

CITIZENSHIP CIVICS WORKSHOP

A Practical Guide for Organizations Using CitizenCivics

Bilingual curriculum and learning resources for structured citizenship education

WHO THIS GUIDE IS FOR

This guide is written for nonprofits, libraries, adult-education programs, and community organizations considering using CitizenCivics.

Your organization provides: students, instructors or volunteers, program coordination, scheduling, and the learning environment.

CitizenCivics provides: bilingual curriculum, online study resources, instructional materials, updates, and assistance by arrangement.

What CCW Is

The Citizenship Civics Workshop (CCW) is an independently developed educational program that combines civics instruction with practice in the English speaking, reading, and writing skills used during the naturalization interview. Spanish is used to support understanding, while interview and test practice is conducted primarily in English.

CCW is more than a collection of webpages. Its materials are designed to support instructor-led classes in which pacing, sequence, and practice can be adapted to students' differing language skills, literacy, prior education, civics knowledge, and familiarity with American society.

Who CCW Serves

- Nonprofit organizations, libraries, adult-education programs, and community groups that serve lawful permanent residents
- Citizenship instructors, program coordinators, and volunteers
- Adult learners preparing for the naturalization interview and the applicable USCIS civics test
- Independent students seeking supplemental review and practice

Three Ways an Organization Can Use CitizenCivics

- 1 SHARE.** Provide clients with access to the free CitizenCivics website for supplemental study and practice.
- 2 SUPPORT.** Use selected lessons, flashcards, videos, or English-practice activities within an existing citizenship or adult-literacy program.
- 3 OFFER.** Implement the structured Citizenship Civics Workshop with organizational support, trained instructors or volunteers, and an appropriate class schedule.

An organization does not have to adopt the complete workshop to use the website or selected resources.

What Your Organization Provides

- A responsible program contact or coordinator
- Student outreach, recruitment, registration, and communication
- An accessible classroom or suitable online learning environment
- Instructors and volunteers appropriate to the program model
- Technology needed for the materials selected, such as internet access, a computer, display, and speakers
- Decisions about class schedule, student grouping, pacing, attendance, and local program policies
- Referral procedures for legal or case-specific immigration questions

What CitizenCivics Provides

- Free public access to bilingual civics lessons and study resources
- Flashcards and practice materials for the applicable USCIS civics tests
- English speaking, reading, and writing practice related to the naturalization interview
- General interview information and links to authoritative USCIS resources
- A structured workshop curriculum and supporting instructional materials for approved organizational use

Orientation, consultation, volunteer training, and program-development assistance by arrangement

- Ongoing updates as USCIS requirements and materials change

Important Boundaries

Educational—not legal—assistance

CitizenCivics does not provide legal advice, determine eligibility for naturalization, or assist with individual immigration cases. Organizations should refer legal questions to qualified immigration legal-service providers.

CitizenCivics is not affiliated with or endorsed by U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services. USCIS remains the authoritative source for current naturalization requirements and official study materials.

Next Step

Explore the options for working with CitizenCivics. Organizations may share the free website, incorporate selected resources into an existing program, or explore offering the structured Citizenship Civics Workshop.

Organizations whose needs and capacity appear compatible with CitizenCivics may request an initial conversation, consultation, or orientation.

[Explore the Free Study Resources](#)

[Learn About Partnership, Consultation, and Orientation](#)

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