CLIMATE READY

STUDENT AMBASSADORS

Become a knowledgeable and effective voice for climate resilience in your community by participating in this innovative summer dual enrollment program for high school students.

What is Climate READY?
The Climate READY (Resilience Education and Action for Dedicated Youth) program empowers Palm Beach County teens to become climate ambassadors within their communities, giving them the knowledge, confidence, and support that they need to communicate climate change science and discuss community concerns and needs. This program prepares Climate READY Ambassadors as youth leaders to take action and help communities become more resilient to environmental challenges and work together toward equitable climate solutions.

How Do I Apply?
High School Students: Submit application, dual enrollment documents, and two recommendations (at least one from a teacher) by March 31, 2023

Application, eligibility requirements, and submission instructions are available at:

Why Should I Participate?
• Learn how to channel your climate concern into positive action for your community
• Help your family and neighbors become more resilient to extreme weather and other hazards
• Network with other engaged teens, organizations, and environmental professionals
• Develop leadership, communication, and civic V engagement skills
• Strengthen your resume and college applications
• Earn three dual enrollment credits through FAU's College of Education
• Earn community service hours (non-credit only)
• Gain confidence to tell your story
• Make a difference!

Climate READY Ambassador Institute
(July 17 – 21, 2023)

Intensive 5-day residential experience at FAU's Jupiter campus for high school students from Palm Beach County build climate knowledge, explore the planet with NOAA Science on a Sphere technology, engage with climate scientists & resilience experts, develop communication & advocacy skills, and discover local climate solutions. Ambassadors use this rich experience to become climate resilience advocates in their communities. (3 college credits)

The Climate READY Program is available at no cost to eligible participants. Students at Title 1 schools strongly encouraged to apply. To learn more, visit: