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Guide to
**Illinois Farmers
Markets, Food
Co-ops, and
Grocery Stores
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CHICAGO

61st St Farmers Market

6100 S Blackstone Ave, Chicago, IL 60637
Saturdays, May 14 - October 29, 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Andersonville Farmers Market

1500 W Catalpa St, Chicago, IL 60640
Wednesdays, May 11 - October 19, 3:00 PM - 7:00PM

Austin Town Hall City Market

5610 W Lake St, Chicago, IL 60644
Thursdays, June 9 - October 27, 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Back of the Yards Farmers Market

934 W 50th Place, Chicago, IL 60609
Fridays, May 6 - October 28, 11:30 AM - 2:00 PM

Bronzeville City Market

4700 S King Dr, Chicago, IL 60615
Sundays, July 10 - October 16, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Daley Plaza City Market

50 W Washington St, Chicago, IL 60602
Thursdays, May 12 - October 27, 7:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Division Street City Market

100 W Division St, Chicago, IL 60610
Saturdays, May 7 - October 29, 7:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Farm on Ogden

3555 W Ogden Ave, Chicago, IL 60622
Wednesdays - Saturdays, Year round, 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Lake County Farmstand

1215 N Green Bay Rd, Waukegan IL 60064
Thursdays, June 3 - October 27, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

PCC Austin Farmstand

330 N Lotus Ave, Chicago IL 60644
Wednesdays, August 10 - October 12, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Forty Acres Fresh Market

5713 W Chicago Ave, Chicago, IL 60651
Weekly delivery available, Tuesdays: Garfield Park Grocery Pop Up
2:00 PM - 6:00 PM, Thursdays: Austin Town Hall Park City Market,
May 9 - December 31, 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM, Year round

Fresh Moves Mobile Market

Year round, Locations vary, check website for details.
www.urbangrowerscollective.org/freshmoves

Garfield Park Neighborhood Market

135 N Kedzie, Chicago, IL 60612
2nd & 4th Saturdays of the month, June 11 - October 29,
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Glenwood Sunday Market

6960 N Glenwood Ave, Chicago, IL 60626
Sundays, June 5 - October 23, 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Green City Market

Lincoln Park: 1817 N Clark St, Chicago IL 60614
Wednesdays & Saturdays: May 1 - November 20, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
West Loop: 115 S Sangamon St, Chicago IL 60607
Saturdays: June 5 - October 30, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Grow Greater Englewood Farmers Market

5800 South Halsted Parking Lot Chicago, IL 60621
Saturdays, May 7 - October 29, 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Hyde Park Farmers Market

54th St & Old Lake Park Ave West
(Hyde Park Bank parking lot) Chicago, IL 60615
Sundays, June 12 - September 25, 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Logan Square Farmers Market

3107 W Logan Blvd, Chicago, IL 60647
Indoor: Sundays, November 28 - March 27, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Outdoor: Sundays, May 1 - October 30, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Mercado de Colores

Manuel Perez Memorial Plaza, 4345 W 26th St Chicago, IL 60623
Saturdays, June 4 - October 1, 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Northcenter Farmers Market

4100 N Damen Ave, Chicago, IL 60618
Saturdays, June 5 - October 30, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Plant Chicago Indoor Firehouse Market

4459 S Marshfield Ave, Chicago, IL 60609
1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month, January - March,
11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Plant Chicago Summer Farmers Market

Davis Square Park, 4430 S Marshfield Ave, Chicago, IL 60609
Fridays and Saturdays, January - March, 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Pullman City Market

11100 S Cottage Grove, Chicago, IL 60628
Wednesdays, July 6 - October 26, 7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Remixing the Narrative Farmers Market

11001 S Michigan Ave, Chicago, IL 60628
(Sidewalk along the main building)
Sundays, June 5 - September 25, 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Soul City Community Market

5713 W Chicago Ave, Chicago, IL 60651
February 1 - May 30, Saturdays, 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Sundays, 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

South Loop Farmers Market - Grant Park

Southeast Corner of Michigan Ave & Roosevelt Rd Chicago, IL 60605
Thursdays, June 2 - October 13, 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

South Loop Farmers Market - Printers Row

632 S Dearborn, Chicago, IL 60605
Saturdays, May 28 - October 15, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

South Shore Farmers Market

4930 S Cottage Grove Ave, Chicago, IL 60615
Fridays, July 26 - October 31, 12:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Ujamaa Co-op Farmers Market

460 E 41st St, Community Room, Chicago, IL 60653
Fridays, July 8 - November 17, 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Uptown Farmers Market

Wilson & Broadway, Chicago, IL 60640
Wednesdays, May 4 - November 2, 2:30 PM - 7:00 PM

Urban Canopy Pickup Market

2550 S Leavitt St, Chicago, IL 60608
Fridays, May 6 - October 28, 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

West Humboldt Park City Market

3601 West Chicago Ave, Chicago, IL 60651
Saturdays, June 4 - October 8, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

West Town Health Market

AMITA Health Saints Mary and Elizabeth Medical Center
2233 W Division St, Chicago, IL 60622
Thursdays, June 2 - October 20, 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Wicker Park Farmers Market

1425 N Damen, Chicago, IL 60622
Sundays, May 15 - October 30, 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

STORES

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Cermak Fresh Market

1711 W Cermak Rd, Chicago, IL 60608
Everyday, Year round, 7:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Dill Pickle Food Co-op

2746 N Milwaukee Ave, Chicago, IL 60647
Everyday, Year round, 7:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Go Green Community Fresh Market

1207 W 63rd, Chicago, IL 60636
Daily, Year round, 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Mi Mexico

2601 W 59th St, Chicago, IL 60629
Everyday, Year round, 7:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Morgan Mini Mart

6600 S Morgan, Chicago, IL 60621
Mondays - Saturdays, Year round, 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM

One Stop Food and Liquors

4301 S Lake Park Ave, Chicago, IL 60653
Everyday, Year round

Pete's Fresh Market #5

3448 E 118th St, Chicago, IL 60617
Everyday, Year round, 7:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Top Box Foods

Deliveries and Pickups at Community Centers
(see website) www.topboxfoods.com
Saturdays, Year round, 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

NORTHERN ILLINOIS

Aurora Farmers Market

65 S Water St, Aurora, IL 60505
Saturdays: June 4 - October 8, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Wednesdays, June 29 - August 17, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Thursdays, June 30th - August 18th, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Batavia Farmers Market

Outdoor: North River St, Batavia, IL 60510
Saturdays, May 28 - October 2, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Indoor: 160 First St, Batavia, IL 60510
Saturdays, November 5 - May 21, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

DeKalb Farmers Market

Frank Van Buer Plaza (parking plaza)
148 North 2nd St, DeKalb, IL 60115
Thursdays, June 2 - September 22, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Downtown Elgin Farmers Market

South Spring St, Elgin, IL 60120
Fridays, June 3 - October 21, 3:00 PM - 7:00PM

Downtown Evanston Farmers Market

1800 Maple Ave, Evanston, IL 60201
Saturdays, May 7 - November 5, 7:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Fresh Start Community Market

Saint Athanasios Greek Orthodox Church

1855 Fifth Ave, Aurora, IL 60504

One time event, Sunday, August 7, 2022, 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Galesburg Farmers Market

362 E Simmons St, Galesburg, IL 61401

Parking Lot at Simmons & Kellogg St, Downtown Galesburg

Saturdays, May 7 - October 29, 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Glenview Farmers Market

1510 Wagner Rd, Glenview, IL 60025

Saturdays, June 18 - October 22, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Jo Daviess Local Foods

402 West St, Elizabeth, IL 61028

Tuesdays, January 4 - December 20, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Kankakee Farmers Market

Intersection of S Schuyler Ave & Merchant St, Kankakee, IL 60901

Saturdays, May 7 - October 29, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Lanark Farmers Market

101 N Broad St, Lanark, IL 61046

Tuesdays, June 7 - October 25, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Northbrook Farmers Market

1957 Cherry Ln, Northbrook, IL, 60062

Wednesdays, June 22 - October 12, 7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Palos Heights Farmers Market

12217 S Harlem Ave, Palos Heights, IL 60463

Wednesdays, May 11 - October 5, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Park Forest Main Street Market

152 Main Street Parking Lot Park Forest, IL 60466

Saturdays, May 7 - October 29, 7:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Park Ridge Farmers Market

15 Prairie Ave, Parking lot and street, Park Ridge, IL 60068

Saturdays, May 28 - October 29, 7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

QC Farmers Market

17th St and 1st Ave, Rock Island, IL 61201

Saturdays, May 7 - December 31, 8:00 AM - 12:00 AM

River's Edge Farmers Market

123 N 2nd St, Oregon, IL 61061

Thursdays, June 2 - August 31, 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

September 1 - September 30, 5:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Rockford City Market

Intersection of Water St & Market St, Rockford, IL 61110

Fridays, 4:00 PM - 8:30 PM (4:00 PM - 7:30 PM after Labor Day)

North End City Market

Intersection of Water Street and Market Street Rockford, IL 61110

1431 N Main St Rockford, IL 61103

Saturdays, May 21 - October 15, 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Rockford Midtown Market

502 Seventh St, Rockford, IL 61104

Thursdays, June 2 - October 27, 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Skokie Farmers Market

5127 Oakton St, Skokie, IL 60077

Sundays, June 5 - November 6, 7:30 AM - 12:30 AM

Village of Brighton Farmers Market

414 N Maple St, Brighton, IL 62012

Thursdays, June 2 - October 6, 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Woodstock Farmers Market

Woodstock Square Historic District across from Woodstock Opera House
100 N Johnson St, Woodstock, IL 60098
Saturdays: April 23 - October 22, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Tuesdays: May 3 - September 27, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

STORES

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Sugar Beet Food Co-op

812 Madison St, Oak Park, IL 60302
Everyday, Year round, 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM

CENTRAL ILLINOIS

18th Street Farmers Market

825 18th St, Charleston, IL 61920
Saturdays, May 28 - September 24, 7:30 AM - 11:30 AM

Champaign Farmers Market

400-498 N Neil St Parking Lot Champaign, IL 61820
Tuesdays, May 17 - October 25, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Champaign-Urbana Winter Farmers Market

201 Lincoln Square Urbana, IL 61801
Saturdays, November 5, 2022 - April 29, 2023, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Danville Farmers Market

Crossroads Church, 3613 N Vermilion St Danville, IL 61832
Saturdays, May 14 - October 29, 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Downtown Bloomington Farmers' Market

Outdoor summer market: 200 N Main St, Bloomington, IL 61701
100 Rivian Motorway, Normal, IL 61761, Indoor winter market:
101 S Madison St, Bloomington, IL 61701, Saturdays and
Wednesdays, May 7 - October 29, 9 AM to 12 PM

Du Quoin State Fairgrounds Farmers Market

"The Cattle Barns" by Expo Hall
Tuesdays, June 7 - August 9 and Sept 13 - Nov 1, 4-7pm

Humbleweed Farm

3009 W Old Church Rd, Champaign, IL 61822
Thursdays, 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Illinois Product Farmers Market

801 E Sangamon Ave, Springfield, IL 62702
Thursdays, May 19 - September 29, 3:30 PM - 7:00 PM

Jacksonville Farmers Market

1905 W Morton Parking Lot, Jacksonville, IL 62650
Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays, May 1 - October 29, 7:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Land of Goshen Community Market

St Louis St to Second St, Edwardsville, IL 62025
Saturdays, May 7 - October 15, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Market 309

Sundays and Tuesdays, Year Round, 11:30 AM - 2:00 PM and
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Old Capitol Farmers Market

4th & Adams, Springfield, IL 62701
Wednesdays & Saturdays, May 21 - October 29, 8:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Peoria RiverFront Market

200 Block of Water St, Peoria, IL 61602
Saturdays, May 21 - August 24, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Rantoul Farmers Market

200 E Congress Ave, Rantoul, IL 61866
Fridays, July 8 - August 26, 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Richland Farmers Market

Bistro Five Thirty Seven, 1 College Park, Decatur, IL 62521
Tuesdays, June 7 - September 27, 3:00 PM - 6:30 PM

Terripin Farms

3729 N 36th, Quincy, IL 62305
Everyday, Year round, 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Urbana's Market at the Square

401 S Vine St, Urbana, IL 61801
Saturdays, May 7 - October 29, 7:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Sola Gratia CSA and Farm Stand

2200 S Philo Rd, Urbana, IL 61802
Thursdays, June 16 - November 24, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

Alton Farmers & Artisans Market

Henry Street & Landmarks Blvd, Alton, IL 62002
Saturdays, May 7 - October 15, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Benton Farmers Market

City Park, W Huddleson, Benton, IL 62812
Thursdays, May - October, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Carbondale Community Farmers Market

University Mall, 1237 E Main St, Carbondale, IL 62901
Saturdays, December - March, 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Downtown Bloomington Farmers Market

200 N Main St, Bloomington, IL 61701
101 S Madison St, Bloomington, IL 61701

Elverado Farmers Market LLC/Dr Grammy's Garden

21348 US Hwy 51 (Ralph's Small Engines) Elkhville, IL 62932
Fridays, June - October, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

F.R.E.S.H. Farmers Market

638 N 20th St, East St Louis, IL 62205
Thursdays, July - October, 8:30 AM - 1:00 PM

Farmers Market of Carbondale

2101 West Main St, Carbondale, IL 62901
Saturdays, May 19 - December 10, 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Humpday Farmers Market

2421 W Main St, Carbondale, IL 62901
Wednesdays, May - October, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

LEAF Food Hub: Online Farmers Market

Order Online, Pick-up/delivery, Year round
Online orders should be placed between Friday 12:00 PM - Tuesday 8:00 PM, because pickups/deliveries are on Thursday afternoons

Marion Farmers Market

507 W Main St, Marion, IL 62959
Wednesdays & Saturdays, April - October, 6:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Vandalia, Illinois Farmers Market

4th St, Vandalia, IL 62471
Saturdays, May 8 - October 9, 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

STORES

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Neighborhood Co-op Grocery

1815 W. Main St, Carbondale, IL 62901
Everyday, Year round, 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Neighbors' Marketplace

1005 North 15th Street East St, Louis, IL 62205
Everyday, Year round, 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Town Square Market

106 E Jackson Carbondale, IL 62901
Year round, Monday - Friday, 11:00 AM - 5:30 PM
Saturdays, 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

HOW LINK MATCH WORKS

AT FARMERS MARKETS

1. Use your Link Card at a farmers market to earn universal Link Match vouchers.
 - You may earn Link Match vouchers at one participating farmers market and spend it at any other participating farmers market in the state.
 - Universal Link Match vouchers are only accepted at farmers markets and farm stands, **NOT** at stores.
2. Spend your Link Match vouchers on fresh fruits and vegetables at the farmers market.

AT STORES

1. Use your Link Card to purchase healthy items at participating stores to earn Link Match vouchers.
 - Link Match vouchers earned at stores can only be redeemed at that store, these are NOT universal.
2. Spend your store-specific Link Match vouchers on fresh fruits and vegetables that same day, or a later day.



Link Up Illinois, a program of Experimental Station, was created in 2011 to combat urban and rural food deserts, support local small and mid-size farms, offer lasting health benefits to vulnerable Illinoisans, and advocate for policy change on the state and federal level.

Link Up Illinois provides farmers markets, other direct-to-consumer venues, food co-ops, and independent grocery stores across the state with funding to implement Link Match programs for Link recipients.

Questions? Email us at linkup@experimentalstation.org.



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