



For Love of Children

Dear Educators and Community Partners:

Greetings! I'm writing to let you know about an amazing educational resource that's available for **free** to the children and youth you serve.

For Love of Children (FLOC), a non-profit organization founded in 1965, provides educational services beyond the classroom to help students succeed from first grade through college and career. FLOC brings together students, volunteers, families, and community partners in proven programs that teach, empower, and transform.

FLOC offers the following programs to low-income DC students.

The **Neighborhood Tutoring Program (NTP)** helps students in grades 1-12 achieve grade-level competency in math and reading through structured curricula that help them develop fundamental skills at their own pace. In NTP, students are able to:

- Meet with trained tutors each week for fun, one-on-one learning sessions;
- Receive step-by-step instruction, focusing on the fundamentals;
- Recognize their progress as they master new concepts; and
- Attend sessions after-school, on weekday evenings, or on Saturdays.

The **FLOC Scholars Program** helps students in grades 6-12 and beyond to gain the skills they need to graduate from high school, pursue higher education, and achieve college and career success. For middle and high-school students, the program includes academic and project-based workshops; academic advising; help with homework, college applications and financial aid; and community service projects. College Students receive regular communication and support from staff; professional development workshops; and financial aid.

The enclosed materials provide everything you need to help deserving students get involved in FLOC, including a Student Referral Form, Student Application, and a one-page overview of our programs for distributing where appropriate.

More information is available at www.flocdc.org, including a schedule of upcoming "FLOC 101" sessions where you can meet FLOC staff, get answers to your questions, and see our programs in action.

Additionally, FLOC's **Outdoor Education Center** facilitates healthy character development for youth and adults through adventure challenges, environmental education, and sustainability practices in a powerful outdoor classroom. The facility and its staff are also available on a sliding pay scale for custom-designed workshops and retreats for groups like yours.

Please let me know if you have any questions. I would love to come to your site to speak with you, your staff, your parents, or your students at any time.

Thank you for your time and your dedication to DC students.

Best Regards,

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Please return this form to Elizabeth Metz, Recruitment and Outreach Coordinator: Email: emetz@floc.org Fax: 202-462-9280 Phone: 202-349-3512

Name of Person Referring Students: _____

Title: _____

School: _____

How did you hear about FLOC? _____

Email: _____

Phone number: _____

Please provide the following information for each student you wish to refer to FLOC:

Student Name	Grade	Gender	Ethnicity	Parent / Guardian Name(s)	Parent / Guardian Phone numbers	Parent / Guardian E-mail	Parent / Guardian Primary Language	Low Income (or free / reduced lunch)
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