



Welcome Spring – a time of new life and new beginnings! The robins are back, the daffodils are emerging, and our new classes are starting. If you would like to improve your English Language reading or writing skills, the Literacy Volunteers program at EOP can help. You can join our programs at any time. Please give us a call at 607-734-6174 ext. 283 or email wjackson@cseop.org for more information.

Literacy Volunteers of Chemung and Schuyler Counties

Adult Basic English and English as Second Language Learning

3 Classes to choose from!!

All sessions are held in a comfortable and relaxed setting to help learners gain skills in **English Language Reading & Writing**. Teachers and tutors will be present periodically to help guide the discussion.

<p>Basics of English Literacy</p> <p>When: Tuesday 6pm – 8pm</p> <p>Session 3: Feb 28 to April 11</p> <p>Session 4: Apr. 25 to May 30</p> <p>Where: EOP Room 111</p> <p>Contact wjackson@cseop.org</p>	<p>English Speaking Conversation</p> <p>When: Thursday 6pm-8pm</p> <p>Session 3: March 2 to April 11</p> <p>Session 4: April 27 to June 1</p> <p>Where: Zoom Class Online</p> <p>Contact wjackson@cseop.org</p>	<p>1:1 Tutoring for Basic English and English as second Language Learning</p> <p>Where: FREE Online Tutor Training</p> <p>Contact WJackson@cseop.org</p>
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Want more information?
Email: wjackson@cseop.org
607-734-6174 x 283

Supported by:



The library has books and activities for all ages! Call the Steele Memorial Library at 607-733-9173 or check out the calendar of events online:

[Chemung County Library District Web Calendar \(mhssoftware.com\)](http://chemungcountylibrary.org)

[Bookmobile – Chemung County Library District \(cclid.lib.ny.us\)](http://cclid.lib.ny.us)

WHAT SHOULD I READ NEXT?

Not sure what you want to read? Our librarians will suggest titles, just for you!

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<https://www.facebook.com/EOPliteracy/>

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CFJP Bistro
Holiday Menu Guide
November-December 2022

Fully Cooked Turkey: \$7.50 per pound (16lb. limit)

Side Dishes:

Roast Potatoes	\$4.00
Full Pot	\$7.00
Margari & Cheese	\$4.00
Green Bean Casserole	\$3.00
Mashed Potatoes	\$2.00
Candied Yams	\$3.00
Corn Bread Stuffing	\$2.00

Drinks:

Pot Still Pot	\$1.00
Apple, Pumpkin, or Sweet Potato	\$1.00

Thanksgiving – place order by Nov. 16 and pick up by 12:00pm on Nov. 23.
Christmas – place order by Dec. 16 and pick up by 12:00pm on Dec. 23.

TO PLACE YOUR ORDER:
☎ 734-6208 ext. 277-282

CFJP Bldg. 607-734-6208
188 East 9th Street, Elmira, NY 14901
Elmira Food Community Center

Let us do the cooking for you!

CHCCCL
Community Health Clinic
Thursdays, 2-4 PM
Lead Screenings

New Offerings:
Blood Pressure Screenings For Adults & Children

Ernie Davis Family Center
650 Baldwin Street, Elmira, NY 14901
607-734-6208 ext. 277

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Check out the programs and services at EOP!

Head Start/Early Head Start
Is Accepting
Applications
Free for Qualifying Families
(607) 734-6208

<https://www.facebook.com/EconomicOpportunityProgram>

Check the CCLD website to learn more about resources
[Chemung County Library District \(cclid.lib.ny.us\)](http://chemungcountylibrary.org)

Community Resource Info

Catholic Charities of Chemung & Schuyler Counties

215 East Church St., Elmira
(607) 734-9784

<https://cs-cc.org/>

Hours: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday

Food Bank of the Southern Tier

945 County Route 64, Elmira
(607) 796-6061

www.foodbankst.org

Hours: 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday



Salvation Army

414 Lake St., Elmira
(607) 732-0314

Hours: 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday-Friday

Samaritan Center

380 South Main St., Elmira
(607) 734-4898

<https://cs-cc.org/>

Hours: 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday; 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Wednesday; 9 a.m.-noon Saturday



Chemung County Youth Bureau (607) 737-2907



Dial 2-1-1 for other agencies and resources:

2-1-1 HELPLINE manages a database of community resources consisting of health and human service providers, nonprofits, educational programs, support & civic groups, and local, city, and county services.

Spring Holidays

Easter: April 9

Passover: April 5 – April 13

Ramadan: March 22 – April 20



Thinking about a Vegetable Garden this Year?



You don't need a lot of space or equipment to grow your own veggies. Here is everything you need to know to start a vegetable garden for growing fresh, healthy vegetables at home.



Most vegetables require light and warmth to grow. Veggies love full-sun and 6-8 hours a day is ideal.



Vegetables grow best in free-draining soil, and most vegetable gardens will need some fertilizer or compost.



Watering seeds, seedlings, and young plants is very important. During the heat of summer, your vegetable garden will normally need to be watered every day.



Follow the instructions on seed packets to plant the seeds.



Some people buy small plants instead of starting with seeds.

Easy to Grow Vegetables:

Cherry Tomatoes	Lettuce	Carrots	Zucchini
Radishes	Peas	Green Beans	Cucumbers

For more information, tips, and ideas – check out these websites:



[Vegetable Gardening for Beginners: The Basics of Planting & Growing | The Old Farmer's Almanac](#)

[How to Plant a Vegetable Garden in 10 Steps \(nationwide.com\)](#)

[Vegetable Gardening Tips For Beginners \(gardeningknowhow.com\)](#)



Good luck – have fun – and Enjoy those Veggies!