



LITERACY VOLUNTEERS OF MORRIS COUNTY

Literacy Changes Lives

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Annual
Report



OUR VISION AND MISSION



Literacy Volunteers of Morris County believes that the ability to read, write, comprehend and speak English is essential for personal freedom and the sustainability of a democratic society.



Our Mission

To provide free instruction to Morris County adults in literacy, English fluency and the American culture.



Our Vision

To ensure no one in Morris County finds their opportunities in life limited because of their inability to read, write or speak English fluently.

2024 KEY HIGHLIGHTS



LVMC could not have accomplished all we did without our caring community. Thank you all for being part of our caring community and for giving the Gift of Literacy.

Key Achievements

Students worked hard to improve their literacy skills, and accomplished thousands of their personal goals. Our amazing Board of Directors, funders and supporters supplied the resources we needed to do our work.



**Offered 10,000
hours of free
instruction**

Tutors generously devoted their time and energy to their students, meeting them in person and remotely, donating more than 10,000 hours of free instruction.



**Supported 600
students
and 300 tutors**

Our staff provided support to more than 600 students and 300 tutors during the year.

OTHER POSITIVE OUTCOMES

With Your Help, We Have Accomplished the Following



689

Students received help from a tutor.



50%

Students who met one of their literacy goals.



365

New students registered for assistance.



286

Tutors who provided more than 10,000 hours of free instruction.



95

Volunteers who completed training to become a tutor.



25

Students who successfully obtained Jobs.



117

Students who successfully improved their ability to perform their jobs.



234

Students who significantly improved their ability to speak English.



309

Students who were able to manage their daily survival independently.



17

Students who were successful in becoming U.S. citizens.



OUR YEAR IN PICTURES



Mary's beginning class



Hank and I Wen enjoying their class



Lenor becomes a citizen



Kara's class learn about 4th of July



Alejandro celebrated becoming a citizen



Bevin's class in Dover surprised her on her birthday!



More than 3000 runners trotted with us on Thanksgiving morning at our READFEEDRUN.



Nancy's class had fun on their trip to Washington's Headquarters.

TESTIMONIALS FROM LEARNERS AND TUTORS



Working with Adouha has been the most meaningful part of my year.

Tutor Mark T.



My dearest mentor and friend Mark encouraged me to follow my deepest desires and dreams. I took the plunge and got selected for a leadership program.

Student Tatsiana from Belarus



I helped Beatriz achieve one of her dreams today - to become a US citizen! I am so thrilled for her!

Tutor
Alexandra B.



Thanks to Literacy Volunteers and specifically to my tutor Russ for his patience, his help and his vocation to teach and share his knowledge.

Student Nancy from Colombia



I've never felt more confident to speak. People all around me keep telling me how much more I'm speaking!

Edgar from Ecuador



I am forever grateful to your organization for your support and dedication to helping the non-English speaking community. Your efforts have created a very positive and optimistic impact on people like me. Dreams can come true with hard work, but finding people like you who provide the tools to achieve goals makes it a lot easier.

Former student, Angela,
Owner of Angel London Hair Studio

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