



# San Diego County Library

## L.E.A.R.N. CENTER

*"LIBRARIES EMPOWER ALL TO READ NOW"*

The L.E.A.R.N. Center has two offices located at the following branches:

**El Cajon Branch Library**

201 E. Douglas Ave.

El Cajon, CA 92020

Phone: (619) 588-3740

Toll Free: (888) 466-0668

Fax: (619) 588-3732

[http://www.sdcl.org/Literacy\\_Main.html](http://www.sdcl.org/Literacy_Main.html)

learnstaff@sdcounty.ca.gov

**Vista Branch Library**

700 Eucalyptus Ave.

Vista, CA 92084

Phone: (760) 643-5144

Fax: (760) 643-5127

[http://www.sdcl.org/Literacy\\_Main.html](http://www.sdcl.org/Literacy_Main.html)

### L.E.A.R.N. Mission:

- To help adults improve reading and writing skills to achieve their full potential as community members, family members, workers, and life-long learners;
- To teach non-English speakers ESL (English as a Second Language) skills;
- To tailor services to individual needs, with confidentiality;
- To foster understanding and use of public libraries;
- To educate communities on the importance of literacy.

### The L.E.A.R.N. Center

The L.E.A.R.N. Center's award-winning program offers adult literacy services and ESL (English as a Second Language) instruction within the 33 branches of the San Diego County Library system. In addition, there are plans to extend L.E.A.R.N. services to include Family Literacy beginning 2008-2009.

The County Library's L.E.A.R.N./Laubach ESL Program is one of 18 programs selected by the National Association of Counties (NACo) as a recipient of a 2008 Acts of Caring Awards. Acts of Caring Awards recognize the top county volunteer programs in the country. The program is a partnership between the Library's adult literacy program, L.E.A.R.N. (Libraries Empower All to Read Now), and the Laubach Literacy Council of San Diego County.

