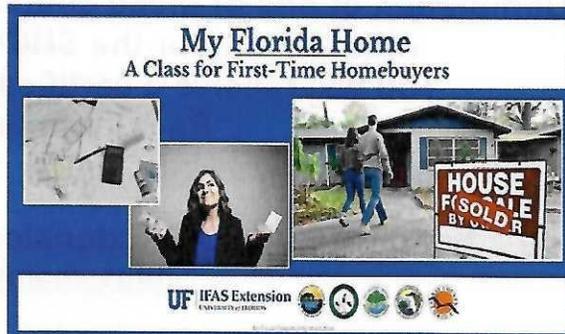


2023 First-time Home Buyer Classes in Bay County, Florida

This 6-hour course is designed to help you better understand the homebuying process, the financial responsibilities of home ownership, and basic home care and maintenance techniques to maintain the value of your home and save money on repairs.

This course is open to everyone, from individuals just beginning the home buying process to those further along in the process.



*** We are a HUD approved counseling agency. Completion of this course fulfills the homeownership education requirement for the SHIP and Rural Development programs. You will receive a certificate upon completion of the class. You are not required to apply for either of these programs to attend the class.**

Class Location in Bay County:

UF/IFAS Extension Bay County, 2728 East 14th Street, Panama City, FL 32401

Registration REQUIRED: Register on Eventbrite at <http://bit.ly/fthbbay> or call Melanie Taylor at the UF/IFAS Extension Office Bay County at 850-784-6105.

***Eventbrite Instructions:**

The initial Eventbrite page will say UF/IFAS Extension Jackson County (this is correct).

- 1) Choose the date of the class you want to attend.
- 2) Click on **Reserve a spot** and you will see all the classes being offered in Bay, Holmes, Jackson, Walton, and Washington Counties.
- 3) Be sure you choose the correct **location** and **how many people** will be attending.
- 4) Click **Register** to complete the registration process.
- 5) You will receive a confirmation email with details about the date, location, and basic information for the day you registered.

Bay County First-time Home Buyer In-Person Class Dates:

Eventbrite registration link for all classes: <http://bit.ly/fthbbay>

Registration required:

- **Saturday, January 28, 2023, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm CT**
 - **Wednesday, March 15, 2023, 9:00 am – 4:00 pm CT**
 - **Thursdays, April 27 & May 4, 2023, 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm CT**
- *IMPORTANT:** This is a two-day class and both sessions are required to complete the course.
- **Tuesday, June 13, 2023, 9:00 AM – 4:00 pm CT**

***Alternative online class options located on the next page.**

For persons with disabilities requiring special accommodations, please contact the Extension Office at 850-784-6105 (TDD, via Florida Relay Service, 1-800-955-8771) at least ten working days prior to the class so that proper consideration may be given to the request. An Equal Opportunity Institution.

***Alternative Options to the Face-to-Face First Time Home Buyer Class:**

***Completion of one of these courses also fulfills the homeownership education requirement for the SHIP and Rural Development programs.**

You will receive a certificate upon completion of both courses.

Be sure to print/save the certificate.

Statewide UF/IFAS Extension Online First Time Home Buyer Class:

<https://homebuyerred.eventbrite.com>

Online: Dates are listed on the Eventbrite page.

Cost: Free. When you select your ticket, you will see little blue letters "promo code". Enter **UFHOME** and you will not be charged for the class.

Language: Offered in English and Spanish (check Eventbrite link for English and Spanish class dates)

Length: 8-hour class

Extension Utah State University Online Home Buyer Education Class:

<https://extension.learn.usu.edu/browse/home-buyer/courses/home-buyer-education-2022>

*Course certification requires each participant to use their own personal email to register and complete the course.

Online/On Demand: 6 learning modules which may be completed at your convenience. Must be completed with 30 days of payment.

Cost: \$70. Add an additional household member for \$5. Please select the Course Details tab (to the left) for instructions to add an additional household member.

Language: English

Length: Approximately 4 hours (*Reminder: Must be completed within 30 days of payment.*)

Course Media: Videos, Quizzes, and Final Exam



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