



Northern IL Amateur Radio Training & Testing

2019 – General Class License Training Course

The **Northern Illinois Amateur Radio Training & Testing (NIARTT)** team is presenting **Amateur Radio License Training Courses** in affiliation with the **American Radio Relay League (ARRL)** and three local clubs which include: The **Bolingbrook Amateur Radio Society (BARS)**, Bolingbrook, IL – The **Chicago Suburban Radio Association (CSRA)**, Westchester, IL – and The **Fox River Radio League (FRRL)**, Batavia, IL. This **General Class License Training Course** start on **September 21, 2019** and is a **FREE 10 Week** course. Learn everything needed to upgrade to a **General Class** Ham radio license.

Although this course is geared for existing Technician Class Hams interested in upgrading for the desired HF section of Amateur Radio, You do **NOT** need to have a Technician Class license in order to attend the Training course. If you are interested in Amateur (Ham) Radio, you are **Welcome to Attend!** We can get you caught up during the course. (*but if unlicensed, you will need to pass the Technician Class Exam before testing for the General Class Exam*). There is **NO Age Limit** to attend this course. The **ONLY** need is an interest and a willingness to attend classes, study and learn. Students need to be prepared for: presentations, group participation, independent reading/studying, and interactive online study tools. There is a VE Test Exam the last week, but if you attend classes, read, study, use the tools and follow our guidelines, this course provides you with the knowledge and information you'll need to pass. **ANYONE** is invited to attend this course or to sit in as a refresher. If you've wanted to upgrade to a **General Class License** – Now is the time to do it – We can help!

The Textbook is the [ARRL General Class License Manual, 9th Edition](http://www.arrl.org). You can purchase textbooks online at www.arrl.org or other sources like Amazon or Kindle. Please purchase BEFORE Class starts. Additional study material may be given out during class. Once you've received your textbook, read and review the first chapters to be prepared for the first class. ARRL Textbook URL: <http://www.arrl.org/shop/ARRL-General-Class-License-Manual-9th-Edition/>

To Register – Click Link: <http://www.niartt.org/register>

General Class – Training Course Schedule:

When: **Saturday Mornings**

Time: **9:00 AM to 12 PM** noon

Dates: **September 21, 2019 -thru- November 23, 2019** – (VE Test - Nov. 23)

Location: **Golden Corral – Aurora** – 4270 East New York Street, Aurora, IL 60504

Come Early to enjoy breakfast! We welcome BARS, CSRA and FRRL members to come and offer their support.

NIARTT – Northern Illinois Amateur Radio Training & Testing is in affiliated with:

ARRL – American Radio Relay League - National Organization – website: www.arrl.org

BARS – Bolingbrook Amateur Radio Society - Bolingbrook, IL – website: www.k9bar.org

CSRA – Chicago Suburban Radio Association - Westchester, IL – website: www.craham.com

FRRL – Fox River Radio League - Batavia, IL – website: www.frll.org

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