

MARTIN COUNTY LITERACY COUNCIL, INC.

17 Martin Luther King Boulevard
Stuart, Florida 34994

Telephone: (561)288-0077; FAX:287-4510

President: Ms. Willieva Holmes
Executive Director: Mr. Russ Overholt

Services Offered:

Beginning Reading; ESL; GED; Workplace Literacy;
Citizenship; Volunteer Tutor Training.

Instructional Style:

One-to-One Tutoring; Computer-Assisted Instruction;
Small Group Instruction. Uses Volunteer Tutors.

Fee:

Students buy their skill books.
Tutors: Annual membership fee \$15.

Training of Volunteers:

LLA Basic Tutor - 12 hours;
LLA ESL Tutor Training - 18 hours.
Laubach Method.

Locations of Instruction:

Council office, schools, churches, and libraries.

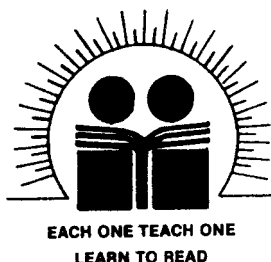
To Enter:

Student registers by telephone, mail, or in person.
The Coordinator matches the tutor and student.

Description:

Focus attention on literacy and provide instruction to
individuals with limited literacy skills.

Member of LLA, and AFLO. A United Way Agency.



MARTIN COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM

Martin County Public Library
701 East Ocean Boulevard
Stuart, Florida 34994

Telephone: (561) 288-5702
FAX: (561) 221-1358

Homepage: <http://www.martin.fl.us/proj/wwwweb/HOME/GOVT/depts/lib/lib.html>

Library Director: Ms. Gretchen Hammerstein Cuffe
Literacy Contact: Ms. Donna Tunsoy (561) 221-1410

Services Offered:

Information on local literacy programs and referral.
Reading collection for new adult readers and their
tutors.



MARTIN COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Adult Learning Center
500 East Ocean Boulevard
Stuart, Florida 33494-2572

Hours: (M-F: 7:30 A.M. -4:30 P.M.)

Telephone: (561) 287-6400, Extension 256
Fax #: (561) 223-1648

Acting Director: Ms. Peggy Mannering

Services Offered:

Beginning Reading; ESL.; GED.; A.B.E.
Uses Volunteer Tutors.
GED Exam: 407-287-6400 Extension 256

Instructional Style:

One-to-One Tutoring as Classroom Supplement;
Classroom Instruction.

Eligible Participants:

Adults functioning at or below 8th grade level, as
determined by TABE test.

Locations of Instruction:

Stuart Adult Learning Center. Daytime and evening
classes.

To Enter:

After pre-registration counseling, the student is
tested and registered in the appropriate program.

Description:

Program is structured to meet individual needs in the area
of reading, comprehension, vocabulary development,
mathematics computation and problem solving, lan-
guage arts and spelling.

Vocational, Adult & Community Education

Martin County

Superintendent:

Dr. Sara Wilcox
Superintendent of Schools
500 East Ocean Boulevard
Post Office Box 1049
Stuart, Florida 34994
(561) 287-6400; SUNCOM: 241-1200
FAX: (561) 220-2389; FIRNVX::SUPTMART

Local Director:

Ms. Peggy Mannering, Acting Director
Vocational, Adult & Community Education
500 East Ocean Boulevard
Stuart, Florida 34994-2572
(561) 287-6400, Extension 256; SUNCOM: 241-1256
FAX: (561) 223-1648

Adult High Schools

Martin County

Mr. Marshall Skinner, Principal
Indiantown Adult Learning Center
Jackson Avenue, P.O. Box 836
Indiantown, Florida 34956
(561) 597-3848; FAX: (561) 597-2865

Ms. Judy Close, Principal
Martin County High School Adult Center
2801 S. Kanner
Stuart, Florida 34997
(561) 286-2421

Mr. Stan Kemp, Principal
Spectrum Community Education Center
800 Bahama Avenue
Stuart, Florida 34994
(561) 220-3831

Mr. Tim Collins, Principal
Stuart School of Business and Academics
Ocean East Mall
2300 E. Ocean Boulevard
Stuart, Florida 34996
(561) 288-2760

LEGISLATORS

Florida Congressional Delegation:

Senator Bob Graham (202)224-3041
 Senator Connie Mack (202)224-5274
 Congressman Mark Foley (202)225-5792
 Congressman Alcee L. Hastings (202)225-1313

The Florida Senate:

Myers, William G. "Doc" (561)283-3133
 District S-27: Indian River, Martin, Palm Beach, St. Lucie

Rossin, Thomas E. "Tom" (561)837-5400
 District S-35: Charlotte, Glades, Lee, Martin, Okeechobee,
 Palm Beach

The Florida House of Representatives:

Pruitt, Ken (561)335-8000
 H-81: Martin, St. Lucie

Minton, O.R. "Rick", Jr. (561)595-1380
 H-78: Highlands, Martin, Okeechobee, Palm Beach,
 St. Lucie

Warner, Thomas E. "Tom" (561)223-5010
 H-82: Martin, Palm Beach

RESOURCES

Apprenticeship/Pre-apprenticeship Contact:

Service Area VI
 Ms. Mary Johnson, West Palm Beach (561)737-8875

Chambers of Commerce:

Indiantown Chamber (561)597-2184
 Jensen Beach Chamber (561)334-3444
 Palm City Chamber (561)286-8121
 Stuart/Martin County Chamber (561)287-1088

Florida Literacy Coalition, Inc.:

Ms. Anita S. Rodgers, Executive Director (407)246-7110
 E-Mail: FLLITERACY@AOL.COM FAX: 246-71104
 Florida Literacy Hotline Referral Service (800)237-5113

Florida Department of Education:

Dr. Dorothy Bouie (850)487-0603
 Region 3 Director SC: 277-0603
 325 W. Gaines Street, Suite 714E, Tallahassee 32399-0400

Florida Diagnostic & Learning Resources System:

Ms. Barbara Casteen, Ft. Pierce (561)468-5385
 FDLRS/Galaxy Associate Center, Ft. Pierce

F.I.R.N. Information and Technical Support:

Martin County Public Schools, Stuart, FL (800)226-4600

Jobs & Benefits Offices:

Regional Office VI, Boynton Beach (561)737-8875
 Stuart Jobs & Benefits (561)221-4071
 Port St. Lucie Jobs & Benefits (561)335-0603

Martin Education Foundation

Ms. Debra Banta (561)286-7663

Office of School Improvement: Region 3

Mr. Jim Cahill, DOE, Tallahassee (850)487-0585

Probationers' Educational Growth (PEG) Contact:

Mr. Marshall Skinner (561)597-2221 or 597-3848

School-To-Work & Tech Prep Education Contact:

Ms. Jimmie Anne Haisley (561)462-4239
 Indian River Community College, Ft. Pierce

Workforce Development Contact:

Jobs & Education Partnership Region 20
 Ms. Bobbie Howard-Davis, Job Training Centers, Inc.
 Region 20: Indian River, Martin, Okeechobee, St. Lucie