



## For Immediate Release

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### Volunteer Tutor Training Coming Soon

Want a volunteer experience that's timely and meaningful? Now is the time to become a literacy tutor! Literacy Volunteers Chippewa Valley will soon be offering volunteer tutor training. Adult students seek the non-profit every week to improve reading, writing, math, computer and other literacy skills. Volunteers with a desire to help a student meet individualized literacy goals are needed from Chippewa, Dunn and Eau Claire counties.

Tutor training sessions offer activities, demonstrations, guest speakers and insights to working with adult students on literacy. Sessions will be held Oct. 21 and Nov. 1 at 29 Pines Conference Center, Hwy. 29 and Co. T, Eau Claire. There will also be some independent online segments as computer pre-work. In order to participate, you must register by Oct. 13th, so go to the website <http://lvcv.org/tutor-training> and fill out a registration form and a tutor data form.

In addition to attending the tutor training, volunteer tutors are required to have a high school diploma (or its equivalent) and pass a background check. Volunteers come from all walks of life, have different interests, and vary in age. Patience and a couple of hours each week can lead to a rewarding volunteer experience.

For more information, contact Cheryl at [csutter@lvcv.org](mailto:csutter@lvcv.org), phone 715-834-0429 or go to the website listed above.

### About Literacy Volunteers

Literacy Volunteers – Chippewa Valley (LVCV) is a community-based literacy program that trains and supports volunteers to educate adults and their families, helping them acquire the skills necessary to achieve economic self-sufficiency and function effectively in their roles as citizens, workers, and family members. Founded in 1986, LVCV's goal is to help one individual, one family, and one community at a time and is realized through core programs: Pair or small group tutoring; Family Literacy; Workplace Education; Corrections; and Citizenship. All programs utilize tutoring provided by trained and supported volunteer tutors. With offices in Chippewa, Dunn and Eau Claire counties, LVCV is classified as a tax exempt, 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

For more information on the organization, please visit <http://www.lvcv.org> or contact Mary Jo VanGompel, Executive Director, Literacy Volunteers Chippewa Valley by phone at 715-834-0222.