



LET'S GROW

every child. every chance.™

ANOTHER United Way community initiative.

“Let’s Grow” is another United Way community initiative with a single calling: to plant the seeds of success for all children.

Let’s Grow community partners include educators, researchers, community members and business leaders. All have joined together to declare in one voice that all children deserve a chance for success in school and life.

This community project is rooted in a single truth: Children who enter school ready to read, SUCCEED!

The goal of Let’s Grow is to eliminate the gap in early literacy between children from low and middle/high income levels.

All children should have the opportunity to bloom to their fullest potential.

To do so, we must plant the four seeds for school success:

1. access to good healthcare
2. family involvement
3. community awareness
4. quality childcare

Currently, there are three communities where Let’s Grow is sowing the seeds of “ready for school” success – Fort Meade, Lake Wales and Crystal Lake. In these neighborhoods, Let’s Grow partners are increasing access to healthcare, encouraging families to get involved, spreading the word to increase awareness and working to make quality childcare available to all.

Let’s Grow embraces a holistic approach that takes advantage of a variety of tools and programs, such as Success By 6 resources, speech and hearing screenings, training for childcare providers, family literacy programs, summer literacy camps, parent education, Florida KidCare and much more.

Working hand-in hand, Let’s Grow community partners are making a real and visible difference in our community. Please join us as we encourage young minds to soar and all children to flourish.

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