

2026 IRC Conference Registration Form for March 12 - 13, 2026 in Springfield, IL



RETURN REGISTRATION FORM WITH PAYMENT TO:

Illinois Reading Council, 1100 Beech Street, Bldg 8-2, Normal, IL 61761

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Name (Last) _____ (First) _____
 School/Business _____ City _____
 Home Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Email (Confirmations sent by email) _____ Illinois Educator Information Number (IEIN) _____
 Telephone () _____ - _____ Presenting at Conference? _____ Position/Grade Level? _____

REGISTRATION (check one) includes sessions on Thursday and Friday. On or Before February 5, 2026 After February 5, 2026

Registration for IRC Member (Membership Number: _____)

_____ Current IRC Member for the Full Conference	\$260	\$285
_____ Retiree (Member)	\$60	\$85
_____ Preservice Teacher with Student ID (Member)	\$60	\$85
_____ Current IRC Member for One Day Only (Circle Choice: Thursday or Friday)	\$200	\$225

Registration for Non-Member (Includes one-year of IRC Membership. Select your local council: _____)

_____ Non-Member for the Full Conference	\$310	\$335
_____ Retiree (Non-Member)	\$110	\$135
_____ Preservice Teacher with Student ID (Non-Member)	\$90	\$115
_____ Non-Member for One Day Only (Circle Choice: Thursday or Friday)	\$250	\$275

OPTIONAL MEALS AND EVENTS Check choice of menu and include payment with registration.

_____ Wednesday Welcome Reception (PAL Hotel Ballroom Salon CD)	FREE	FREE
_____ Thursday Breakfast with Tricia Ebarvia (PAL Hotel Ballroom Salon CD)	\$35	\$40
_____ Scrambled Eggs & Bacon _____ Scrambled Eggs & Vegetarian Patty		
_____ Thursday Luncheon with Wiley Blevins (PAL Hotel Ballroom Salon CD)	\$40	\$45
_____ Chicken Provencal Tomato Sauce _____ Vegetable Stir Fry		
_____ Thursday Luncheon with Yuyi Morales (PAL Freeport Rooms)	\$40	\$45
_____ Chicken Provencal Tomato Sauce _____ Vegetable Stir Fry		
_____ Thursday Boxed Lunch (Lunch Sessions in Bank of Springfield Center)	\$35	\$40
_____ Ham Croissant _____ Grilled Vegetable Spinach Wrap _____ Chicken Caesar Salad		
_____ Thursday Banquet with Pumphrey Brothers (PAL Freeport Rooms)	\$45	\$50
_____ Brisket with Bourbon BBQ Sauce _____ Cauliflower Steak Tofu Quinoa Pilaf		
_____ Friday Breakfast with Pamela A. Mason (PAL Hotel Ballroom Salon CD)	\$35	\$40
_____ Pancakes, Eggs, & Ham Steak _____ Pancakes, Eggs, & Vegetarian Patty		
_____ Friday Luncheon with Lesa Cline-Ransome (PAL Hotel Ballroom Salon AB) ...	\$40	\$45
_____ Roasted Turkey Cranberry Chutney _____ Portabella Mushroom Ravioli		
_____ Friday Luncheon with R. Joseph Rodriguez (PAL Hotel Ballroom Salon CD) ...	\$40	\$45
_____ Roasted Turkey Cranberry Chutney _____ Portabella Mushroom Ravioli		
_____ Friday Boxed Lunch (Lunch Sessions in Bank of Springfield Center)	\$35	\$40
_____ Turkey Croissant _____ Grilled Vegetable Flour Wrap _____ Chicken Caesar Salad		
_____ Friday Pizza Party for New and Preservice Teachers	FREE	FREE

METHOD OF PAYMENT TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____ \$ _____

(No P.O.'s accepted & \$5 fee if pay by CC!)

☐ Check (payable to IRC) ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard ☐ Discover ☐ American Express CVV Code _____ Credit Card Expiration Date Mo. _____ Yr. _____
 Cardholder's Name _____ Address of Cardholder _____

Special Accommodations – Individuals who need special accommodations must make specific requests in writing to the IRC office at least three weeks prior to the conference.
 Cancellation/Refund Policy – Requests must be made in writing by February 1, 2026. Please see the complete policy under General Conference Information or at the IRC Website.
 Unless notified in writing, this registration constitutes an agreement that the registrant's image, likeness, and appearance can be used in photographs of such events and activities.

Group Registration Rates

Attend the conference with a group of your staff Group Rates per person:	NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	10-19	20-39	40-59	60-79	80-99	100+
	Discount		10%	20%	30%	40%	50%
	Registration Fee	\$260.00	\$235.00	\$210.00	\$185.00	\$160.00	\$135.00

The group registration form is available online or register individually on page 31.

Be a Conference Volunteer

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Cell Phone _____

I would like to volunteer to work at the IRC Conference.

1. **While at the IRC Conference, I can volunteer to help for:**

- _____ 1 hour, schedule me as needed. (Circle one or all: Thursday and/or Friday)
- _____ 2 hours, schedule me as needed. (Circle one or all: Thursday and/or Friday)
- _____ 3 hours, schedule me as needed. (Circle one or all: Thursday and/or Friday)
- _____ Thursday morning block (1/2 day)
- _____ Thursday afternoon block (1/2 day)
- _____ Friday morning block (1/2 day)
- _____ Friday afternoon block (1/2 day)
- _____ Anytime, as needed.

2. **I would prefer to help in one or more of the following areas:**

- _____ Collect tickets at a meal function
- _____ Work at the registration booth
- _____ Help with book sales/autographing sessions
- _____ Help with the Tech on Call
- _____ Help with the special events and receptions
- _____ Help with the exhibits
- _____ Assist with putting up or changing room signs
- _____ Serve as a host for featured speakers
- _____ Help with the IRC Membership Booth/Treasure Chest
- _____ No preference, I will help as assigned.

Please send by February 1st to: Illinois Reading Council
1100 Beech Street, Building 8-2
Normal, IL 61761-1836

Or, fill out the online form on the Conference Page at www.illinoisreadingcouncil.org.