



Complete the requirements to become an

## Education/Parent Surrogate

The Second Judicial Circuit Florida Guardian ad Litem Program and the Leon County Schools hosts a monthly Lunch N Learn for GALs who are not yet educational

surrogates. Educational surrogates act as advocates for a child who requires ESE services. Responsibilities include making informed decisions about the child's educational needs, attending meetings, and monitoring the child's progress.

Successful completion of the training and certification as an educational surrogate will qualify you to provide additional advocacy to children receiving ESE services and who have IEPs at school.

Mary Petrandis, Child Find Specialist and Parent Services Specialists with the Leon Schools will conduct these Thursday Lunch N Learns at 12 noon in [FDLRS Miccosukee Associate Center, 725 S. Calhoun Street, Tallahassee, FL 32301](#). Participants may receive one (1) hour of continuing education credit.

<b>Thursdays</b>	<b>February 20</b>
<b>12-1 pm</b>	<b>March 26</b>
	<b>April 23</b>
	<b>May 21</b>
	<b>August 20</b>
	<b>September 17</b>
	<b>October 15</b>
	<b>November 19</b>



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