

Children's Board Family Resource Centers in East County

Pillowcase Project

AROUND THE CENTER



Date: July 20, 2017

Time: 3:30 to 4:30pm

**Class is limited to 20 participants.
Registration is required.
Please call 813-752-8700.**

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in East County**

Managed by Champions For Children

**639 East Alexander Street
Plant City, Florida 33563**

Hours: Monday-Thursday: 9am to 6pm

Friday: 9am to 1pm; 1st & 3rd Saturday: 9am to 1pm

The Pillowcase Project is an emergency preparedness education class that empowers students in 3rd – 5th grade to take ownership of their own emergency safety. The project emerged during Hurricane Katrina, when many people who evacuated the dangerous floods carried important items to shelters in their pillowcases. Presented by trained educators from the American Red Cross, the project reinforces personal preparedness by engaging students in a discussion about emergencies, teaching coping skills, and practicing preparedness at school and home.

Each student will receive a Preparedness Workbook and a pillowcase to decorate and fill. Parent/guardian must remain at the Center while the class is taking place.



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Cada estudiante recibirá un libro de trabajo y preparación y una funda de almohada para decorar y llenar. El padre/guardián debe permanecer en el Centro, mientras que la clase se lleva a cabo.



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