



... for the teacher

Community Learning Centers

The purpose of Community Learning Centers (CLC) is to increase personal independence and community involvement in small group settings. To achieve this, we volunteer at the Granger Homestead, the Salvation Army, and Meals on Wheels to name a few. With Community Learning Centers located throughout Ontario County, we enjoy numerous community activities the area has to offer.



ABBHEY INDUSTRIES

The Abbey Industries CLC is located at Ontario ARC's Main Facility. This CLC is in close proximity to the Canandaigua community, and has access to stores, restaurants and various community services. Current volunteer and community participation opportunities include Meals on Wheels, the Health Facility Recreation Department, the Granger Homestead and Ganondagan Historical Society.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The latest Community Learning Center to open, the Geneva Presbyterian Church, is located in the historical district of Geneva. With access to Seneca Lake State Park's walking trails, water parks and fishing, members of the Geneva Presbyterian Church CLC stay very active! Volunteer opportunities include local golf tournaments, and Geneva Center of Concern. We look forward to our new partnership with the Presbyterian Church!

COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTERS MISSION STATEMENT

Learn about your community.
Become a part of your community.
Give back to your community.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

The First Congregational Church CLC resides in beautiful historic downtown Canandaigua. Individuals have ongoing interactions with church members and community leaders, as well as access to the Companionship 2 Program with a Canandaigua Primary school second grade class. Volunteer placements include Thompson Hospital and All Things Art.



PHELPS

The Phelps CLC is located in the newly remodeled Phelps Community Center in downtown Phelps. Individuals have full use of the Phelps Community Center including the fitness center, gymnasium, recreation center and the Phelps Community Library. Participants volunteer their time at Vienna Gardens Senior Living and Phelps Historical Society to name a few.

VICTOR

The year-old Victor CLC is housed in a historic downtown Victor building. Located near key community resources, such as St. Patrick's Church, Victor Fire Department, and Victor Free Library, the local community members are receptive and support this CLC by offering volunteer opportunities at the Historic Train Ride, as well as the Victor Business Development Corporation.

YMCA

This CLC is in downtown Canandaigua's newly renovated YMCA. With access to Canandaigua Lake activities, participants enjoy their community freely. Individuals have full use of the YMCA building, including use of the pool, exercise equipment and the recreation room. Volunteer placements include the Salvation Army, Canandaigua Day Care, and the Canandaigua Fall Celebration.

Teachers Want To Know More

Q: *How can I find out more about a particular Community Learning Center?*

A: *For more information regarding Ontario ARC's Community Learning Centers, please contact JoEllen Meath, Intake Coordinator, at 585-394-7500.*



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