

New
Dates

LEADERUP

2026 - 2027

Leadership training for personal and professional growth

Take your leadership skills to the next level or support an employee who will be your next executive. The goal of LeaderUP is to:

- Nurture the professional skills and confidence of current or future leaders in all sectors of business and community
- Grow strong skills in self-awareness, communication, collaboration, problem-solving, innovation & strategic thinking
- Connect with the community on a deeper level



Detail Information:



SEPTEMBER 2026 - APRIL 2027



8:30 AM - 4 PM
ONE DAY PER MONTH

Class Location:
900 Progress Blvd. Tuscola, IL 61953



**REGISTER
NOW!**

Contact Information
+217-253-2112 x134

Our Website
www.douglascountyedc.org



**Registration
Deadline
9/1/2026**

"A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way,
and shows the way." - John Maxwell

"Leadership is an action, not a position." - Donald McGannon

Learn the Following:

Understanding Yourself

- Multiple Assessments – A Thirty-Page Customized Report
- Time Management, Strategies to Diminish Anxiety
- Personal Goal Setting

Understanding Others

- Not Everyone Thinks Like You
- Building Alliances: Working as a Team
- Communicating with Others with Different Perspectives
- Understanding all Generations

Understanding the Community

- Current Reality Mapping
- Future Vision Mapping
- Community Project Identification

Collaborative Problem-Solving

- Navigating Difficult Conversations
- Finding Mutual Ground to Problem Solve
- Change Management Strategies

Planning for the Future

- Stimulating the Innovative Mindset & AI Use
- Strategic Planning/Goal Setting for Life

Success in Action

- Community Learning Projects
- Measuring Success
- Next Steps

Invest in the future
Invest in Yourself
Class fee: \$1,395

(includes, personalized True Colors 30-page assessment report, training materials & lunches)
Scholarships available.



Jeanne Dau, MBA, CEDFP
Facilitator



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consulting
Strategic Planning, Marketing & Training

LeaderUp training is open to anyone who wants to improve their skills and become part of a cohort of professionals.

Class will be professionally facilitated by Jeanne Dau, MBA, CEDFP and CEO of Dau Consulting. Jeanne has trained and coached thousands in leadership and management development. She is a certified John Maxwell Leadership trainer/coach, and certified in True Colors and DISC assessments. Additionally, experienced business and community leaders will be joining the class to share their insights and wisdom.

Program graduates will have opportunities to continue networking and growing together once the class is completed.

Interested in sponsoring a book for the class or providing a scholarship? Contact Stepheny McMahon at 217-253-2112 x134 or info@douglassdc.org

Class will be held on the following dates from 8:30am-4:00pm. Lunch will be provided.

Thursday, September TBD Kick-off noon-2 pm

Tuesday, September 29, 2026

Tuesday, October 27, 2026

Tuesday, November 24, 2026

Tuesday, January 26, 2027

Tuesday, February 23, 2027

Tuesday, March 23, 2027

Tuesday, April TBD (Snow Date & Graduation)

Register Online at
www.douglassdc.org

