



Alachua County Public Schools Community Resource Volunteer Program

Connecting Community and Classrooms

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Attention Teachers: Resource Speakers Available

Are you aware that our district School Volunteer Program will help you locate and schedule speakers to come to your school to present enriching programs to your students? The Community Resource Volunteer Program (CRVP) maintains a listing of agencies and individuals who are willing to volunteer their time and share their talents, career information, and international perspectives with students.

The CRVP acts as a “booking agency” by scheduling speakers and providing confirmation details to speakers and schools, even providing maps to the schools. To book speakers, just follow these easy steps:

1. **Ask for your speaker at least 4 weeks prior to the requested date!** We try to fill all requests, no matter when they are submitted, but it is much easier if we have sufficient time.
2. **Request forms are available:**
 - **In your Media Center (index cards)**
 - **On back of this form** – Tear it off, make copies for multiple requests, complete, fold, and truck mail.
 - **Online** - From the SBAC website choose: Departments ⇒ Volunteer Business Partner Program ⇒ Volunteer Forms ⇒ Request for Community Resource Volunteer.
3. **Be as clear as you can and provide as much detail as possible in your request.**
4. **Send requests to Pam Fitzgerald, School Volunteer Program via:**
 - **Truck Mail to the Servin Building**
 - **Fax: 352-955-7240**
 - **Email: fitzgepp@gm.sbac.edu**
5. **Upon scheduling, confirmation packets will be sent to you, the speaker, and your principal, so the event can be recorded on the front office’s master calendar.**

A partial listing of currently available topics follows. The topic you need might not be listed, but ask for it anyway! Remember that topics are subject to change depending on the continued availability of the speakers, and additional topics may be added as they arise.

If you have questions, please contact Pam Fitzgerald:
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COMMUNITY RESOURCE VOLUNTEERS – CATEGORICAL TOPIC LIST

Animals

Alligators
Animal Cruelty
Bats
Bears
Bees/Beekkeeping
Birds
Dogs
Endangered Species
Fish
Horses
Insects/Butterflies
Mammals
Manatees
Marine Life
Pet Care
Reptiles/Amphibians
SFCC Teaching Zoo
Snakes
Turtles/Land & Sea
Veterinary Medicine
Wildlife

Art

African American Art
Arts & Crafts
Calligraphy
Folk Art
Painting
Photography
Pottery
Quilting
Watercolors
Weaving

Careers

Accounting
Advertising
Agriculture
Architecture
Artist
Attorney/Legal
Author
Automotive
Baker
Banking
Broadcasting
Bus Driver
Business
Career Counseling
Carpentry
Chef/Culinary Arts
Chiropractic
Computers
Construction
Counselor
Dental Health
Department Store
Education

Electrician
Engineering
Farming
Finance
Fire Rescue/EMT
Floral Arranging
Forensics
Forestry
Golf Related
Government
Graphic Design
Hair Stylist
Health & Fitness
Horticulture
Hospitality/Hotel Mgmt.
Insurance
Interior Design
Job Interviews
Journalism
Law Enforcement
Marketing
Massage Therapist
Medical Related
Meteorology
Military
Nursing
Park Ranger
Pharmacist
Physical Therapist
Physician
Pilot: Plane, Helicopter
Plumber
Postal Worker
Radio
Real Estate
Scientist
Small Business Owner
Television
Truck Driver
Veterinary Medicine
Video Production
Welder
Zoo Management

Countries/Regions

Afghanistan
Africa
Amazon River
Argentina
Asia
Brazil
Canada
China
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Czech/Slovak Republics
Ecuador
England
European Union

Egypt
France
Germany
India
Ireland
Italy
Japan
Kenya
Korea
Latin America
Mexico
The Netherlands
Puerto Rico
Russia
Saudi Arabia
Spain
Trinidad & Tobago
Uganda
Venezuela

Environment

Alternative Energy
Carbon Footprint
Climate Change
Composting/Recycling
Conservation/Soil, Water
Environmental Science
Hydroponic Gardening
Natural Resources
Pollution
Solar Energy
Waste Management
Water Quality
Water Resources

Government/Law

Censorship
City Government
Community Leadership
County Government
Crime: Consequences
Death Penalty
Debate/Speech
Discrimination
Elections Process
Forensics
Juveniles & the Law
Law Enforcement
Patriotism
Police/K-9 Dogs
Politics
Post Office
Public Library
Search & Rescue Dogs
Teen Court
U.S. Constitution
U.S. Flag
Utilities
Voting/Registration

Health/Human Services

Acupuncture
AIDS/HIV
Anatomy
Anger Management
Birth Control
Blood System
Brain Minders
Cancer
CPR
Child Abuse
Child Care
Chiropractic
Conflict Mediation
Crisis Intervention
Dental Health
Divorce
Domestic Violence
Driving Safety
Drug Abuse Prevention
Family Planning
First Aid
Fitness & Health
Food Safety
Genetics
Genetics
Handicap Awareness
Homelessness
Mental Health
Motivation
Nutrition
Parenting
Pediatric Pre-Op
Physical Therapy
Poison Prevention
Prosthetics
Rape Awareness
Red Cross
Safety
Sexually Transmitted Disease

History/Culture

African-American History
Alachua County History
Archaeology
Cartography/Maps
Civil War
Colonial U.S. History
Dudley Farm
Fascism
Florida History
Holocaust
Islamic/Arab Culture
Japanese Tea Ceremony

Jewish History
Incan/Mayan Cultures
Kwanzaa
Middle Ages
Native American History
Paynes Prairie History
Renaissance
Revolutionary War
Shakespeare
Veteran's Day
Weaving
World Religions
World War II

Science

Astronomy/Space
Biology
Biotechnology
Botany
Chemistry
Engineering
Entomology
Genetics
Geography
Geology/Rocks
Hurricanes
Oceanography
Physics
Robotics
Rockets
Solids/Liquids/Gases
Weather
Volcanoes/Earthquakes
Zoology

Special Interest

Archery
Athletics
Cake Decorating
Catering
Chess
Clogging
Clowning
Dance
Drama
Fiddle Playing
Folk Music
Guitar
History of The Blues
Magician
Martial Arts
Music
Photography
Poetry
Spinning Wool
Sports
Storytelling
Theatre Arts
Weaving