

## FORT LAUDERDALE ACTION FOR LITERACY DAY JANUARY 22 | 10 AM - 1 PM Carter Park | 1450 W. Sunrise Boulevard

Did you know that only 53% of third grade students passed the Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) in reading during the 2020-2021 school year?



Early literacy and the ability to read at the end of third grade are the cornerstones for a successful life. The City of Fort Lauderdale, its Neighbor Volunteer Office, Action For Literacy Corp, and local partners are declaring January 2022 as Fort Lauderdale Action For Literacy Month to enhance awareness of the city's Little Free Libraries network that provides free, age appropriate books and focus on early learning mentorship opportunities.

Event highlights will include interactive events such as a treasure hunt, human scrabble, Little Free Library building and decorating, food, raffles, arts and craft, reading corners with local authors, other fun age-appropriate activities as well as a resource center for parents.

Are you ready to TAKE ACTION?

Ready to make a difference? Contact Jorg Hruschka, Chief Service Officer, at (954) 828-5568 or via email at JHruschka@fortlauderdale.gov.