

**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA  
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT  
CURRICULUM**

October 19, 2011

TO: Principals

FROM: Leontine J. Butler, Ed. D., Deputy Superintendent  
Curriculum

VIA: Area Superintendents

SUBJECT: **PARENTS K-12 RESOURCE**

The Curriculum Division recognizes the need for parental involvement. Through a joint effort between the Title I, Migrant and School Improvement Department and the ESOL Department, funding from Title I and Title III was used to provide K-12 parents access to *Parents K-12*, a new, searchable online database.

As part of *Parents K-12's* online offerings, the parents will be able to:

- search grade-level academic activities in Math, Science, Social Studies/History, Reading/Language Arts,
- search general academic resources like "Preparing for the Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT)" or "Getting Ready for Grade (your student's grade) Reading",
- read brief overviews of academic topics that students will be learning about in the classroom,
- print fun, academic activities to do with your child at home,
- give your child concrete strategies for doing better on tests, completing homework, doing research, and writing reports, and
- listen to resources in English and Spanish.

This valuable database of grade-level-specific resources is available free to parents and students. The attached flyers, in English and Spanish, must be sent home to parents at your schools.

**For more information or questions, please contact the Title I, Migrant and School Improvement Department at 754-321-1400 or the ESOL Department at 754-321-2950.**

LJB/SVH/VBS:pm

Attachments

c: Sayra Hughes, Executive Director, Early Learning, ESOL & CTACE  
Luwando Wright-Hines, Director, Title I, Migrant & School Improvement  
Vicky B. Saldala, Director, ESOL & Pre-K-2

# Parents K-12

Broward County Public Schools has registered you to use *Parents K-12*, a new, searchable online database for K-12 parents.

As part of *Parents K-12's* online offerings, you will be able to:

- search grade-level academic activities in Math, Science, Social Studies/History, Reading/Language Arts,
- search general academic resources like "Preparing for the Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT)" or "Getting Ready for Grade (your student's grade) Reading",
- read brief overviews of academic topics that students will be learning about in the classroom,
- print fun, academic activities to do with your child at home,
- give your child concrete strategies for doing better on tests, completing homework, doing research, and writing reports, and
- listen to resources in English and Spanish.

This valuable database of grade-level-specific resources is available free to parents and students at:

<http://portal.parentsk12.com/broward>

Username: Your student's 10 digit student number (0000000000)

Password: broward

For more information or questions, please contact the Title I, Migrant and School Improvement Department at 754-321-1400 or the ESOL Department at 754-321-2950.

The School Board of Broward County, Florida, prohibits any policy or procedure which results in discrimination on the basis of age, color, disability, gender identity, gender expression, national origin, marital status, race, religion, sex or sexual orientation. Individuals who wish to file a discrimination and/or harassment complaint may call the Executive Director, Benefits & EEO Compliance at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine (TTY) 754-321-2158.

Individuals with disabilities requesting accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 2008, (ADAAA) may call Equal Educational Opportunities (EEO) at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine (TTY) 754-321-2158.

The School Board of Broward County, Florida  
TITLE I, MIGRANT, AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT AND ESOL DEPARTMENTS

# Parents K-12

Las Escuelas Públicas del Condado de Broward los ha inscrito para utilizar *Parents K-12*, un nuevo recurso de consulta en internet para los padres de K-12.

Como parte de lo que *Parents K-12*, ofrece usted podrá:

- Buscar actividades académicas según el grado, en matemáticas, ciencia, estudios sociales/ historia, lectura/ artes del lenguaje,
- buscar recursos académicos generales tales como "Preparación para el *Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT)*" o "Prepararse para la lectura de su grado",
- leer resúmenes breves sobre temas académicos que los estudiantes aprenderán en el salón de clase,
- imprimir actividades académicas divertidas para hacer con su hijo en el hogar,
- tener acceso a estrategias concretas para desempeñarse mejor en los exámenes, hacer las tareas, llevar a cabo investigaciones, y escribir informes,
- escuchar los recursos en inglés y español.

Esta valiosa base de datos con recursos específicos según el grado está disponible de modo gratuito para los padres y estudiantes en:

<http://portal.parentsk12.com/broward>

Nombre de usuario (*Username*): Los 10 dígitos de su número de estudiante (0000000000)

Contraseña (*Password*): broward

Para información adicional o preguntas, por favor comuníquese con *Title I, Migrant and School Improvement Department* al 754-321-1400 o al *ESOL Department* al 754-321-2950.

La Junta Escolar del Condado de Broward, Florida, prohíbe cualquier norma o procedimiento que resulte en la discriminación basada en la edad, color, discapacidad, identidad sexual, expresión sexual, nacionalidad, estado civil, raza, religión, sexo u orientación sexual. Los individuos que deseen presentar una queja de discriminación y/u hostigamiento pueden llamar al *Executive Director, Benefits & EEO Compliance* al 754-321-2150 o a la Máquina de Teletipo (TTY) al 754-321-2158.

Los individuos con discapacidades que requieran ajustes según el *Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 2008, (ADAAA)* pueden llamar al Equal Educational Opportunities (EEO) al 754-321-2150 o a la Máquina de Teletipo (TTY) al 754-321-2158.