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## ***FREE VHDA HOMEOWNERSHIP CLASSES SET FOR HAMPTON ROADS IN FEBRUARY***

Are you thinking about buying a home, but not sure where to start, especially in challenging economic times? The Virginia Housing Development Authority's free First-time Homebuyer Class can help.

In one day of training, you'll learn the entire homebuying process from start to finish, and how to stay on track as a responsible homeowner. The class is offered in English or Spanish, in person or online – and it's free, with no obligation.

Attend one of the many free sessions throughout February 2016 in the Hampton Roads region to learn about the advantages of homeownership.

### **HAMPTON**

- February 13, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at George P. Phenix School, 1061 Big Bethel Rd. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).
- February 13, 2016 from 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at Hampton Public Library Main Branch, 4207 Victoria Blvd. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).
- February 9 and 10, 2016 from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. at Consumer Credit Counseling Services of Hampton Roads, 2021 Cunningham Dr., Suite 400. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).
- February 20, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at Y.H. Thomas Community Center, 1300 Thomas Street, Suite E. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).

### **NEWPORT NEWS**

- February 2 and 4, 2016 from 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. at Head Start Office of Human Affairs, 392 Maple Ave. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).
- February 20, 2016 from 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at Keller Williams Realty Elite, 804 Omni Boulevard, Suite 200. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).

### **NORFOLK**

- February 9 and 10, 2016 from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. at Huntersville Community Center, 830 Goff St. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass). **You must attend both classes.**

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- February 15 and 17, 2016 from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. at Campostella Home Ownership Center, 1121 Campostella Rd. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass). **You must attend both classes.**
- February 27, 2016 from 10:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at Janaf Public Library, 124 Janaf Shopping Center. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).
- February 6, 2016 from 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at The STOP Organization – Hampton Roads, 2551 Alameda Ave. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).
- February 12 and 14, 2016 from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. at The Up Center, 222 W. 19<sup>th</sup> Street. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass). **You must attend both classes.**

### **SUFFOLK**

- February 20, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at Suffolk Redevelopment and Housing Authority, 530 E. Pinner St. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).

### **VIRGINIA BEACH**

- February 20, 2016 from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. at Beach Ford Incorporated, 2717 Virginia Beach Blvd. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).
- February 6, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at Urban League of Hampton Roads, 5700 Thurston Ave., Suite 200. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).

### **WILLIAMSBURG**

- February 20, 2016 from 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at Williamsburg Moose Lodge 757, 5429 Richmond Rd. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass).
- February 16 and 18, 2016 from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. at JCC Law Enforcement Center (Community Room), 4600 Opportunity Way. To register, go to [www.vhda.com/freeclass](http://www.vhda.com/freeclass). **You must attend both classes.**

For a complete listing of VHDA's Homeownership Classes, please visit [www.vhdafreeclass.com](http://www.vhdafreeclass.com). A complete listing is also available in Spanish at [www.clasegratisvhda.com](http://www.clasegratisvhda.com).

### **About VHDA**

VHDA is a self-supporting, not-for-profit organization created by the Commonwealth of Virginia in 1972, to help Virginians attain quality, affordable housing. VHDA provides mortgages, primarily for first-time homebuyers and developers of quality rental housing. We use no state taxpayer dollars, but raise money in the capital markets to fund our loans. We also teach free homeownership classes, and help people with disabilities and the elderly make their homes more livable. VHDA works with lenders, developers, local governments, community service organizations and others to help put quality housing within the reach of every Virginian. For more information, visit [vhda.com](http://vhda.com).

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