

**TEACHER GUIDES FOR THE EXHIBIT:
THE GREEK COMMUNITY OF TARPON SPRINGS**

The exhibit *the Greek Community of Tarpon Springs* covers a wide range of information regarding the history and culture of the community. The exhibit is suitable for teaching children at all levels about local, ethnic, or maritime history in Florida. In order to prepare students for a visit to the exhibit, we are providing teachers with four short synopses based on sections of the exhibit:

1. The Greek Community of Tarpon Springs: Introduction: History and Current Life
2. Greek Traditional Culture
3. Maritime Traditions: Sponge Fishing
4. Music and Dance

Teachers who are interested in Florida's traditional culture can integrate information from this exhibit into many classroom topics that fulfill Sunshine State Standards. While the exhibit is most applicable to standards in Social Studies and Music, teachers might also find a relationship with standards in Visual Art or Science.