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Computer Classes for Every Skill Level at Main Library

The Tech Center at the Public Library of Cincinnati & Hamilton County's Main Library offers technology classes on a range of topics for every skill level. Classes meet in the Computer Training Room, which is located on the first floor of the North Building behind the Homework Central Department. To register for classes, call 369-6900 and ask for the TechCenter.

SOCIAL NETWORKING: Why Everyone's Tweeting About Getting LinkedIn | Wednesday, July 22, 6:30 p.m.

Have you been getting strong hints from your friends and colleagues to get a Facebook page? What is this Twitter thing everyone is talking about? Learn how to link up with friends from high school and the new friend you met the other day in this special class. Basic knowledge of computers and the Internet is required and an email account is strongly recommended. Advance registration required. To register, call 369-6900 and ask for the TechCenter.



Staff from the Main Library's TechCenter will lead computer classes in July and August in a the computer training room located on the 1st Floor of the North Building.

YOUR FIRST EMAIL | Friday, July 24, 10:00 a.m.

Discover the basics of web-based email, sign up for your first email address, learn how to write and send a message, and how to manage messages when you receive them. Basic knowledge of how to access the Internet as well as using a mouse and keyboard is recommended. Advance registration required. Call 369-6900 and ask for the TechCenter to register.

EMAIL: THE NEXT STEP | Wednesday, July 27, 6:30 p.m.

Have an email account and want to learn what else you can do with it? Learn how to attach and download files, manage folders and more. Participants should already have an email address, as well as a basic knowledge of the mouse, keyboard, and using the Internet. Advance registration required. Call 369-6900 and ask for the TechCenter to register.

OPEN LAB TIME: AUDIO & VIDEO | Saturday, August 1, 10:00 a.m.

Are you a musician looking to record music to the computer? Are you an aspiring filmmaker looking to produce the next great epic? Learn to use cutting edge software like Avid Liquid, Adobe Premiere, Pinnacle Studio, Pro Tools M-Powered, Cubase4, Abelton Live, Band in a Box and much more to create, edit and publish your work. Additional hardware provided includes web cams, keyboards, microphones, and USB breakout boxes for importing data. Bring your own digital media on a flash drive, CD, DVD, camera, camcorder or other portable storage device. No registration is required, but there is limited space in our training room.

WORD PROCESSING BASICS | Wednesday, August 5, 6:30 p.m.

Learn the basics of Microsoft Word 2007 and spend some time practicing with our instructor. Some typing experience helpful. Feel free to bring a document on a flash drive or CD. Advance registration required. Call 369-6900 and ask for the TechCenter to register.

INTRODUCTION TO THE INTERNET | Friday, August 7, 10:00 a.m.

Want to surf the Internet, but not sure how to get started? Learn the basics of browsers, search engines, and online safety so you can explore the World Wide Web. Basic knowledge of the mouse and keyboard suggested. Advance registration required. Call 369-6900 and ask for the TechCenter to register.

TECH SPOTLIGHT | Fridays, 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Want to learn more about trends in technology? No matter if you are an experienced already, want to create a new account, or just want a little bit more information, join us as the TechCenter shines the spotlight on technology trends. All ages welcome. No registration is required, but there is limited space in our training room.

July 24: Twitter & July 31: Photobucket | Feel free to bring your digital camera or memory card to get started!