

The Family Resource Center is a loaning library open to parents with children enrolled in Livingston Parish Public Schools. Our goal is to provide resources to parents that will assist families with their child's educational needs.

Services Offered

- Certified teacher on staff to assist parents in making loan selections
- · Skill based worksheet station
- Special needs information
- Free monthly workshops
- · List of tutors for hire
- Educational materials for loan

Hours of Operation

Tuesday 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Wednesday 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Thursday 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Location:

Literacy and Technology Center 9261 Florida Blvd. Room # 142 B Walker, LA 70785



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...a loaning library

"A family is a child's first and most important teacher."

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FAQ'S

Who does the FRC serve? The LPPS Family Resource Center is open to all parents whose children are enrolled in Livingston Parish Schools. We are here to serve every parent and child in our school system.

What is the cost to use the center? The service is free! We know that a parent is a child's first and most important teacher, therefore we encourage parents to use the center often.

How do I check out materials? You will need to bring your driver's license or current ID that shows Livingston Parish residency. On your first visit, you are allowed to check out two items. Once those items are returned on time and in the same condition in which you borrowed them, you will be allowed to check out up to five items per visit.

What happens if items are lost or damaged while in my care? You are responsible for all items borrowed from the center. In order to maintain the privilege of using the FRC, all items lost or damaged must be paid in full.

How long can I keep items? Materials are checked out for two weeks. Items must be returned to the center during our hours of operation. There is no drop box.

Are children allowed to visit the center? Absolutely. All children must be accompanied and supervised by a parent while visiting the FRC.

<u>Does the FRC offer tutoring?</u> The Family Resource Center does not offer tutoring. We do have a list of certified teachers on file that are willing to tutor for a fee. Education Materials for loan include items such as: C.D.'s, D.V.D's, math games, reading comprehension games, books, electronic games, leapsters, tag readers, rhymes and times, math slam, digitz, talking globes, elapsed time clocks, and much more! All materials available for loan will help to reinforce the following skills:

Language Arts

- Phonemic awareness
- Phonics
- Fluency
- Comprehension
- Sight words
- Making predictions, inferencing, using context clues
- Proofreading/editing
- Handwriting
- Essay writing

Math

- Basic facts
- Shapes, number, and color recognition
- Fractions
- Patterns
- Time/elapsed time
- Money
- Measurement
- · Pre-algebra

"The LPPS Family Resource Center does not discriminate on the basis of color, race, national origin, sex, or disability"

The F.A.S.T. pass

What is a F.A.S.T pass? The Acryonym F.A.S.T. pass stands for Families and Schools Together. The pass is a form given to all Livingston Parish Public School Teachers by the Family Resource Center. It is intended for teachers to fill out for any child that a teacher feels may be having trouble with a skill covered in the classroom or that could benefit with additional help at home. It is also filled out for children that need more challenging activities. The FAST pass is NOT a pass for free tutoring. It simply allows us at the FRC to better help suggest materials that target those skills listed on the pass.

Do I need a FAST pass to visit the FRC? Parents do not need a FAST pass to use the center. Parents may visit any time during our hours of operation to browse through our learning materials and check out items to use at home with their child.

