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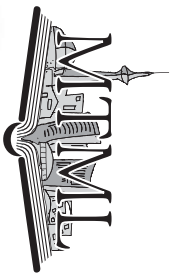
Metro Toronto Movement for Literacy

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Donation \$ _____
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Membership:

New Member

Renewal

Individual \$ _____
\$15 minimum, pay what you can

Organization \$ _____
\$60, 120, 180, 240

Make a donation! Become a member of MTML!
All donations receive a charitable receipt. MTML members receive the monthly newsletter *Incoming*, are invited to MTML workshops, trainings and events, and have a vote and a say at our AGM. Get connected to a network of people and ideas.

Name: _____

Organization (if any): _____

Address: _____

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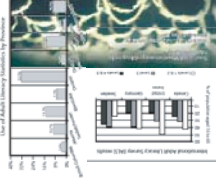
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As the regional network, we link over 200 individual and organizational members from across the City of Toronto and York regions. Our work is focused on the following functions:

Public Education

Whether responding to questions about adult literacy from the media, participating in public events,



or researching and distributing information on changes in the educational system, MTML is dedicated to raising public awareness on adult literacy issues. Raising awareness fosters the promotion of action of adult literacy, improving adults' access to good literacy services.

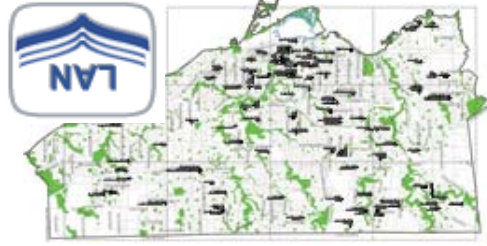
Community Planning



MTML works with Local Literacy Committees in the City of Toronto and York Region to develop a strong network of literacy providers and services.

Each year, MTML supports the development of good adult literacy services throughout the region by coordinating the Literacy Services Plan for Toronto and York Region.

Information & Referral



Through our Literacy Access Network, Toronto's only literacy referral hotline, MTML is dedicated to providing accurate information to allow callers to make informed decisions about their adult literacy choices. This commitment to quality referral is a first step to ensuring that callers find access to lifelong learning opportunities.

Professional Development

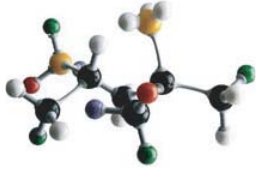


By responding to the needs of members, MTML strives to deliver relevant professional development to people interested in adult literacy. Workshops, seminars, forums, and other materials are developed and presented by MTML and our members. MTML works to provide professional development that will help in the delivery of good literacy programming in our region.

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Research & Development



MTML is involved in adult literacy research projects, and stays current on projects in other regions, in order to continue the development of the literacy field. Receiving input from people interested in literacy and informing them of the findings, builds a path for new, innovative ways to deliver services

Membership Communications



MTML stays in touch with its membership through monthly newsletters and information sessions, as well as through the day-to-day workings of the organization. Information on the literacy movement in our region and elsewhere is collected and distributed, helping to insure an informed literacy community.

MTML also works with other regional networks across the province, and with other organizations nationally, to develop innovative ways of supporting the literacy field. We receive funding from the Ontario Ministry of Training, Colleges, and Universities, Literacy and Basic Skills Section; the National Literacy Secretariat; the Trillium Foundation; the City of Toronto; corporate and private donors; and membership fees.