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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: CFLC ANNOUNCES TUTOR TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES – JANUARY 2016

## YOU CAN CHANGE A PERSON'S LIFE BY BECOMING A TUTOR AT CFLC!

2016 brings plenty of opportunities to volunteer as a tutor at Cape Fear Literacy Council.

Tutor Trainings are three 3-hour classes that are taught over a 2-week period. Trainings include techniques and content for working with adult learners. Tutor trainees must attend all classes before being matched with a student.

Volunteer Tutor Candidates are encouraged (but not required) to take CFLC 101 – a FREE 2-hour orientation to the Cape Fear Literacy Council in which we describe who we serve and how we do it. The next CFLC 101 Orientation is Wednesday, January 6, 2016 from 10 AM to 12 Noon at Cape Fear Literacy Council, Building B, 1012 South 17<sup>th</sup> Street.

The next English as a Second Language (ESL) Tutor Training will be on January 12, 13 and 14 from 10 AM – 1 PM at Cape Fear Literacy Council, 1012 South 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Building B in Wilmington. To become a certified ESL tutor a volunteer must attend 9 hours of training and observe 2 classes to gain the basic skills needed to help an ESL student succeed. The ESL Tutor Training includes techniques and content for working with adult speakers of other languages. The focus is on strategies for developing listening, speaking, reading, writing and vocabulary skills to help students navigate everyday life and to achieve academic goals. Workshop material fees are \$30 if you will be volunteering at CFLC, Interfaith Refugee Ministry or Winterpark Baptist Church, or \$50 if you are getting certified for another organization.

The next Adult Literacy (AL) Tutor Training will be on January 18, 20 and 25 from 6-9 PM at Cape Fear Literacy Council, 1012 South 17<sup>th</sup> Street, Building B in Wilmington. To become a certified AL tutor a volunteer must attend 9 hours of training to gain the basic skills needed to help an AL student succeed. The AL Tutor Training includes techniques and content for working with adult learners. The focus is on strategies for teaching alphabetics, vocabulary, comprehension and fluency. Workshop material fees are \$20 if you will be volunteering at CFLC or \$50 if you are getting certified for another organization.

Call CFLC at (910) 251-0911 to reserve your spot!!

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