

**RESOLUTION NO. 01-07
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF APRIL 2001
AS SCHOOL LIBRARY MEDIA MONTH
IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

WHEREAS, the quest for knowledge by school students is stimulated and developed through the use of educational resources and services provided by school library media programs; and

WHEREAS, school library media programs provide access to a wide variety of necessary educational materials such as books, magazines, audio and video tapes, laser discs, instructional television, computer software and information databases, as well as the technology needed to utilize these resources; and

WHEREAS, school library media programs are vital to building a nation of readers and creating a lifelong love of reading among our children and youth; and

WHEREAS, school library media programs provide learning activities designed to enhance reading motivation and establish the information literacy skills necessary for lifelong learning; and

WHEREAS, the full potential of school library media programs is dependent upon trained professional library media specialists whose varied skills assist teachers and students in effectively using this wide range of information resources; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that special recognition be given to school library media programs and the role of school library media specialists in education throughout the state and the nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 01-07 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, proclaiming the month of April 2001 as School Library Media Month in Miami-Dade County Public Schools.

A copy of this resolution is placed in the permanent records of this Board.

Presented this 14th day of March, A.D. 2001

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

Chair

ATTEST:

Secretary

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