic computer, internet skills and programs such as Microsoft Word, and Rosetta Stone.

#### **Class Hours:**

Mon - Fri. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM Mon. - Fri. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM