

Data Panel

Prime Time Palm Beach County Grant for Community Middle School
After-School Newspaper Project

Middle School Reading % Level 3 and Above											
Grade 6				Grade 7				Grade 8			
FY02	FY03	FY04	FY05	FY02	FY03	FY04	FY05	FY02	FY03	FY04	FY05
53	54	54	55	51	52	52	53	44	49	45	44

Writing % Scoring 3.5 and Above			
Grade 8			
FY02	FY03	FY04	FY05
70	75	74	78

Data Source: Gold Report

William King -- Curriculum Vitae

William King received his Bachelors of Science degree in graphic design and a minor in art education from Florida State University in 1991. During his final semester of school, King was awarded a full scholarship to study at the Technical University of Prague, Czechoslovakia. King had the opportunity to intern with internationally renowned graphic designer and political illustrator, Ishie Shlivia.

Following his studies in Prague, King returned to Palm Beach, Florida and began his career as a graphic designer, artist and multimedia film instructor. After two year of teaching multimedia and film to middle school and high school students, King was hired to create and initiate a computer art / design and film curriculum at Horace Mann Middle School in Liberty City, Miami, Florida. For the ensuing four years King successfully showcased his students' film work nationally, with Adobe Systems Inc., a leading graphics software company.

To enhance his personal creativity, King moved to Chicago, where he consulted as an art director for International Design Agency Leo Burnett. Later, King founded and designed a Miami based luxury magazine, *Miami Surlaterre*. This publication successfully received national distribution in one year.

The years spent working as a designer, producer and educator has led King to create a community-based agency in West Palm Beach, Florida. *The Center for Art and Media Literacy* is a creative center that gives the youth of today the opportunity to understand media messaging while producing and directing short documentary style films and videos. To date, this organization has worked with over 600 under-served youth in Palm Beach County.

King's most recent endeavor, *Out of The Box Media Group, Inc.*, is a multimedia, film and design company. The focus of this corporation is directing and producing short independent documentaries and educational videos.

King currently resides in West Palm Beach, Florida.