

The School Board of Broward County, Florida

RESOLUTION

No. 12-62

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK AND SCHOOL LIBRARY MONTH – APRIL 2012

WHEREAS, the quest for knowledge by school students in Florida is stimulated and developed through the use of educational resources and services provided by school library media programs; and

WHEREAS, school library media programs provide access to a wide variety of necessary educational materials such as books, magazines, audio and video materials, instructional television, computer software, and informational databases, as well as the technology needed to utilize these resources; and

WHEREAS, school library media programs provide learning activities designed to enhance reading motivation and establish the information literacy skills necessary for lifelong learning; and

WHEREAS, the full potential of school library media programs is dependent upon trained certified library media specialists whose professional skills assist teachers and students in effectively using this wide range of information resources; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that special recognition be given to school library media programs and the role of school library media specialists in education throughout Broward County public schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that The School Board of Broward County, Florida, hereby declares and proclaims the month of April as

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK AND SCHOOL LIBRARY MONTH

and encourages all residents to become aware of the contributions made by school library media programs in our schools.

Given at Fort Lauderdale, Florida, this 20th day of March 2012

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

	BY:	
	Ann Murray, Chair	
ATTEST:		
	Robert W. Runcie, Superintendent of Schools	_