

TAYLOR COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

403 North Washington Street
Perry, Florida 32347-2791

Hours:

(M - Th: 10:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M.)
(F: 10:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.)
(Saturday: 10:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.)

Telephone: (850) 838-3512
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Library Director: Ms. Karen Freeman
Literacy Contact: Ms. Patricia Head

Services Offered:

Beginning Reading

Instructional Style:

One-to-One Tutoring. Uses Volunteer Tutors.

Eligible Participants:

Adults, 16 years of age and older, no longer in school.

Training of Volunteers:

12 hours, Laubach method.

Locations of Instruction:

Public Libraries; Local Churches.

To Enter: Interview with Program Coordinator.

Description:

Using the Laubach method, we have about 25 trained tutors who work one-on-one with students.



TAYLOR COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Taylor Technical Insitutue
3233 South US Highway 19
Perry, Florida 32347

Hours: (M-TH: 8:00 A.M. - 10:00 P.M.)

Telephones: (850) 838-2545; (850) 838-2546 (FAX)

Director: Mr. Kenneth A. Olsen
Coordinator: Mr. Jim Ramsey

Services Offered:

Beginning Reading; GED; ABE: ESL: Employability Skills; Work Site Literacy; Group Counseling.

Instructional Style:

One-to-One Tutoring; One-to-One Tutoring as Classroom Supplement; Small Group Tutoring; Classroom Instruction. Uses Volunteer Tutors. Work Site Literacy.

Eligible Participants:

Adults 16 years or older who want to improve their reading skills or to work toward a diploma.

Training of Volunteers:

12-16 hours initially; Training is on-going as needed.

Locations of Instruction:

Taylor Technical Institute; Steinhatchee School; Serves Taylor and Dixie Counties.

To Enter:

Contact the school's Business/Industry and public library for assistance in enrollment.

Description:

Individualized instruction to adults in basic math, reading and writing skills. Lifelong learning and daily living skills are also an integral part of the programs.

ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION

TaylorCounty

Superintendent:

Mr. Oscar M. Howard, Jr. (850) 838-2500
Superintendent of Schools Suncom: 282-4414
P.O. Box 1603 FAX: (850) 838-2501
Perry, Florida 32347-1603

Local Director:

Mr. Kenneth Olsen, Director (850) 838-2545
Vocational, Adult & Community Education FAX: 838-2546

LEGISLATORS

Florida Congressional Delegation:

Senator Bob Graham (202) 224-3041
 Senator Connie Mack (202) 224-5274
 Congressman F. Allen Boyd, Jr. (202) 225-5235

The Florida Senate:

Williams, Charles D. (850) 487-5017
 District S-4: Alachua, Baker, Bradford, Citrus, Columbia,
 Dixie, Gilchrist, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lafayette, Leon, Levy,
 Madison, Marion, Nassau, Suwannee, Taylor, Union

The Florida House of Representatives:

Boyd, Janegale (850) 342-0286
 H-10: Alachua, Dixie, Franklin, Gilchrist, Jefferson, Leon,
 Levy, Marion, Taylor, Wakulla

RESOURCES

Apprenticeship/Pre-apprenticeship Contact:

Mr. Dan Faughn, LET Specialist..... (850) 488-9250

Chamber of Commerce:

Perry/Taylor County Chamber, Perry (850) 584-5366

Florida Literacy Coalition, Inc.:

Ms. Anita S. Rodgers, Executive Director (407) 246-7110
 E-Mail: FLLITERACY@AOL.COM FAX: 246-7104
 Florida Literacy Hotline Referral Service (800) 237-5113

Florida Department of Education:

Mr. John Denmark (850) 922-2890
 Region 3 Director SC: 292-2890

Florida Diagnostic & Learning Resources System:

Ms. Diane Johnson, Tallahassee (850) 487-2630

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

Mr. Chuck Davis (800) 226-9157; (850) 482-1221

Jobs & Benefits Offices:

Regional Office, Tallahassee (850) 487-1795
 Perry Jobs & Benefits (850) 584-7604

Office of School Improvement: Region 2 Crown

Mr. Jim Howard, Mr. Don Leech (850) 487-0585

Probationers' Educational Growth (PEG) Contact:

Mr. Ken Olsen (850) 836-2545; Suncom: 282-2545

School-To-Work & Tech Prep Education Contact:

Ms. Cindy Pledger (850) 973-5013
 Madison County School Board

Taylor Education Foundation

Ms. Dorothy Brett, Perry (850) 838-2500

Workforce Development Contact:

North Florida Workforce Development Board
 Ms. Edith Day, North Florida Community College
 Telephone: (850) 973-2288, Extension 603
 Fax: (850) 973-1696
 Region 6: Hamilton, Jefferson, Lafayette, Madison, Suwannee,
 Taylor