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**NEW CULTURE CAMP CURRICULUM ADOPTED
FOR URBAN LEAGUE SUMMER PROGRAM**

Fort Lauderdale-- More than 100 Broward County children will explore world cultures through music, story telling, crafts, dance and food using the new Culture Camp Curriculum adopted by the Urban League of Broward County for its 2003 Summer Enrichment Program. The program begins June 16, 2003 and will operate for eight weeks.

Developed by Judith Keiser, a mother, in response to the events of September 11, the Culture Camp Curriculum offers fun hands-on experiences to help students appreciate cultural diversity and explore their own capacities for team-building, cooperative play, and conflict prevention and resolution. As suggested by its tagline, the curriculum's focus is "teaching peace through play."

In addition to operating a 2-week Broward County day camp as a pilot project this summer, The Culture Company makes its Culture Camp Curriculum available to organizations, such as The Urban League, with complementary goals.

The summer enrichment program is funded by a grant from The Children's Services Council, which provides funding for programs benefiting children in Broward County. The Culture Camp Curriculum added a unique "value-added" component to the proposal made by the Urban League, which competed for funding against forty-five proposals from various agencies serving children in Broward County.

For more information about the Urban League Summer Enrichment program, please contact Lisa Barker at 954-625-2544, and for more information about The Culture Camp, please contact Judith Keiser at 954-444-0446.

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The Culture Camp is a program of The Culture Company, a Florida corporation founded by a Broward County mother as her response to the events of September 11, 2001. Our mission is to give children familiarity with world cultures, while equipping them with skills that will help them navigate the diverse and complicated world they will inherit.

The Urban League of Broward County is a not for profit, community based organization founded in 1975. Our mission is to assist African Americans in the achievement of social and economic equality. The League operates over 20 programs for Broward County residents ranging between the ages of 8 to 55+. Programs/services include affordable housing development and redevelopment, youth development, employment and training, education and community empowerment.