Hanover Park
EDUCATION AND WORK CENTER

Elgin Community College

ILLINOIS workNet® CENTER

Harper College

CHICAGO COOK WORKFORCE PARTNERSHIP
Hanover Park

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Proposed Mission:

The mission of the Education and Work Center is to improve the lives of residents of Hanover Park and the surrounding communities through the provision of adult basic skills instruction and job search and career readiness assistance. The collaboration of civic, educational and workforce system partners is the foundation for our success.

Proposed Vision:

We pursue our mission by focusing our efforts on making the Education and Work Center a high-quality, responsive learning facility, tailoring services to the changing needs of Hanover Park and the surrounding communities.
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Advisory Board

The EWC Advisory Board:
- Charge
- Composition
- Next Steps
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Enrollment Summary

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**Fall 2014**
- Higher levels had low enrollment
- 450+ waitlisted students enrolled or referred appropriately

**Spring 2015**
- Waitlisted students accommodated
- New waitlist started in January - 184 new names already
  *does not include Harper’s 2nd 8 week numbers
Current Course Offerings

• ESL/NNL – English as a Second Language/Non-Native Literacy
• ESL/NNL Conversation Skills (Morning only)
• ESL/NNL Computer Skills (Morning only)
• ABE – Adult Basic Education
• ASE – Adult Secondary Education (GED® Preparation)
• Spanish GED® Preparation (Evening only)
Facility

- All areas of the facility are fully functioning.
- The external sign has been installed.

Staffing

- As of February 18th, the EWC is fully staffed.
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EWC Student Age

- 16-18
- 19-24
- 25-44
- 45-59
- 60+

EWC Student Gender

- Male, 28%
- Female, 72%

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Fall 2014
Offered Resource Center assistance and Career Advising

Spring 2015
Updated Service Offerings
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EWC Interesting Facts

Total walk-in traffic in 2014: 1,209 (not duplicating enrolled students)

Average daily walk-in traffic in 2014 at the EWC: 16 people/day (not counting enrolled students)
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Awards

• 12/2014 - 2014 Reflejos “Reflecting Excellence” Award (Education)
• 1/2015 - second $200,000 DCEO grant
• 1/2015 - The 2015 Illinois Workforce Partnership (IWP) Award (Innovative Solutions)