

AGENDA REQUEST FORM
THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

Meeting Date March 20, 2012	Open Agenda ___ Yes <u> X </u> No	Special Order Request <u> X </u> Yes ___ No
		Agenda Item Number A-2


TITLE:	Resolution in Support of READ-IN WEEK, READING ACROSS BROWARD, APRIL 9-13, 2012		
REQUESTED ACTION:	Adopt Resolution # 12-63, in support of READ-IN WEEK, READING ACROSS BROWARD-April 9-13, 2012.		
SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:	As part of the school district's celebration of National School Library Month, READING ACROSS BROWARD, the Superintendent's Reading Motivation Project sponsors "read-ins" and a variety of other reading events. They are designed to engage students in numerous participatory activities that focus on the importance of incorporating reading into daily lives. Correspondingly, April 9-13, 2012 is being designated as READ-IN WEEK in Broward County. Schools are encouraged to post events on the District's web site and to keep Board members informed of the activities. Curriculum related activities to support READ-IN WEEK and READING ACROSS BROWARD are posted on BEEP.		
SCHOOL BOARD GOALS:	<u> X </u> •Goal One: Raise achievement of all students to ensure graduation from high school and readiness for post-secondary education. ___ •Goal Two: Improve the health and wellness of students and personnel. ___ •Goal Three: Provide a safe and secure physical and technological environment for all students and employees. ___ •Goal Four: Promote innovation which focuses on best practices and quality efforts that improve our best-in-class position. ___ •Goal Five: Recruit, develop, retain, and recognize high performing and diverse faculty and personnel. ___ •Goal Six: Build strong partnerships with family, business, community and government at the classroom, school, area, and district level. ___ •Goal Seven: Ensure district's leadership as an environmental steward through innovative ecology and energy conservation programs.		
FINANCIAL IMPACT:	There is no financial impact to the District.		
EXHIBITS: (List)	Resolution #12-63		
BOARD ACTION: ADOPTED	SOURCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Marie Wright 754 321-1850 Michele Rivera 754 321-3320 <table style="width: 100%;"><tr><td style="width: 50%;">Name</td><td style="width: 50%;">Phone</td></tr></table>	Name	Phone
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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
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Curriculum

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School Board Chair



The School Board of Broward County, Florida

RESOLUTION

12-63

**RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF READ-IN WEEK,
READING ACROSS BROWARD - APRIL 9-13, 2012**

WHEREAS, READING ACROSS BROWARD is the Superintendent's Reading Motivation Project and is designed to encourage students to incorporate reading into their daily activities; and

WHEREAS, "READ-IN" WEEK is a part of the READING ACROSS BROWARD project, providing special activities which are to be held during School Library Media Week; and

WHEREAS, "READ-IN" WEEK has been planned for the entire community to share in the school system's initiative to provide motivation for students to enjoy and value reading; and

WHEREAS, during "READ-IN" WEEK, many elected officials, celebrities, lay citizens, local media and volunteers will join with the school system to encourage and recognize our students as readers through participation in silent reading, storytelling, presentations, dramatizations, and other forms of motivational activities;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that The School Board of Broward County, Florida, hereby declares and proclaims the week of **April 9 through 13, 2012, as**

READ-IN WEEK

and, thereby, impress upon our students the importance of reading;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that The School Board of Broward County, Florida, urges all students, employees, citizens, residents, and visitors to set aside special time during this week to read for fun, pleasure, information, or other reasons.

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

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: _____

Ann Murray
Ann Murray, Chair

ATTEST: _____

Robert W. Runcie
Robert W. Runcie, Superintendent of Schools