HAWTHORNE EDUCATION CENTER

General Information & Registration: (507) 287-1475
Hawthorne Diploma Project: (507) 287-2642
Work Skills: (507) 287-2197
Hand in Hand Family Literacy: (507) 285-8033

HOURS OF OPERATION: Monday-Thursday 8 am to 9 pm

COURSE OFFERINGS:
- English language instruction
- Family Literacy
- GED preparation/testing
- Adult Diploma
- Citizenship Preparation
- Volunteerism
- Basic Skills Brush-up
- Work Skills

LEARNERS: Nearly 3,000 adults from around SE Minnesota, around the United States, and around the world (2002-03 program year).

STAFF: Sixty staff members including teachers, educational assistants, custodians, clerical, and administration working at 14 different program sites and 200 volunteers.

FUNDING SOURCES: State of Minnesota Adult Basic Education, Federal Adult Basic Education, Rochester Community Education, local donations and State, and Federal grants

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- MAIN FLOOR
  Reception, staff work rooms, administration, intake and assessment, offices for work skills, health programs, custodian and citizenship, gym

- LOWER LEVEL
  Family Literacy—four early childhood rooms, two adult classrooms, multipurpose room, office and workspace

- SECOND FLOOR
  English language classrooms and office, staff and learner lounges, volunteer office and classroom, homework assistance rooms and math classrooms, two computer labs and adult diploma center

- THIRD FLOOR
  Staff work room, home ec room, English language classrooms, library, quiet study/book club room, offices