



## Information for Parents Furman University The Literacy Corner – Summer 2009

### WHAT IT IS:

- A four week (16 days, Monday through Thursday) comprehensive literacy tutoring program for children/youth aged 6-14 with literacy difficulties
- The tutoring sessions include reading, writing, speaking, listening, and viewing activities in one-to-one, one hour sessions
- Students will meet once a week with others in sharing sessions
- Taught by graduate level, certified teachers in Furman's Masters of Arts in Education with a concentration in literacy

### WHEN IT IS:

- June 9 – July 2, 2009, 9:00 – 10:00 OR 10:30 – 11:30 (Monday through Thursday)  
(Week One will begin on Tuesday and end on Friday because of the Greenville Co. Schools Calendar)

### WHERE IT IS:

- Furman University Library

### COST:

- The charge to each student who attends is \$50 (payable to Furman University; \$25 due with application form by May 1<sup>st</sup> and the remainder due by May 20, 2009)
- \$25 will be returned to you at the end of the session if your child attends at least 90% of the sessions.

### WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT:

- An assessment of your child's specific literacy abilities in reading, writing, speaking, listening, and viewing at the beginning of the program
- An assessment of progress during the program and a final report which may be shared with you and your child's school officials
- A one-to-one setting with individual attention
- Ongoing communication with your child's tutor

### WHAT YOU NEED TO DO:

- Submit the completed Information Form, Medical Information Form, and signed Release Form with a \$25 deposit by May 1<sup>st</sup>, and send to:

Dr. Renita Schmidt, Director  
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**FULL PAYMENT DUE MAY 20, 2009**