



Join us for the Duval reading Council Meeting February 18th 6:00 with our guest speaker.....Barbra Johnson.

Barbara Johnson is a Literacy Consultant with the Scholastic Classroom and Library Group. She began as a consultant with Scholastic Education a dozen years ago, focusing on family literacy and strengthening the home-school connection. She subsequently worked in another Scholastic division, Lectorum Publications, Inc. where, as the national Education Manager, she was also called upon for professional development and workshops, with an emphasis on the English Language Learner population.

Having started her career teaching in a private elementary school in Virginia, Barbara went on to international business with assignments all over the globe. As coordinator of the Women's International Leadership Program, a Kellogg Foundation grant initiative, she taught outstanding graduate students from around the world.

An alumna of the College of William and Mary, Barbara's graduate work was at the School of Philosophy and Letters of the University of Madrid. She achieved a Diploma ELE with a "superior" level from the Spanish government's department of education.

She has served on NFP and NGO boards and is a long-time advocate for refugee children.