

# Kendall County Clerk

## Marriage License Information

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Marriage licenses are issued at the Kendall County Clerk's Office located at 111 W Fox St, Room 220, Yorkville, IL. Office hours for marriage licenses are 8:00 am – 3:30 pm Monday through Friday. The Office is closed on all legal holidays.

**Marriage license is valid only in the County in which it has been issued.**

### Requirements for obtaining a marriage license:

- To be married without parental consent you must be at least 18 years of age.
  - Parental consent is required if you are 16 or 17 years of age – BOTH parents must sign a parental consent form in the County Clerk's Office. Please contact the office for more information.
  - BOTH parties must appear in person.
  - Acceptable Forms of Identification (Current and Valid)
    - State Drivers License or State issued Identification
    - US Passport / US Passport Card or Foreign Passport (must be readable, must have issue and expiration dates)
    - US Armed Forces Identification Card (with valid issue and expiration dates)
    - Mexican Matricula or Guatemalan Consular ID Card
    - Permanent Resident Card
- All ID's will be reviewed at the time of request as to their acceptability.**
- Copy of final divorce decree (if applicable).
  - The fee is \$35.00 payable in CASH ONLY.

A marriage license becomes effective 1 day after the license is issued and is valid for 60 days. Marriage may be performed by either a member of the Clergy or a Judge. To make arrangements to be married at the Kendall County Courthouse please call the Judiciary Department at 630-553-4208.

After the marriage, the person performing the ceremony must complete the license and return it to the Kendall County Clerk's office within 10 days of the marriage.

If for any reason you are not married within 60 days after the license is issued, it is your responsibility to return the license to the Kendall County Clerk's office to be voided and filed. Under no circumstances should a license be destroyed after it is issued.

**“CERTIFIED”** copies are made from the legal copy. Certified copies may be obtained from the Office of the Kendall County Clerk by filling out a vital record request and submitting the required fee.