

Funding

Individual donations and grants fund Project Light. We receive no government support and there is no cost to the student, except a one time, voluntary \$5 registration fee.

Your donation of cash or a check made out to Project Light will enable us to continue providing high quality English language instruction to those in the community who do not speak English, or to those seeking to improve their literacy skills.

Volunteers

Volunteer teachers are also needed. No previous teaching experience is required nor is knowledge of a second language. Project Light will provide training and teaching aids and materials. This is a rewarding and worthwhile opportunity for those interested in a volunteer opportunity.

Please contact the Project Light office at 941-745-1659 during morning hours or Sally Radice at 941-776-1028. Inquiries may also be sent to our e-mail address at projectlightliteracy@verizon.net.

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About Project Light of Manatee — Background —

Project Light of Manatee, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization providing **free** English language instruction to the community's non-English speaking residents and those seeking to improve their literacy skills. Founded in 1995 by Sr. Nora Brick, Project Light has grown from 39 students, to 271 students in 2009, studying for a combined 9,682 hours supported by 51 volunteer instructors.



Project Light is located at 1104 14th Street West in Bradenton. English classes are conducted daily through convenient morning and evening classes. We are 100% volunteer supported with no paid staff, and our primary source of funding is through individual donations.

Project Light — Our Mission —

Our Mission is to "provide and facilitate free English language learning skills, which will enable participants to function more effectively in the community and in society". By improving our students' English skills, they are equipped with the tools to perform the basic requirements of our society such as qualifying for better jobs, seeking medical and dental assistance, shopping, and communicating with their children's teachers. In addition, they are able to provide support and a stable environment for their families, expand their contact with society through informed engagement while positively impacting the overall community. Our student population is diverse, with the majority being Spanish speaking immigrants from Mexico and Central & South America. In addition, there are a number of French and Creole speakers from the Caribbean and Haiti, with a recent influx of immigrants from Eastern Europe. We also assist those who simply wish to improve their literacy skills.

CLASS SCHEDULE

Morning Classes:

Monday thru Fridays

9:00—11:30 AM

Evening Classes:

Monday & Thursday

6:30—8:00 PM



Project Light of Manatee, Inc. is a non-profit organization under the Internal Revenue Code 501 (c)(3). EIN No. 65-0490652 Florida non-profit registration no. SC 05159.

Project Light of Manatee, Inc. uses no professional solicitors collecting donations on our behalf. All contributions received (100%) go directly to the work of Project Light of Manatee, Inc..

A copy of the official registration and financial information may be obtained from the Division of Consumer Services by calling toll-free, within Florida, 1-800-HELP-FLA.

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