

## EDUCATION

**ASPIRE** ..... (260) 925-2453

Northeastern Center  
1800 Wesley Rd  
Auburn, IN 46738

ASPIRE is a community-based after-school program and summer camp designed to serve the emotional and social needs of children 6-17 years old. Mon-Thurs 8:30am-6:30pm. [www.nec.org](http://www.nec.org)

**CREATIVE PLAY SCHOOL** ..... (260) 627-2482

County Line Church of God  
7716 N. County Line

Auburn, IN 46706

2-Pre-K aged children. Teaching thru playing. Mon - Thurs 9:00am - Noon. Have a 2-day or 4-day program.

[www.creativeplayschool.org](http://www.creativeplayschool.org)

**DEKALB ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL** ..... (260) 920-1172

800 S. Main St

Fax: (260) 927-9539

Auburn, IN 46706

An alternative education program for students who could benefit from a different learning environment which meets their unique needs through independent learning and personalized instruction.

<http://www.dekalb.k12.in.us/altsch/index.html>

**DEKALB CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT** [www.dekalb.k12.in.us/](http://www.dekalb.k12.in.us/)

**SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE** ..... (260) 920-1011

3326 County Road 427, Waterloo, IN 46793

Fax: (260) 837-7767

(877) 368-1010

**COUNTRY MEADOW ELEMENTARY** ..... (260) 920-1017

2410 County Road 10, P.O. Box 9, Ashley, IN 46705

Fax: (260) 587-9232

<http://www.dekalb.k12.in.us/cme/index.html>

**DEKALB HIGH SCHOOL** ..... (260) 920-1012

3326 County Road 427, Waterloo, IN 46793

Fax: (260) 837-7841

<http://www.dekalb.k12.in.us/dhs2/dekalb/index.htm>

**DEKALB MIDDLE SCHOOL** ..... (260) 920-1013

3326 County Road 427, Waterloo, IN 46793

Fax: (260) 837-7812

<http://www.dekalb.k12.in.us/dms2/index.html>

**JAMES R. WATSON ELEMENTARY** ..... (260) 920-1014

901 N. Eckhart Ave., Auburn, IN 46706

Fax: (260) 925-5612

<http://www.dekalb.k12.in.us/jrw/index.htm>

**MCKENNEY-HARRISON ELEMENTARY** ..... (260) 920-1015

320 Van Auken, Auburn, IN 46706

Fax: (260) 925-4668

<http://www.dekalb.k12.in.us/mck/index.htm>

**WATERLOO ELEMENTARY** ..... (260) 920-1016

300 E. Douglas Street, Waterloo, IN 46793

Fax: (260) 837-7051

<http://www.dekalb.k12.in.us/waterloo/index.htm>

**DEKALB COUNTY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE** ..... (260) 925-2562

215 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 300

Fax: (260) 925-3130

Auburn, IN 46706

Information on 4-H, Family Resource Management, Parent & Child Development, Nutrition (free and informal education program to develop skills related to nutrition and meal planning, purchasing, preparation, safety; and resource management for individuals and families with limited resources.), Agriculture, Home and Garden, canning and homemaking skills. [www.ces.purdue.edu/dekalb/](http://www.ces.purdue.edu/dekalb/)

## EDUCATION, CONT.

### DEKALB EASTERN SCHOOL DISTRICT [www.eastsideblazers.net/](http://www.eastsideblazers.net/)

**SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE** ..... (260) 868-2125  
300 E. Washington Street, Butler, IN 46721 Fax: (260) 868-2562

**BUTLER ELEMENTARY** ..... (260) 868-2123  
1025 S. Broadway, Butler, IN 46721 Fax: (260) 868-1709  
[www.butlerelementary.net/](http://www.butlerelementary.net/)

**EASTSIDE JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL** ..... (260) 868-2186  
603 E. Green Street, Butler, IN 46721 Fax: (260) 868-5773  
[www.eastsideblazers.net/](http://www.eastsideblazers.net/)

**RIVERDALE ELEMENTARY** ..... (260) 337-5464  
6127 State Road 1, St. Joe, IN 46785 Fax: (260) 337-5114  
[www.riverdalecomets.net/](http://www.riverdalecomets.net/)

**ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (FWCS)** ..... (260) 467-1060  
1200 South Barr Street Fax: (260) 467-1029  
Fort Wayne, IN 46802  
Must be an Indiana resident. Provides instruction for individuals who are not English proficient. Focus is on English literacy skills: speaking, writing and listening.

**FAMILIES FIRST** ..... (260) 925-3865  
1752 Wesley Road (800) 824-2698  
PO Box 562 Fax: (260) 925-3892  
Auburn, IN 46706  
Homebased early literacy for children ages zero to 5 years of age living in a DeKalb County School District.  
[www.childrenfirstcenter.org](http://www.childrenfirstcenter.org)

**FOUR COUNTY VOCATIONAL COOPERATIVE** ..... (888) 349-0250  
1607 Dowling Street (260) 349-0250  
Kendallville, IN 46755  
Free classes and materials to assist in preparing to take the GED tests. Classes are offered in DeKalb, Noble, LaGrange, and Steuben Counties. Call for dates. Applicants over 18 may test for GED without attending classes. Must pre-register. A.B.E. assists adults with below 9<sup>th</sup> grade reading and/or math skills to improve those skills. E.S.L. works with adults who need English as a Second Language instruction. [www.fourcountyvocational.org](http://www.fourcountyvocational.org)

**FREEDOM ACADEMY, INC** ..... (260) 347-0887  
743 East North Street (800) 200-6499  
Kendallville, IN 46755  
Adult continuing education. [www.freedomacademy.net](http://www.freedomacademy.net)

### GARRETT-KEYSER-BUTLER SCHOOL DISTRICT <http://www.gkb.k12.in.us/>

**SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE** ..... (260) 357-3185  
801 E. Houston St., Garrett, IN 46738 Fax: (260) 357-4565

**GARRETT HIGH SCHOOL** ..... (260) 357-4114  
<http://www.gkb.k12.in.us/garretths/>

**GARRETT MIDDLE SCHOOL** ..... (260) 357-5745  
<http://www.gkb.k12.in.us/GMS/>

**J.E. OBER ELEMENTARY** ..... (260) 357-3112  
<http://www.gkb.k12.in.us/JOweb/>

## **EDUCATION, CONT.**

**GED ON TV** ..... (800) 248-7999  
TV study program. Mon- Fri 8:00am-4:00pm

**G-K-B HEAD START** ..... (800) 540-2882  
504 South Second Street (260) 357-3333  
Garrett, IN 46738 Fax: (260) 357-3044  
GKB Head Start and Early Head Start program provides comprehensive health, social services and education program to pregnant women, infants and children birth - age 5 and their families in DeKalb County with incomes at or below federal poverty guidelines and families with children with disabilities. [www.gkbheadstart.org](http://www.gkbheadstart.org)

### **HAMILTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS**

**SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE** ..... (260) 488-2513  
903 S. Wayne, Hamilton, IN 46742 Fax: (260) 488-2348

**HAMILTON JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL** ..... (260) 488-2161  
[www.hamiltoncomm.com](http://www.hamiltoncomm.com)

**HAMILTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL** ..... (260) 488-2101

**INDIANA ASSOCIATION OF HOME EDUCATORS** ..... (317) 467-6244  
320 E. Main St  
Greenfield, IN 46140  
Support group that provides encouragement, information, socialization, and friendship for home schooling families.  
[www.inhomeeducators.org](http://www.inhomeeducators.org)

**INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION/  
EXCEPTIONAL LEARNERS** ..... (877) 851-4106  
151 West Ohio, Room 229 - State House (317) 232-0570  
Indianapolis, IN 46204  
[www.doe.state.in.us/](http://www.doe.state.in.us/)

**INDIANA SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND** ..... (317) 253-1481  
7725 N. College Ave Fax: (317) 251-6511  
Indianapolis, IN 46240  
Offers pre-school through high school programs, free of charge on a residential or day school basis, to the young people of Indiana who are blind and visually impaired. <http://intra.isbrockets.org/public>

**INDIANA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF** ..... (800) 722-6166  
1200 E. 42<sup>nd</sup> Street (317) 920-6311  
Indianapolis, IN 46205  
Promotes academic and social excellence for Deaf and Hard of Hearing students through a Bilingual/Bicultural environment and serves as a state wide resource. [www.deafhoosiers.com](http://www.deafhoosiers.com)

**INDIANA STATE STUDENT ASSISTANCE** ..... (888) 528-4719  
State Student Assistance Commission of Indiana Fax: (317) 232-3260  
150 W. Market St., Suite 500  
Indianapolis, IN 46204  
Helps Indiana college students locate financial aid. [www.ssaci.in.gov](http://www.ssaci.in.gov)

**LAKEWOOD PARK CHRISTIAN SCHOOL** ..... (260) 925-1393  
5555 CR 29 South  
Auburn, IN 46706  
Educational excellence in partnership with the Christian home and church. [www.lakewoodpark.org/](http://www.lakewoodpark.org/)

## **EDUCATION, CONT.**

**LIFELINE YOUTH AND FAMILY SERVICES** ..... (800) 509-6884  
**CENTER FOR RESPONSIBLE THINKING** ..... (260) 745-3322  
2211 South Calhoun St., PO Box 10328 ..... Fax: (260) 745-0234  
Ft. Wayne, IN 46851

Lifeline offers multi-week responsible thinking classes to children, teens, and parents through schools and probation departments throughout the state. Mon-Fri 8:00am-5:00pm. [www.lifelineyouth.org](http://www.lifelineyouth.org)

**NOAH'S ARK PRESCHOOL** ..... (260) 868-2687  
Butler Church of Christ  
Butler, IN 46721  
3-5 year olds.

**REALITY SPANISH/REALITY ENGLISH OF NE INDIANA** (Health Care Foundation) ..... (574) 268-2273  
119 E. Center St. Suite A-3, PO Box 1616 ..... Fax: (574) 268-9971  
Warsaw, IN 46580  
Teaches context-specific language skills to improve communication between English and Spanish speaking employees, clients, students, etc. [www.realityspanish-NE-IN.com](http://www.realityspanish-NE-IN.com)

**SAINT JOSEPH CATHOLIC SCHOOL** ..... (260) 357-5137  
301 W. Houston St. ..... Fax: (260) 357-5138  
Garrett, IN 46738  
Pre-school thru grade 6.

**STUDENT LOAN RELIEF HOTLINE** ..... (866) 836-9168  
This agency works with students and graduates who wish to reduce their monthly payments by consolidating. Experts in all options available, counselors will evaluate and seek ways to provide relief. Candidates must have over \$10,000 in student loan debt, and be less than 150 days past due.

### **UNIVERSITIES/COLLEGES**

**FAFSA - FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID** [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)

**INDIANA BUSINESS COLLEGE** ..... (260) 471-7667  
6413 N. Clinton, Ft Wayne, IN 46825

**INDIANA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY** ..... (260) 422-5561  
1600 E. Washington Blvd, Ft Wayne, IN 46803  
[www.indianatech.edu](http://www.indianatech.edu)

**INDIANA UNIVERSITY-PURDUE UNIVERSITY FT WAYNE** ..... (800) 324-4739  
2101 Coliseum Blvd., Ft Wayne, IN 46805  
[www.ipfw.edu](http://www.ipfw.edu)

**INDIANA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY** ..... (866) 248-2435  
8211 W. Jefferson Blvd., Ft Wayne, IN 46804  
[www.indwes.edu](http://www.indwes.edu)

**INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS COLLEGE** ..... (800) 589-6363  
3811 Illinois Rd., Ft Wayne, IN 46804  
[www.ibcfortwayne.edu](http://www.ibcfortwayne.edu)

**ITT TECHNICAL INSTITUTE** ..... (800) 866-4488  
2810 Dupont Commerce Court, Ft Wayne, IN 46825  
[www.itt-tech.edu](http://www.itt-tech.edu)

**IVY TECH STATE COLLEGE** ..... (260) 482-9171  
3800 N. Anthony Blvd., Ft Wayne, IN 46805  
[www.ivytech.edu](http://www.ivytech.edu)

**TRI-STATE UNIVERSITY** ..... (260) 665-4100  
1 University Ave., Angola, IN 46703  
[www.tristate.edu](http://www.tristate.edu)

**UNIVERSITY OF SAINT FRANCIS** ..... (800) 729-4732  
2701 Spring, Ft Wayne, IN 46808  
[www.sf.edu](http://www.sf.edu)