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The Safe and Drug-Free Schools (SDFS) Resource Center

The SDFS Resource Center maintains a comprehensive collection of PK-12 school safety materials for use by parents, educators, school security professionals, and community personnel who work with students. The resource center is an integral component of the Safe, Disciplined, and Drug-Free Schools Project, Florida Institute of Education, and the Florida Department of Education's Safe and Drug-Free Schools Program.

The resource center's holdings consist of over 1500 books, videos, CD ROMs, audio cassettes, curricula, journals, and newsletters. These materials deal with school-based prevention, including the following areas:

- Alternative Programs
- Behavior Management
- Character Education
- Crime
- Crisis Management
- Conflict Resolution
- Delinquency
- Discipline
- Dropout Prevention
- Gangs
- Juvenile Justice
- Multiculturalism
- Risk and Resiliency
- School Climate
- School Security
- Sexual Harassment
- Substance Abuse
- Violence Prevention
- Weapons



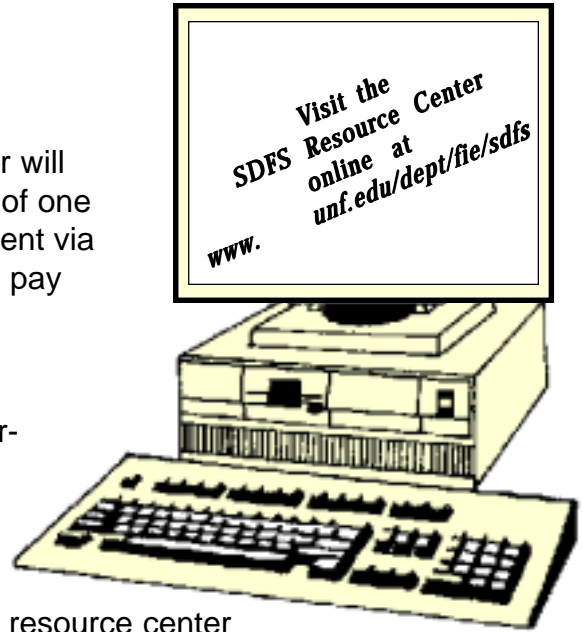
Services:

Lending Library:

The SDFS Resource Center will loan resources for a period of one month. The materials are sent via regular mail, and borrowers pay return postage.

Information Services:

Reference and research services provide answers to queries related to school safety issues using online bibliographic databases, the internet and resource center materials. To utilize this service, fill out the form on the last page and send it in.



Annotated bibliographies:

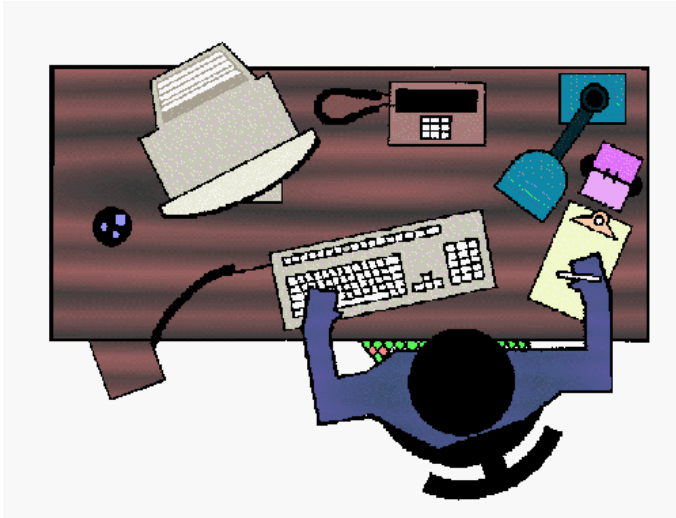
A customized list of our materials on specific topics can be prepared at your request to help meet your information and instructional needs.

Read! Learn! Connect!
@ the Library

National Library Week

April 9-15, 2000

About the Librarian



Melissa Hatch is our librarian. She is a native of Utah and moved to Florida in 1995 in order to attend Florida State University's School of Library and Information Studies. Melissa received her Masters of Library Science (MLS) in 1996 and joined the Safe, Disciplined, and Drug-Free Schools Project in 1997. When Melissa isn't at work she is at home caring for her two young daughters (ages 5 and 1) while her husband writes his dissertation. Her hobbies include camping, scrapbooking, and going to the movies.

While at Florida State University, Melissa specialized in reference work. This means that not only is she skilled in answering your research queries, but that she actually likes it. She says, "I truly love to do research and to answer questions. I can get information on subjects that a lot of people have trouble finding."

A library in the field of school safety is a valuable resource for the State of Florida. The materials held in the SDFS Resource Center are not available at most other libraries. In addition, the resource center plays an important role by assisting Florida's schools in meeting legislated requirements of accountability. Citizens want to know that money spent on prevention is being spent on science-based programs and strategies. The SDFS Resource Center assists districts in assuring that their prevention efforts are based on quality research.

Thought for the day

The half of knowledge is to know where to find knowledge.

Anonymous

Melissa's Favorite School Safety Links:

American Council on Drug Education
www.acde.org

Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids
www.tobaccofreekids.org

Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America
www.cadca.org

Center for the Prevention of School Violence
www.ncsu.edu/cpsv

Center for the Study and Prevention of Violence
<http://www.colorado.edu/cspv>

Florida Alcohol and Drug Abuse Association, Inc.
<http://www.fadaa.org>

Join Together
www.jointogether.org

Keep Schools Safe
www.keepschoolssafe.org

National Clearinghouse for Alcohol and Drug Prevention
www.health.org

National Resource Center for Safe Schools
www.safetyzone.org

National School Safety Center
www.nssc1.org

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
ojjdp.ncjrs.org

The Prevention Yellow Pages
www.tyc.state.tx.us/prevention/40001ref.html

U.S. Department of Education's SDFS Program
www.ed.gov/offices/OESE/SDFS

SDFS Resource Center Research Request Form

Name: _____ Date: _____

Agency/District: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Search Topic:

What grade levels should the information pertain to—

- Preschool
- Elementary
- Middle School
- High School
- Adult
- Other: _____

Information needed by: (date) _____

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The Safe and Drug-Free Schools Project name has changed. Our new name is Safe, Disciplined, and Drug-Free Schools Project to better reflect our focus on all aspects of school safety, as well as substance abuse.

