



**Broward County
Public Schools**

The Centennial
CALIBER
AWARDS

Recognizing Excellence in Education



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The Greater Fort Lauderdale/
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Congratulations 2016 Caliber Awards nominees and winners!

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DID YOU KNOW?

1920

In 1920, salaries averaged \$100 a month for teachers and \$150 a month for principals.

1915

In 1915, J.M. Holding became the first Superintendent of Schools in Broward County and C.D. Kittredge was named the first Chairman of the Board of Public Instruction.

1930

The 1930s marked the establishment of the Broward County Council of Parent Teacher Associations.

1940

By 1940, Broward County's population reached 30,794. In 1947, the District had 17 schools and the Board of Public Instruction grew from three members to five.

1950

By 1954, the District included a total of 41 schools.

1960

BECON TV
In 1967, the Instructional Television Center (ITV), now known as BECON-TV (Broward Education Communication Network), broadcast for the first time.

1970

In 1977, the District implemented the English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) program. This was years before the state mandated such programs in 1990.

1980

In 1982, Broward County Public Schools was among the first school districts to purchase computers for classrooms, using them in business education programs.

1990

In 1995, Broward County Public Schools launched its website browardschools.com, officially joining the World Wide Web.

2000

In 2007, for the first time, regular School Board meetings were streamed live on the District's website.

2015

In 2015, Broward County Public Schools celebrates 100 years of educational excellence with 238 schools, centers and technical colleges. The District is now the sixth largest public school system in the nation and the second largest in Florida.

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Platinum



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PROGRAM

Processional	Caliber Awards Nominees
Presentation of Colors	Fort Lauderdale High School
Pledge of Allegiance	Navy JROTC Chief Daniel Tyson Priscilla Ribeiro, Principal
National Anthem	Margaret McVay Sound of Pride Marching Band Cooper City High School Chandler Wilson, Director Wendy Doll, Principal
Musical Selection	Sound of Pride Marching Band
Welcome	Ashley Jones, News Anchor, WSVN 7 Mistress of Ceremonies Keith Jones, News Anchor NBC 6 Master of Ceremonies
Greetings	Dr. Rosalind Osgood Chair, School Board of Broward County, Florida
Remarks	Robert W. Runcie Superintendent of Schools

Dinner

Presenting Sponsor Remarks	BrightStar Credit Union
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Presentation of Finalists

School-Related/District, Assistant Principal, Principal and Teacher of the Year

Platinum Sponsor Remarks	Bank of America, Coventry Health Care of Florida, Lenovo Intel, Nova Southeastern University
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Announcement of Winners

2016 School-Related/District Employee of the Year Award	Kenyatta Medlock, Whiddon-Rogers Education Center 2015 School-Related/District Employee of the Year
2016 Assistant Principal of the Year Award	Thomas Moncilovich, Sheridan Technical College 2015 Assistant Principal of the Year
2016 Principal of the Year Award	Angela Brown, Dillard Elementary School 2015 Principal of the Year
2017 Teacher of the Year Award	Nicole Brown, Deerfield Beach Middle School 2016 Teacher of the Year
Closing Remarks	Ashley and Keith Jones

MISTRESS OF CEREMONIES



Ashley Jones
News anchor, WSVN Channel 7

Ashley Jones is the Today in Florida morning anchor at WSVN 7. After starting her career in finance as a licensed Estate Tax Planner, Ashley turned her attention and talents to Broadcast Journalism. She worked her way across the country in news networks such as WPIX, Bloomberg TV as an Anchor and Stocks Editor and as a Business News anchor for CBS Moneywatch. She was an NCAA, All-ACC, Full Scholarship tennis player at North Carolina State University, where she was the team captain and received the state's "Mental Attitude and Sportmanship Award." She maintains her passion for tennis and currently teaches the next generation of athletes.

Ashley played a news reporter in the movie "Side Effects" starring Jude Law. She has been on the cover of several magazines including 25A, Florida Creating Living and SHE, and was also featured in JACQ and Vintage NYC magazines. In January 2014, she was inducted into the first ever "Hall Of Fame" at her former school, Columbus East High School. She is actively involved in the community and hosts several events to benefit St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

MASTER OF CEREMONIES



Keith Jones
News anchor, NBC 6

Keith Jones anchors the weekend edition of the NBC 6 South Florida News at 6 p.m. and 11 p.m. Jones grew up in the suburbs of Columbus, Ohio, but he's no stranger to South Florida, having earned a Bachelor's degree in Broadcast Communication/Journalism from Barry University, where he attended on a baseball scholarship.

Most recently Jones worked as the morning, 9 a.m. and noon anchor at WTSP in Tampa/St. Petersburg. Prior to joining WTSP, Jones served as morning and main fill-in anchor at KDKA and weekend anchor at WPXI in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. His earlier stints as an anchor took him through WOWK Charleston, West Virginia and WTVG Toledo, Ohio.

Jones's experience includes anchoring continuous coverage and reporting from the crash site of United Flight 93 on September 11th, field anchoring and reporting from the scene of nine trapped miners at Quecreek Mine in Pennsylvania. Jones earned EMMY nominations and numerous first place awards from the Pennsylvania AP, Cleveland Press Club, and Crystal Awards in the areas of features and spot news.

When away from work, Jones enjoys outdoor activities with his daughters, Madeline and Mary Margaret. He and his family volunteer for the American Heart Association and various children's hospitals.



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A MESSAGE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT



Robert W. Runcie
Superintendent of Schools

Welcome to the 2016 Caliber Awards! On this special day, we celebrate Broward County Public Schools (BCPS) heroes in education, whose steadfast commitment to our students creates a truly positive impact in our community.

Tonight's finalists, which include Teacher of the Year, Principal of the Year, Assistant Principal of the Year and School-Related/District Employee of the Year, exemplify enthusiasm, allegiance and professionalism. They demonstrate the BCPS standard of being committed to educating today's students to succeed in tomorrow's world.

As we celebrate the District's Centennial, we honor our educational leaders who not only influence our young people, but also set a great example for their colleagues. They truly capture the character and spirit of what it means to mentor and empower students and colleagues alike. This special group is developing the next generation of leaders who will make a lasting impact in this world.

We applaud all of tonight's nominees, finalists, Caliber Awards recipients and all of the wonderful employees who have worked to make our District great over the last 100 years. We ask that you join us in recognizing these individuals for their immeasurable dedication and contribution, as we maintain our relentless focus towards providing our students with an amazing educational experience over the next 100 years.

TONIGHT'S PERFORMERS



Fort Lauderdale High School's Navy JROTC

Fort Lauderdale High School's Navy JROTC, also known as the Flying "L" Battalion, is a citizenship and leadership development program consisting of 9-12 grade students. Fort Lauderdale High's Flying "L" Battalion is the 2016 Unarmed Exhibition Team State Champions. Named the Distinguished Unit for the last two years, the Flying "L" Battalion's Academic and Orienteering Teams are ranked in the top 10 percent in the nation.



"Sound of Pride" Marching Band

The "Sound of Pride" Marching Band of Cooper City High School marching band competes on a national, state, and local level. Recently, the Sound of Pride was named "Grand Champions" of the 2016 Sugar Bowl Marching Band Competition in New Orleans, LA. The marching band has also been invited by the Lord Mayor of Westminster in London to perform at the 2018 London New Year's Day Parade.



THE CENTENNIAL ANNUAL CALIBER AWARDS

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SCHOOL-RELATED/ DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Mary Alvarez

Lyons Creek Middle School

As the principal's confidential secretary and office manager, Mary Alvarez supervises a clerical staff of 11 individuals. She is personally committed to ensuring a safe, secure and welcoming school environment. Her effectiveness and knowledge of different facets of the school system proved especially valuable in providing continuity during changes in principals, a significant challenge in a school with over 1,900 students.

For sixteen years, Ms. Alvarez has had perfect attendance, reflecting her dedication and dependability. Described as a "consummate professional," she is willing to do whatever is needed to get a job done, including working after hours during a crisis. In addition to her primary responsibilities, her creativity and initiative enable her to wear many other hats. Among these are substitute coordinator, faculty sponsor for the First Priority student organization, Relay for Life coordinator, and volunteer with the Teacher Recruitment Fair.

Ms. Alvarez has earned the respect of all who have graced the halls of Lyons Creek Middle. Her interpersonal skills contribute to the camaraderie among the clerical staff and filters to the administration, faculty, students and parents, alike.



SCHOOL-RELATED/ DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Solange Dawson

Heron Heights Elementary School

Solange Dawson supervises Before & After School Child Care (BASCC) where she coordinates activities, leads a staff of 20 individuals in planning curriculum activities, recruits personnel, and oversees the direct supervision of children. Through her leadership, the program at Heron Heights Elementary School has grown from 100 to 300 students.

Ms. Dawson's position requires a broad knowledge of afterschool care and business management skills for financial self-sufficiency. Ms. Dawson uses her computer skills to manage the program's website and Facebook page to communicate effectively with parents. She has also developed training videos for schools transitioning from private providers. Her program has been the pilot site for iPad paperless parent sign-outs, an environmentally-friendly solution that also reduces printing costs.

A passion for education is Ms. Dawson's foundation for success. She initiated diverse activities to broaden student learning while having fun. These activities have included Wacky Wild Science, Arty Van Gogh, P.E. Xtreme games, and book clubs. A family science night provided an opportunity to share children's projects.

To support her staff, Ms. Dawson holds daily meetings to strengthen communication and created team lead positions to help counselors develop their leadership skills. Hard working and conscientious, Ms. Dawson also serves as a mentor and trainer in the BASCC cadre, sharing her knowledge with those in other schools.



SCHOOL-RELATED/ DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Nikole Gray

Dillard Elementary School

Nikole Gray's ability to work with children from varied and difficult backgrounds contributes to her success as a paraprofessional. Formerly serving as a Community Liaison at other schools, she supplemented her innate abilities with university courses in social work, which helped her better understand family issues and relationships. In order to help bridge the gap between home and school, Ms. Gray invited teachers to accompany her to home visits, some of which she scheduled late in the evening to accommodate parents' schedules.

Ms. Gray's primary responsibilities are to assist with classroom instruction while providing a safe and comfortable environment and maintaining communication with parents. She often works as an interim substitute teacher in challenging classes and collaborates with teachers to find solutions for helping students. She helped create an internal suspension curriculum where students can continue with academics as an alternative to external suspension.

Empathetic and perceptive, Ms. Gray's contributions are not limited to the classroom. She willingly shares her practices and educational expertise with others. She recruited more than 30 children for the Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten program, explaining its value to parents. Each year she coordinates a fashion show, which has increased parent participation and raised funds for school activities.

Ms. Gray has also been recognized for her work on the Art Walk, College Week, Literacy Night, Peace Week, and Multi-Cultural committees.



SCHOOL-RELATED/ DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Shilpa Parikh

Winston Park Elementary School

As a Micro Computer Technology Specialist, Shilpa Parikh's job is to maintain technology throughout the school. She manages the school website and is responsible for computer hardware and software, as well as for coordinating online testing.

As examples of her initiative, Ms. Parikh designed training for parents in accessing web-based resources, including District websites. She created a student-led Tech Team that trained students to use technology. With these skills, students are able to independently set up equipment for assemblies and to assist staff members with technology needs such as troubleshooting technical problems in the classroom.

Throughout the 16 years Ms. Parikh has been at Winston Park Elementary, she has not been constrained by a job title. She willingly accepts additional responsibilities, including serving as the principal's confidential secretary and office manager. Her positive attitude and adaptability have resulted in excellent relationships with administrators, co-workers and the community; her diligence and work ethic are well known to all.

Ms. Parikh functions well both independently and as part of a team, and is a frequent volunteer. She is an active member of the Parent Teacher Association, serves on a number of school committees, and has been recognized for her contributions to Relay for Life.



SCHOOL-RELATED/ DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Jacqueline Sanchez *Griffin Elementary School*

As a Micro Computer Technical Specialist at Griffin Elementary School, Jacqueline Sanchez provides technical assistance for staff in using hardware and software, supports classroom technology, and maintains the school website. As an example of her devotion to her students and their parents, she opens the computer lab at 7:30 a.m., so students and families can work on computer-based literacy activities.

In addition to her primary duties, Ms. Sanchez volunteers for other school responsibilities. She serves on the School Advisory Council committee and Safety Team, chairs the Green Team, and is a member of the Parent Teacher Advisory. She created "Tech Thursdays," a volunteer Professional Learning Community to train faculty in technology tools. For the past eight years, Ms. Sanchez has sponsored the Eco-Patrol Environmental Club, helping students operate a recycling service and learn more about the environment. She used her technology skills to create a blog and coordinate a Skype session so that Griffin Elementary students could communicate and collaborate with counterparts in Taiwan regarding an environmental project.

Ms. Sanchez obtained grant funds for environmental education initiatives at Griffin; these initiatives include butterfly gardens, protection for burrowing owls, screech owl boxes, a gutter system to capture rainwater and an outdoor classroom. Through her leadership, Griffin Elementary has been recognized by the Broward County P3 (Preserving our Planet for Posterity) Eco-Challenge program.



SCHOOL-RELATED/ DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Nicole Sanchez

Coral Glades High School

Nicole Sanchez has served as the administrative secretary for the Exceptional Student Education (ESE) Department at Coral Glades High School since 2008. Her responsibilities include working with Business Partners in Education and the I-Zone Committee, as well as serving as volunteer coordinator and the 5 Star Book point person.

Over the past eight years, Ms. Sanchez has contributed to the school and community beyond the duties of her position. One of her notable successes is the ESE Transition Fair, an annual event where ESE students who will graduate or age out of the program and their parents, can learn about community resources. To aid parents in becoming legal guardians for their adult children, Ms. Sanchez recruited a personal friend, an attorney, to assist with the required forms. From 10 participating agencies in 2010, the event has grown to 37 agencies with record participation by students and families from Coral Glades High and other schools.

Nicole Sanchez is a mentor to students and colleagues, a team player who participates in all school functions. Her many volunteer efforts include Adopt-A-Soldier and Navy Moms, and she and her family raise funds for the Neuroendocrine Cancer Awareness Network. For her efforts in collecting letters of appreciation for veterans through Honor Flight, Ms. Sanchez was honored by the City of Coral Springs with a plaque bestowed by the mayor.

SCHOOL-RELATED/DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Apollo Middle School	Kevin Oscar
Atlantic Technical College	Janet Rivera
Atlantic West Elementary School	Ronald McClure
Attucks Middle School	Devon Chandler
Bair Middle School	Betty Jones
Banyan Elementary School	Dean Losasso
Bayview Elementary School	Mimoza Minxha
Beachside Montessori Village	Robyn Eberhardt
Bennett Elementary School	Tacoya Owens
Bethune, Mary M. Elementary School	Noel Duenas
Blanche Ely High School	Tammy Rozier
Boulevard Heights Elementary School	Leticia Romero
Boyd Anderson High School	Lakesha Wyche
Bright Horizons Center	Fabion Gopie
Broadview Elementary School	Bonnetta Nicasio
Broward Estates Elementary School	Sherry Candelaria
Broward Virtual School	Liana Gonzalez
Castle Hill Elementary School	Sarah McIntosh
Central Park Elementary School	Pam Ogrady
Challenger Elementary School	Waleska Guedes
Chapel Trail Elementary School	Nereida Emmanuelli
Coconut Creek Elementary School	Yvette Aponte
Coconut Creek High School	Christopher Smart
Coconut Palm Elementary School	Ivonne Rubio
Colbert Elementary School	Dave Gilbert
College Academy @ BC	Pamela Curtis
Collins Elementary School	Paulette Jackson
Community Schools North	Linda Bellantoni
Community Schools South	Elsa Hanzlicek
Cooper City Elementary School	Melissa Placa
Cooper City High School	Robert Bullins
Coral Cove Elementary School	Tiffany Burnside
Coral Glades High School	Nicole Sanchez
Coral Park Elementary School	Marci Maietta
Coral Springs Elementary School	Ana Fernandez
Coral Springs Middle School	Joanne Alonzo
Coral Springs High School	Darlene Loudermilk
Country Hills Elementary School	Sylvia Goett
Country Isles Elementary School	Glennis Milan-Barreto

SCHOOL-RELATED/DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Cresthaven Elementary School	Jose Velazquez
Croissant Park Elementary School	Chanroutie Newton
Cross Creek School Center	Robin Reichbach
Crystal Lake Middle School	Robyn Barto
Cypress Bay High School	William Lynch
Cypress Elementary School	Janette Delgado
Cypress Run Education Center	Sevenia Anderson
Dandy, William Middle School	Wendy Williams-Manlove
Dania Elementary School	Teriz Khalil
Dave Thomas Education Center	Sophia Brown
Davie Elementary School	Arlene Barcelo
Deerfield Beach Elementary School	Vicki Stadelman
Deerfield Beach Middle School	Gloria Mathis-Robinson
Deerfield Beach High School	Susan Costa
Deerfield Park Elementary School	Teresa Levy
Dillard 6-12	Antonio Walker
Dillard Elementary School	Nikole Gray
Discovery Elementary School	Brianna Quinlan
Dolphin Bay Elementary School	Kari Miller
Drew, Charles R. Elementary School	Marzaleen Bohanek Fazekas
Driftwood Elementary School	Kathleen Cooper
Driftwood Middle School	Kurt Vendryes
Eagle Point Elementary School	Kevin Cameron
Eagle Ridge Elementary School	Rino Pastor
Embassy Creek Elementary School	Donna Siggins
Endeavour Primary Learning Center	Daisy Mae Davis
Everglades Elementary School	Zoila Munoz
Everglades High School	Victoria Kozakoff
Fairway Elementary School	Portia Porter
Falcon Cove Middle School	Faith Fischer
Flamingo Elementary School	Berith Velasquez
Flanagan, Charles W. High School	Nuvia Cain
Floranada Elementary School	Donna Damore
Forest Glen Middle School	Joshua Rollins
Forest Hills Elementary School	Dale Marie Bailey
Fort Lauderdale High School	Zachary Bates
Foster, Stephen Elementary School	Raynold Moise
Fox Trail Elementary School	Sandra Hopper
Gator Run Elementary School	Idman Jeannelus

SCHOOL-RELATED/DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Glades Middle School	Carmen Planas
Griffin Elementary School	Jacqueline Sanchez
Gulfstream Middle School	Chris Duby
Hallandale Adult Community Center	Patricia Lewis
Hallandale Elementary School	Albert Francis
Hallandale High School	Denise Ruise
Harbordale Elementary School	Robert Biggs
Hawkes Bluff Elementary School	Richey Bourbeau
Heron Heights Elementary School	Solange Dawson
Hollywood Central Elementary School	Barbara Sanchez
Hollywood Hills Elementary School	Louise Moxley
Hollywood Hills High School	Susan Alicia Rosales
Hollywood Park Elementary School	Barbie Zuloaga
Horizon Elementary School	Stephen Allison
Hunt, James S. Elementary School	Paul Acosta
Indian Ridge Middle School	Donna Webb
Indian Trace Elementary School	William Russell
King, Jr., Dr. Martin Luther Montessori Academy	Deloris Moody
Lake Forest Elementary School	Tramaine Brown
Lakeside Elementary School	Michell Lowry
Lanier-James Education Center	Lori Melton
Larkdale Elementary School	Rose Duchemin
Lauderdale Lakes Middle School	Tracyann Smith
Lauderhill 6-12 STEM MED	Julio Effio
Lauderhill Paul Turner Elementary School	Belinda Burton
Liberty Elementary School	Arlene Julienne
Lloyd Estates Elementary School	Maria Wheeler
Lyons Creek Middle School	Mary Alvarez
Manatee Bay Elementary School	David Rios-Santos
Maplewood Elementary School	Karen Hart
Margate Elementary School	Eric Beck
Margate Middle School	Keith Span
Markham, Robert C. Elementary School	Oscar Moreno
Marshall, Thurgood Elementary School	Ella Elliard
McArthur High School	Nora Mendoza
McFatter Technical College	Steven Perry
McNab Elementary School	Kenia E. Hila

SCHOOL-RELATED/DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

McNicol Middle School	Thedrick Ferguson
Meadowbrook Elementary School	Al Hibbert
Millennium Middle School	Douglas Mattson
Miramar Elementary School	Mary Gleicher
Miramar High School	Elaine Mamby
Mirror Lake Elementary School	Dane Wilson
Monarch High School	Amber Hendricks
Morrow Elementary School	Rossanna Guzman
New Renaissance Middle School	Carrie Jackson
New River Middle School	Ingrid Dudra
Nob Hill Elementary School	Pam Toloza
Norcrest Elementary School	Lawanda Hamon
North Andrews Gardens Elementary School	Cherise Gonzalez
North Fork Elementary School	Terrelle George
North Lauderdale Elementary School	Nakia Thomas
Northeast High School	Shedly Casseus-Panther
Northside Elementary School	Lyonesse Williams
Nova Blanche Forman Elementary School	Cedric Hampton
Nova Eisenhower Elementary School	Airika Cross
Nova Middle School	Peggy Breland
Nova High School	Travis Bentley
Oakland Park Elementary School	Linda Blanco
Oakridge Elementary School	Caletha Sheffield
Olsen Middle School	Rayon Gayle
Orangebrook Elementary School	Jill Watkins
Oriole Elementary School	Lanise Stephens
Palm Cove Elementary School	Shaheena Taqi
Palmview Elementary School	Sandra Grooms-Harris
Panther Run Elementary School	Yvette Acosta
Park Lakes Elementary School	Joycelyn Foster
Park Ridge Elementary School	Debra Swain
Park Springs Elementary School	Michael M. Jones
Park Trails Elementary School	JoAnn Lenz
Parkside Elementary School	Dennis Montoya
Parkway Middle School	Melissa Brinson
Pasadena Lakes Elementary School	Claribel Hernandez
Pembroke Lakes Elementary School	Charles Giangreco
Pembroke Pines Elementary School	Nery Diaz

SCHOOL-RELATED/DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Perry, Annabel C. Elementary School	Janus Wesley
Perry, Henry Middle School	Tarolyn Riley
Peters Elementary School	Rita Nieves Crespo
Pine Ridge Education Center	Betty Symonette
Pines Lakes Elementary School	Christine Lafauci-Thrasher
Pines Middle School	Roland Williams
Pinewood Elementary School	Tysheka Brooks
Pioneer Middle School	Stacey Thompson
Piper High School	Jerry Jones, Jr.
Plantation Elementary School	Mercedes Guerrero
Plantation Middle School	Paul Elliott
Plantation High School	William Banks
Plantation Park Elementary School	Reynaldo Sy
Pompano Beach Elementary School	Eadina Hunt-Jackson
Pompano Beach Middle School	Annie Martin
Pompano Beach High School	Tayondric Allen
Quiet Waters Elementary School	Cathy Blankenship
Ramblewood Elementary School	Luz Stella Lerma
Ramblewood Middle School	Luz Padilla
Rickards, James S. Middle School	Kathleen Breitenkam
Riverglades Elementary School	Tracy Fortunato
Riverland Elementary School	Cheryl Brown-Freeman
Riverside Elementary School	Emilia Berger
Rock Island Elementary School	Jackie Wilson
Royal Palm Elementary School	Florie Constant
Sanders Park Elementary School	Kelli Gooden
Sandpiper Elementary School	Laurel Love
Sawgrass Springs Middle School	Donna Cambron
Sea Castle Elementary School	Noel Markowitz
Seagull School	Mary McKenzie
Seminole Middle School	Janet Rogers
Sheridan Hills Elementary School	Mayra Bido
Sheridan Park Elementary School	Karen Uris
Sheridan Tech College	Maria Gloria Valencia
Silver Lakes Elementary School	Dany Rio
Silver Lakes Middle School	Kelvin Kirkland
Silver Palms Elementary School	Nancy Schuler
Silver Ridge Elementary School	Dolores Resila
Silver Shores Elementary School	Lumony Leconte

SCHOOL-RELATED/DISTRICT EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Silver Trail Middle School	Radcliffe Clarke
South Broward High School	Elisabeth Jouan Vargas
South Plantation High School	Nereida Miller
Stirling Elementary School	Franje Marie Partik
Stoneman Douglas, Marjory High School	Deborah Letter
Stranahan High School	Algart McFadden
Sunland Park Academy	Melvin Davis
Sunrise Middle School	Debra Bele
Sunset Lakes Elementary School	Arlene Wilson
Sunshine Elementary School	Pier Anson
Tamarac Elementary School	Jaime Romano
Taravella, J.P. High School	Thomas Clancy
Tedder Elementary School	Lina Parra
Tequesta Trace Middle School	Vera Skinner
The Quest Center	Damon Ferguson
Tradewinds Elementary School	Patrick Katongo
Tropical Elementary School	Kim Knight
Village Elementary School	Terence Williams
Walker Elementary School	Gail Duffy
Watkins Elementary School	Evelina Masters
Welleby Elementary School	Tina Ham
West Broward High School	Rodney Francois
West Hollywood Elementary School	Jan McMillan
Westchester Elementary School	William Barber
Western High School	Jonathan Shadoin
Westglades Middle School	Carlton Wilmot
Westpine Middle School	Candice DiMaggio
Westwood Heights Elementary School	Mary Hunt
Whiddon Rogers Education Center	Broderick Henry
Whispering Pines Center	Shari Caines
Wilton Manors Elementary School	Marise Darius
Wingate Oaks Center	Brenda Moore
Winston Park Elementary School	Shilpa Parikh
Young, Virginia S. Montessori Magnet Elementary School	Luz Puentes
Young, Walter C. Middle School	Jessica Brito
Food and Nutrition Services	Janet White



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Annette M. Johnson
Sheridan Technical College

When Annette Johnson taught medical laboratory technology, she recognized that her students needed to learn English. Helping them led her to become ESOL Coordinator and later Assistant Principal. She now manages programs in GED, Adult Basic Education, practical nursing, surgical technology, patient care, medical coding and billing, phlebotomy, culinary arts and others. She encourages industry and advisory committee members to provide real life industry work experience and to hire students upon program completion.

As Assistant Principal, Annette Johnson is responsible for monitoring the curriculum for 55 programs serving 3,000 students across three campuses. As Accreditation Liaison, she is responsible for ensuring the school's continuing accreditation as a postsecondary occupational education institution, accreditation that's essential for students to receive federal financial aid and college transfer credits. Her responsibilities for the ESOL enrollment of 1,000 included oversight of construction of a six-classroom building to house this growing program. She also facilitates online Adult Basic Education, GED and ESOL programs.

A highlight of Ms. Johnson's tenure at Sheridan was the opportunity to oversee its name change to Sheridan Technical College. Reflecting on her work with students from age 16 to 70 who come from all levels of education and skill, she is "humbled and amazed by what people can achieve if we just give them a chance."



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Wendolynn F. Mola

West Broward High School

Wendolynn Mola became assistant principal in 2008 and helped open the new West Broward High School. The school's challenge was to bring together two different schools into one where personalization is the key to educational success. Ms. Mola focused on empowering teachers with the resources needed for project-based and student-centered learning, encouraging the staff to try new strategies. By 2015, West Broward High had become a community center for families and enrollment had grown from below 1,800 to nearly 2,700.

Over the past five years, under Ms. Mola's leadership as Senior Class Administrator, the graduation rate has averaged 96% with at least a quarter of graduates earning industry certification in addition to a diploma. Ms. Mola administers the Career and Technical Programs which now include eight career/tech programs and five CAPE academies. Students in these courses benefit from working directly with professionals in medical, veterinary, childcare and multimedia fields. In the past three years, industry certification success rates have risen from 64% to 82%.

Ms. Mola runs the master activities calendar and has helped the student activities program grow to over 80 organizations with something for everyone. As Staff Liaison, she often contributes her own time to support PTSA activities and mentors PTSA members, enabling them to become successful fundraisers.



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

André L. Ponder

Forest Glen Middle School

As an administrator, André Ponder is a team player who leads by example and who has made customer service a priority. He is sensitive to the needs of others, often counseling students needing special attention and even reaching into his own pocket to pay for a student's meal or extracurricular activity.

Mr. Ponder is known for his energy, enthusiasm and dependability. He has initiated a variety of programs to enhance student achievement and staff morale. Academically, these included a focus on increasing student achievement in reading and math. To promote career options, he created Career Day, an annual event bringing parents and community partners from many backgrounds to talk with students. In response to the needs of underachieving adolescent males, he instituted "Mentoring Mondays" and "Necktie 2sDays" to encourage improved behavior. The "Caught Being Good" program rewards positive behavior with Wildcat Bucks redeemable at the rolling school store.

To boost staff morale, Mr. Ponder developed a series of monthly events where staff can enjoy being together. These have included a featured employee of the month and activities such as a chili cook-off, a volleyball game, and a picnic. While his role includes varied responsibilities, André Ponder goes beyond job requirements to nurture positive relationships and to help students and colleagues.

Recently appointed as assistant principal at Plantation Middle School, Mr. Ponder has already begun to build and sustain positive relationships with students and staff. He continues to use his excellent people, organizational and analytical skills to further the mission and goals of Plantation Middle.



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Monica Schlosser

Davie Elementary School

Active and involved, Monica Schlosser can be found greeting the children and parents of Davie Elementary as they arrive each morning and talking with students during the day about their academic and social progress. For Ms. Schlosser, an educator who now serves as Intern Principal at the school she attended as a child, being back at Davie has meant coming full circle.

Since joining the Davie staff, Ms. Schlosser created the Davie Rewards Card Program, an incentive program that awards parents with participation points redeemable for prizes donated by community partners. Through her leadership, both partnerships and parental involvement have doubled. Ms. Schlosser's successful grant proposals have brought the school more than \$30,000 for technology and other classroom improvements. She has been the driving force behind the school's tutoring and mentorship programs and established a successful science lab that helped raise scores from 41% to 56%.

As a mentor to future educators, Monica Schlosser increased the number of student teachers at Davie, encouraging them to become teachers in their home communities. She has hired eight former student teachers for Davie staff, earning her appointment as District Field Experience Coordinator for 2015. Her strong background in curriculum and ESE, along with a dynamic leadership style, have helped propel Davie's rating from C to A.



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Jacqueline A. Smith

Hollywood Hills High School

In her role as Assistant Principal, Jacqueline Smith directs all aspects of school operations, including instructional leadership, data analysis and professional development. Since she joined the Hollywood Hills staff, student scores have increased significantly in reading, math, science and advanced placement exams and the school has risen from its former C and D rankings to a B.

A skilled and empathetic leader, Ms. Smith developed schoolwide reading strategies with Spartan Reads, a program designed to infuse reading into elective and content area instruction. She was also instrumental in establishing the Spartan Academy to help students improve the skills needed to pass standardized tests. Her work with the youth advisory board and Hispanic Unity in 2015 led to a \$100,000 grant from State Farm to implement an afterschool program to help students prepare for college, become financially literate and create an educational app.

As one of only six CRISS trainers in the district, Jacqueline Smith has trained more than 200 teachers and assisted them in obtaining reading endorsements. She also serves as lead administrator for the School Improvement Plan, Professional Learning Communities, and the School Advisory Council. Her community involvement includes active support of the Broward Alliance of Caribbean Educators and the Urban League.



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Nichele Williams

Tradewinds Elementary

From 2007 to 2015, Nichele Williams was assistant principal at Silver Lakes Middle School (SLMS), a school challenged by nearby charter school options. At SLMS she introduced changes that increased community involvement, improved the use of science and technology, and raised the school's grade from D to C.

Ms. Williams used her science background to develop S.T.E.M curriculum that increased student science scores at SLMS by ten percent. She also initiated enrichment camps in science and writing, educational programs for parents, and service projects featuring the Glee Club to foster community involvement. Ms. Williams developed the first middle school Digital 6 program, created a reading exchange with a local elementary school, and established a dropout prevention program for struggling eighth graders. Through her efforts, SLMS added new high school credit courses, raised FCAT Writes scores to 93% proficiency, and increased enrollment.

In October, 2015 Nichele Williams joined Tradewinds Elementary where she organized a highly successful S.T.E.M family night with attendance more than double the target number. She also planned a Week of Code for all students, including pre-K and those in the autism cluster.

Nichele Williams has been commended for the quality of her planning and preparation as well as for her positive attitude and dedication to her students.

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

The Outstanding Assistant Principal Achievement Award was established by the Florida Department of Education to recognize exemplary principals for their contributions to their schools and communities. The program honors assistant principals who have utilized teamwork and leadership skills to increase student performance, promote safe learning environments and establish partnerships with parents and community members.

Nominees are judged on several criteria including:

- **Educational History and Professional Activities**
- **Leadership**
- **Achievements**
- **Creativity and Innovation**
- **Professional Recognition and Awards**

Broward County Public Schools is proud to join the State of Florida in recognizing these outstanding assistant principals.

Boulevard Heights Elementary School	Kristi Burdick Rippo
Coral Park Elementary School	Eddie Aguilar
Coral Springs Elementary School	Shari Brown
Coral Springs Middle School	David Argent
Cross Creek School	Sally Judd
Cypress Elementary School	Shezette Blue-Small
Dania Elementary School	Leslie Phillips
Davie Elementary School	Monica Schlosser
Embassy Creek Elementary School	Jodi Hoover
Forest Glen Middle School	André Ponder
Fox Trail Elementary School	Suzanne Nelson
Glades Middle School	Dorys Palacio
Griffin Elementary School	Angie Moodliyar-Jones
Hollywood Hills High School	Jacqueline Smith
Hollywood Park Elementary School	Michelle Dolin
Lauderhill 6-12 STEM MED	Shannon Burch
Lauderhill 6-12 STEM MED	Tariq Qaiyim
Margate Middle School	Cara J. Coletti
McNab Elementary School	Clarice Johnston
Nova Eisenhower Elementary School	Dr. Raquel Perez
Nova Middle School	Paul Baugh
Nova Middle School	Rayner Garranchan
Park Lakes Elementary School	Andrew Bronstein
Park Trails Elementary School	Lisa Rodriguez
Pine Ridge Education Center	Timothy Sternberg

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Pompano Beach Elementary School
Pompano Beach Middle School
Sheridan Technical College
Silver Lakes Elementary School
Silver Palms Elementary School
Sunshine Elementary School
Tequesta Trace Middle School
Tradewinds Elementary School
West Broward High School
Wingate Oaks Center

Traci Porter
Charles Zimmerman
Annette Johnson
Alicia Aguilar
Jacqueline Arnaez
Denise Dorsett
Cedric Maddox
Nichele Williams
Wendolynn Mola
Allen Valentine

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PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Dr. Jermaine Fleming

Nova Middle School

As an instructional leader, Dr. Jermaine Fleming's priority is building capacity. He believes that finding and developing the best teachers are critical components of the academic culture. Dr. Fleming also believes that many middle school students can benefit from more rigorous courses. Among the innovations he has introduced are high school credit courses, including Law Studies and Debate; industry certification in Adobe Photoshop; and a variety of enrichment courses.

In his four years as principal at Nova Middle, Dr. Fleming has used his leadership skills to recruit and develop other educators and administrators. He designed a process for interviewing and evaluating teacher candidates that ensures those selected are proficient in the skills needed to foster learning and able to work with students, educators and administrators to promote educational excellence. He also embraced the Professional Learning Community (PLC) concept and ensures adequate time in the master schedule for ongoing development.

Based on the hiring process he established, Fleming was asked to consult with the Office of Talent Development. He has served on the District's national recruitment team since 2013 and was selected to participate in the Commissioner's Leadership Academy. He serves as coach and mentor to several principals as Intern Cadre Director and, as adjunct professor, teaches leadership skills to future administrators.



PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Dr. Lewis Jackson

Dania Elementary School

An advocate for students, Dr. Lewis Jackson views the role of principal as instrumental to the culture of education and student achievement. When he accepted the position of principal of Dania Elementary, his primary challenge was to rebuild staff morale and stakeholder involvement while striving for greater achievement for all students.

Dr. Jackson applied his earlier experience at other Title I schools and led the Dania faculty in using research-based techniques to inform instructional decisions, analyzing student and school data to pinpoint learning gaps and creating strategies for reducing those gaps and improving outcomes. To strengthen community stakeholder relationships, he established partnerships with business and community leaders and the media. As these relationships flowered, the school has blossomed as a cultural hub. Beautification projects have been completed, the media center has been updated and a variety of free clubs for students have been initiated. Teacher and parent perceptions reported on the annual customer service improved to 100%.

Dr. Jackson believes high-quality personnel almost always trump "programs." In addition to developing a strong team at Dania, he shares his passion and professionalism as an adjunct professor teaching aspiring leaders, as a mentor and coach to other principals, and as an active member of many district committees.



PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Dr. Karlton Johnson

Blanche Ely High School

When Dr. Johnson arrived at Blanche Ely High School eight years ago, enrollment was declining, the physical facility was in poor condition and students were apathetic. His goal was to transform the school, to create a stronger community, and to help students embrace their educational opportunities.

Dr. Johnson visited government leaders, churches and community agencies to communicate the value of education and his vision for the school. He founded and directed the Community Success Team to address issues of athletics, facilities, activities and academics. Initiatives such as after school tutoring, extended hours for the media center, a Saturday FCAT camp, and increased technology have all contributed to student advancement.

Since 2010, the school's rating has improved from C to A. Its enrollment has increased and dual enrollment has grown as well. The graduation rate, now the highest in school history, has reached 90 percent and the rate for black males is the second highest in the district. Ninety-six percent of Blanche Ely High's magnet students attend four-year universities and many have earned prestigious scholarships.

Through Dr. Johnson's committed leadership, Blanche Ely High has won numerous awards and recognition for student and staff achievement, and continues to pursue its mission of providing an inclusive learning community for all students.



PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Ernie Lozano

James S. Hunt Elementary School

Four years ago, Ernie Lozano introduced a new leadership style to James S. Hunt Elementary, a school accustomed to a top-down style and one where desks were in rows and teachers, using worksheets, directed learning. School grade data was on a downward trend. Today, teachers at Hunt Elementary are facilitative leaders and students learn collaboratively. As a result, 2014-2015 student results were second in SES Band 3 in ELA and math and first in text-based writing. Science proficiency had also increased significantly.

Mr. Lozano began by obtaining funds for technology and other resources teachers needed to facilitate differentiated instruction and collaborative learning. He helped a struggling PTA become a successful PTO that raises funds for literacy. He implemented school-wide systems of instruction, leading teams for two grades himself and he initiated after-school and Saturday tutoring to remediate and enrich learning. To increase ELL parent involvement, he established monthly meetings with staff able to answer questions in Spanish and Haitian Creole.

Visible and involved with teachers, students and families, Ernie Lozano also leads by example among his peers. He serves as a mentor and has shared best practices with district programs, including the Digital 5 Think Tank, the REL Southeast Early Literacy Intervention Study, and The Collaborative Transformation: Establishing Excellence in Elementary Preparation.



PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Jon Marlow

Deerfield Beach High School

Jon Marlow implements programs that foster emotional, physical and academic well-being for all students. He has achieved this at Deerfield Beach High School by reversing poor performance and by finding solutions to problems of student behavior. The school's rating has improved from C to A and graduation rates have increased significantly.

Mr. Marlow inspires faculty and staff to connect personally with students, encouraging their involvement in school activities outside the classroom. While supporting established, successful clubs and teams, he initiated and implemented new programs which reach students not previously involved. To do so, he drew on grant funding and partnerships developed with the City of Deerfield Beach and community partners.

Examples of new initiatives include Mentoring Tomorrow's Leaders, which focuses on improving graduation rates of black males, and Investing in Women of the Future, a similar program for minority females. The 21st Century program, with nearly 200 students enrolled, offers after school modules ranging from academic tutoring to extracurricular activities such as weight lifting and cooking while the College Tour Program lets students visit college campuses and provides test tutoring.

A visible and trustworthy visionary, Mr. Marlow's focus is on the future of the school where he has created a climate for academic excellence and social development.



PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Elaine L. Saef

Panther Run Elementary School

Elaine Saef views her role as principal as one of removing barriers and providing essentials while leading and inspiring teachers to teach and students to learn. During her tenure at Panther Run, she created two signature programs: Pay it Forward and What I Am Makes A Difference, or PIF-WIAMAD. These award-winning innovations are unique school strengths and have been effective in developing a caring culture in the school and community.

In addition to her leadership role as an administrator, Ms. Saef's personal involvement extends to developing multiple partnerships with businesses and coordinating fundraising for autism and other needs. She organized a STEM Olympiad, Family Math Night at Target and EduQuest at the local mall and attends all outside school functions. Her personal involvement is key to positive relations with students' families and contributes to the participation of over 300 volunteers. In developing the school's website herself, she added a communication tool while modeling the value of technology.

Ms. Saef's focus on inclusion and success for all children has led to a larger ESE enrollment with five specialized program classes in autism and other ESE areas. She has developed a school culture that effectively emphasizes academics, a culture where teachers are trustworthy and adaptable and where children's needs come first.

PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

The Principal Achievement Award for Outstanding Leadership was established by the Florida Department of Education to recognize exemplary principals for their contributions to their schools and communities. The program honors principals that have spearheaded initiatives to increase student performance, promote safe learning environments and establish partnerships with parents and community members.

Nominees are judged on several criteria including:

- **Educational History and Professional Development activities**
- **Student Achievement Data**
- **Student Achievement Initiatives**

Broward County Public Schools joins the State of Florida in recognizing the exemplary record and contributions of these nominees.

Bair Middle School	James McDermott
Banyan Elementary School	Eric Miller
Blanche Ely High School	Dr. Karlton Johnson
Boulevard Heights Elementary School	Juan Alejo
Coral Glades High School	Steven Carruth
Coral Park Elementary School	Camille Pontillo
Coral Springs Middle School	Ian Murray
Cypress Elementary School	Vanessa Schnur
Dania Elementary School	Dr. Lewis Jackson
Davie Elementary School	Robert Schneider
Deerfield Beach High School	Jon Marlow
Drew, Charles R. Elementary School	Angeline Flowers
Eagle Point Elementary School	Christine de Zayas
Embassy Creek Elementary School	Robert Becker
Everglades High School	Haleh Darbar
Floranada Elementary School	John Vetter
Forest Glen Middle School	Ronald Forsman
Forest Hills Elementary School	Barbara Rothman
Fort Lauderdale High School	Chris Carney
Fox Trail Elementary School	Lynn Burgess
Griffin Elementary School	Gail Silig
Heron Heights Elementary School	Ken King
Hollywood Central Elementary School	Delicia Decembert
Hollywood Hills High School	Lourdes Gonzalez
Hollywood Park Elementary School	Wendy Galinsky
Hunt, James S. Elementary School	Ernie Lozano
Lauderhill 6-12 STEM MED	Dr. Ryan Reardon

PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Nova Eisenhower Elementary School
Nova Middle School
Panther Run Elementary School
Park Ridge Elementary School
Pine Ridge Education Center
Pines Lakes Elementary School
Plantation High School
Silver Palms Elementary School
Sunland Park Academy
Taravella, J.P. High School
Walker Elementary School

Carol Lesser
Dr. Jermaine Fleming
Elaine Saef
Joseph Balchunas
Belinda Hope
Susan F. Sasse
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Amada Walker
Sharonda Bailey
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2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Racquel House

Hollywood Park Elementary School

Racquel House uses multiple approaches to help even struggling first grade students attain reading mastery beyond their grade level. She notes, "As an educator, it is my job to not only teach children, but to instill a love of learning. Children who have a love of learning will give great effort and will overcome great obstacles because they know someone is there to support them."

Certified to teach exceptional children and with an ESOL endorsement, House's instructional practices feature small group and thematic methods as well as project-based learning. She teaches reading through science and social studies and infuses art into classroom activities. Her skills in grant writing have obtained more than \$12,000 in funds, enhancing her teaching with technology and, most recently, with school gardens used to teach both math and nutrition.

As First Grade Team Leader, House is a mentor and role model, as well as an exceptional teacher. She assists other staff with writing their own successful grant proposals and serves as Yearbook Advisor, obtaining grant funds to purchase digital cameras so students, parents and staff could add more photos for the yearbook. As her principal commented, "Mrs. House was born to be a teacher and the teaching profession is better for it."



2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Brandon Kyle Jeter

Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School

For 17 of his 21 years as a science teacher, Kyle Jeter has taught an honors-level course in astronomy, a course he created with an inaugural class of 22 students. Now 235 students are part of that program. These students learn to solve complex engineering problems by using new technologies collaboratively and, in the process, become excited about the possibilities of science.

Mr. Jeter is a dynamic teacher who holds National Board certification and who recently completed a Master of Arts degree in Teaching and Learning. While he inspires students to pursue careers in science, he also helps teachers in Florida and elsewhere to apply technology to their instruction in STEM and other disciplines.

With a passion for science that extends beyond his classroom, Jeter directs a summer science camp and has published iTunes University courses and an iBook on high-altitude ballooning. His community service includes Family Science Nights at other schools and "astronomy nights" at local parks for the public. Jeter is an outstanding example of a teacher committed to lifelong learning for himself, his students and his community.



2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Laurie Kraus

Hollywood Hills Elementary School

For Laurie Kraus, each student is part of the gift that is teaching. A dynamic educator with a passion for inspiring children to read, she is now literacy coach for the school where she previously taught gifted children and grades one through five. As literacy coach, she helps teachers implement appropriate reading interventions to inspire their students.

Kraus is recognized for her extraordinary knowledge of the curriculum, her keen awareness of students' needs and her ability to facilitate the Collaborative Problem Solving Team. As part of her school's Senior Leadership Team, she spearheaded initiatives including delivering professional development to faculty, leading a Professional Learning Community and facilitating the creation of multiple classes.

Outside the classroom Kraus has organized school-wide events, led the drama and math clubs, and served as yearbook adviser. With grants from the district and the City of Hollywood, she has been able to involve parents in their children's learning.

Laurie Kraus teaches with exuberance each day. She mentors colleagues and new educators and believes in providing teachers with the opportunity to inspire their students. As she notes, "Students are our priority and it is our responsibility to educate them in a way that fosters a love for lifelong learning."



2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR FINALIST

James Nance

Ramblewood Middle School

After working with technology in the business world for ten years, James Nance found his passion teaching engineering and robotics to middle school students. For the past six years he has engaged and inspired students through hands-on learning in subjects such as rocketry and underwater robotics. Learner engagement and a focus on benchmarks have led to student growth consistently averaging 50 percent.

Nance developed an engineering-focused STEM elective, which made Ramblewood the hub of a new pre-engineering innovative zone that includes feeder elementary and high schools. His afterschool STEM club competes successfully at local, state and national levels. Nance himself was selected as Broward County SECME Coordinator of the Year for 2014. His collaboration with the ESE Department allows SVE students to work on projects alongside their general education peers. Noted for his ability to build rapport with his students and to bring real-world connections into the classroom, Nance reflects the positive impact provided by his own teachers, commenting, "I enter my classroom every day hoping to teach the course I wish I were in as a teenager."



2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Lara Ruddy

McNicol Middle School

Lara Ruddy embodies her own educational philosophy: Know your subject and love your students. Her passion and enthusiasm for science and for her students have made her a leader.

Ruddy is a flexible problem solver who cultivates learners by differentiating instructional approaches to help each student learn effectively. Her past achievements include guiding the development of STEM curriculum to implement a portion of an \$8.5 million grant awarded to only six schools. She also designed a school-wide program of environmental awareness that includes student activities such as weekend beach clean ups and community resources fairs. As a result of her experience and example in teaching science to SVE classes, these students are now integrated into general education classes throughout the school.

She is passionate about involving parents, families and the community, and about the need to improve the educational system to benefit all children. Ruddy relates education to the community by bringing experts to the classroom and by taking students to community events.

Ruddy's primary training as a scientist has given her the ability to analyze data, to develop programs that meet students' needs and to empower both students and fellow teachers. In speaking of Ms. Ruddy, a former student explained, "She put the love of science in my heart."



2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Donna Yard

West Broward High School

Since 2008, Donna Yard has taught West Broward High students in two very different courses, biology and leadership skills. In her biology classes, where students learn about life sciences, they have maintained a minimum 80% pass rate on End of Course exams, exceeding county and state averages. In her leadership classes, where they learn problem solving, decision making and communication skills, students prepare to become leaders of the future.

Yard has mentored students through more than 80 school and community improvement projects each year, encouraging students to leave their comfort zones and expand their leadership skills. She also sponsors the Student Government Association and many extracurricular activities.

Through her role as Biology and Earth Space Science Team Leader, Yard helped streamline curriculum evaluation and summative assessments. In a time of transition, she freed her team to become more innovative by creating a one-stop information guide. Serving as part of the Common Core Cadre Community, she also shares her experience with other colleagues. She seeks opportunities to support other faculty and staff and to promote collegiality.

As a lifelong learner herself, Yard models an enthusiasm for learning. She exudes both a passion for teaching and a love for all students.

2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Apollo Middle School	Pilar Arroyo-Marquez
Atlantic Technical College	Rebecca Magnetta Miller
Atlantic West Elementary School	Michelle Harley-Nixon
Attucks Middle School	Imiereo Kerobo
Bair Middle School	Paulette Daley
Banyan Elementary School	Cynthia Sciullo
Bayview Elementary School	Paula Mouton Cohen
Beachside Montessori Village	Wendy Watson
Bennett Elementary School	Rachelle Boggan
Bethune, Mary M. Elementary School	Melissa Hallett-Ramirez
Blanche Ely High School	Osner J. Philisaire
Boulevard Heights Elementary School	Deborah Santiago
Boyd Anderson High School	David Katz
Bright Horizons Center	Julie Levelis-Davis
Broadview Elementary School	Valene Kalloo
Broward Estates Elementary School	Krystle Fitzpatrick
Broward Virtual School	Nadine Anchell
Castle Hill Elementary School	Easter Huggins Anderson
Central Park Elementary School	Joel Vailloo
Challenger Elementary School	Karen Stultz-Parkins
Chapel Trail Elementary School	Vivian L. Munoz
Coconut Creek Elementary School	Christine Bazos
Coconut Creek High School	Carol Johnson-Coote
Coconut Palm Elementary School	Marlen Triguero
Colbert Elementary School	Casey Fox
College Academy @ BC	Lynde Voet
Collins Elementary School	Jahneka Cole
Community Schools North	Catalina Cruz
Community Schools South	Richard McElhaney
Cooper City Elementary School	Sheila Rainford
Cooper City High School	David Schultz
Coral Cove Elementary School	Tiffany Burnside
Coral Glades High School	Anita Gelman Natale
Coral Park Elementary School	Monica Hillebrand
Coral Springs Elementary School	Colleen Malehorn
Coral Springs Middle School	Billie Dollins
Coral Springs High School	Brett Dawson
Country Hills Elementary School	Judith Phalen
Country Isles Elementary School	Joanne Loy
Cresthaven Elementary School	Tyffany Fulmore
Croissant Park Elementary School	Marcie Laing
Cross Creek School	Tameka Solomon
Crystal Lake Middle School	Mindy Koch
Cypress Elementary School	Sophia Cook
Cypress Bay High School	Donna Mansolillo
Cypress Run Education Center	Margareta Swider

2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Dandy, William Middle School	Christine Webber
Dania Elementary School	Mary Flynn
Dave Thomas Education Center	Tonika Julien
Davie Elementary School	Sally Macak
Deerfield Beach Elementary School	Jill O'Neil
Deerfield Beach Middle School	Rhoda Scott
Deerfield Beach High School	Michael Livingston
Deerfield Park Elementary School	Racquel Herring
Dillard Elementary School	Ashanta Washington
Dillard 6-12	Denise Davenport
Discovery Elementary School	Christina Taylor
Dolphin Bay Elementary School	Genesis Montpellier
Drew, Charles R. Elementary School	Amy Stramanak
Driftwood Elementary School	Naomi Ackley
Driftwood Middle School	Francine Wilcox
Eagle Point Elementary School	Tammy Costantino
Eagle Ridge Elementary School	Amy Conlin
Embassy Creek Elementary School	Denise Hilton
Endeavour Primary Learning Center	Joleen Steadman
Everglades Elementary School	Jennifer Kanefsky
Everglades High School	Kathryn Saiano
Fairway Elementary School	Suzan Johnson
Falcon Cove Middle School	Gina Powers
Flamingo Elementary School	Angela Pagan
Flanagan High School	John Tienjaroenkui
Floranada Elementary School	Merisa Lavere
Forest Glen Middle School	Sharon Kolp
Forest Hills Elementary School	Christine Lehtinen-Cohen
Fort Lauderdale High School	Stacey Blecker
Foster, Stephen Elementary School	Veronica Lewin
Fox Trail Elementary School	Donica Williams
Gator Run Elementary School	Shari Heyman
Glades Middle School	Christine McMahon
Griffin Elementary School	Sidona del Corral
Gulfstream Middle School	Bonnie Maya
Hallandale Adult Community Center	Priyasha Jadoo
Hallandale Elementary School	Jolynn Sheffield
Hallandale High School	Furshelia White
Harbordale Elementary School	Tania Garza
Hawkes Bluff Elementary School	Donna Trucchio
Hollywood Central Elementary School	Chanel-Leilani Ortiz
Hollywood Hills Elementary School	Laurie Kraus
Hollywood Hills High School	John Devillez
Hollywood Park Elementary School	Racquel House
Horizon Elementary School	Linda Schipani-Trivier
Hunt, James S. Elementary School	Luci Daly

2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Indian Ridge Middle School	Carrie Hale
Indian Trace Elementary School	Jackelyn Chang
King, Jr., Dr. Martin Luther Montessori Academy	Louis Louissaint
Lake Forest Elementary School	Amy Perez
Lakeside Elementary School	Cynthia Schissler
Lanier-James Education Center	Synithia Crawford
Larkdale Elementary School	Lachanda Collins
Lauderdale Lakes Middle School	Corey Harmon
Lauderhill 6-12 STEM MED	Renee Barnett
Lauderhill Paul Turner Elementary School	Satura Thomas
Liberty Elementary School	Chauncey Brown
Lloyd Estates Elementary School	Lewis Striggles
Lyons Creek Middle School	Alisa Feldman
Manatee Bay Elementary School	Kaitlyn Marshall
Maplewood Elementary School	Cheri Celesti
Margate Elementary School	Marilyn Greenbaum
Margate Middle School	David Bass
Markham, Robert C. Elementary School	Lavone Davidson
Marshall, Thurgood Elementary School	Marlene Hunt
McArthur High School	Claire Norris
McFatter Technical College	Lori Borrelli
McNab Elementary School	Erin Ryan
McNicol Middle School	Lara Ruddy
Meadowbrook Elementary School	Clara Balboa
Millennium Middle School	Sandy Leung
Miramar Elementary School	Yanneka Goulbourne
Miramar High School	Cameron Underwood
Mirror Lake Elementary School	Melissa Smiley
Monarch High School	Darrell Haynes
Morrow Elementary School	Marcia Pasqualin
North Andrews Gardens Elementary School	Amy Torres
New Renaissance Middle School	Marlin Robinson
New River Middle School	Tony Murphy
Nob Hill Elementary School	Kathleen Beckwith
Norcrest Elementary School	Maria Rietberg
North Fork Elementary School	Natacha Alabre
North Lauderdale Elementary School	Monica Stokes
Northeast High School	Leonardo Bacigalupi
Northside Elementary School	Grace Allette
Nova Blanche Forman Elementary School	Jodi Perraud
Nova Eisenhower Elementary School	Jennifer Blake
Nova High School	Stefany Coalla
Nova Middle School	Eli Atlas

2017 TEACHER OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Oakland Park Elementary School	Kim Murney
Oakridge Elementary School	Ann Marie Hernandez
Olsen Middle School	Nicole Renton-Murray
Orangebrook Elementary School	Suzanne Roberts
Oriole Elementary School	Kenya Keppel
Palm Cove Elementary School	Lisa Hopkins
Palmview Elementary School	Evadne Johnson
Panther Run Elementary School	Michelle Mejido
Park Lakes Elementary School	Sathasha Williams
Park Ridge Elementary School	John Calnon
Park Springs Elementary School	Maria Macias
Park Trails Elementary School	Lisa B. Olson
Parkside Elementary School	Corrie Lohr
Parkway Middle School	LaTonya Dixon
Pasadena Lakes Elementary School	Sotoya Bell
Pembroke Lakes Elementary School	Brian Doogue
Pembroke Pines Elementary School	Azaly Colome
Perry, Annabel C. Elementary School	Simone Lewis
Perry, Henry Middle School	Christopher Jarrett
Peters Elementary School	Darcy Alana Goldman-Dodge
Pine Ridge Education Center	Natasha Jones
Pines Lakes Elementary School	Jennifer Correll
Pines Middle School	Michelle Paugh
Pinewood Elementary School	Janice Wright
Pioneer Middle School	Kelly Brennan
Piper High School	Sonya Williams
Plantation Elementary School	Mobley, Melissa
Plantation Middle School	Solange Joseph
Plantation High School	Joseph Vallone
Plantation Park Elementary School	Paula Ciotti-Crisanti
Pompano Beach Elementary School	Latonya L. Cooper
Pompano Beach Middle School	Mary McIntyre
Pompano Beach High School	Muriel Martin-Dupre
Quiet Waters Elementary School	Sally Tully
Ramblewood Elementary School	Sandy Bachmann
Ramblewood Middle School	James Nance
Rickards, James S. Middle School	Yulanda Ellis
Riverglades Elementary School	Joy Kertes
Riverland Elementary School	Laura Dimario
Riverside Elementary School	Yahira Tamayo
Rock Island Elementary School	Sebrina Kizer-Marshall
Royal Palm Elementary School	Don Stramanak
Sanders Park Elementary School	Zobeida Baldwin
Sandpiper Elementary School	Carmen Pellisery
Sawgrass Elementary School	Michelle Amento
Sawgrass Springs Middle School	Lawrence Bremner
Sea Castle Elementary School	Lushette Brown

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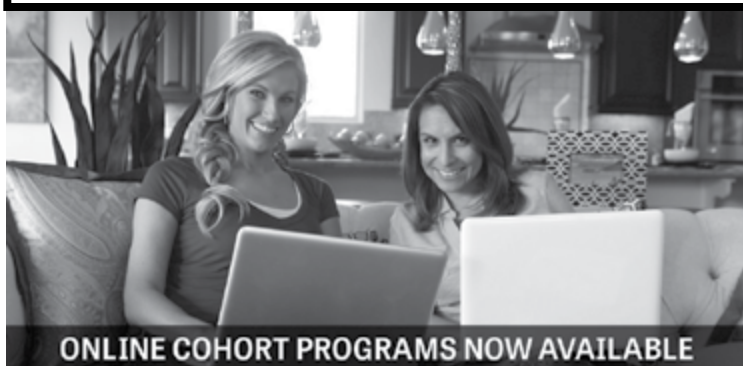
Seagull School	Katrina Williams Whittaker
Seminole Middle School	Christopher Jarvis
Sheridan Hills Elementary School	Nadia Peshimam
Sheridan Park Elementary School	Lisa Scott
Sheridan Technical College	Eric Bonny
Silver Lakes Elementary School	Amy Strelzik
Silver Lakes Middle School	Tavures Williams
Silver Palms Elementary School	Dina Linero
Silver Ridge Elementary School	Tiffany Eddie
Silver Shores Elementary School	Lalara Best
Silver Trail Middle School	Najdah Campbell
South Broward High School	Kevin Hagerty
South Plantation High School	Madeline Colon
Stirling Elementary School	Kimberly Rothstein
Stoneman Douglas, Marjory High School	Kyle Jeter
Stranahan High School	Thomas Harrison
Sunland Park Academy	Chellany Clarke
Sunrise Middle School	Latisha Fuller
Sunset Lakes Elementary School	Daphane Shaw
Sunshine Elementary School	Lakeisha Williams
Tamarac Elementary School	Sara Laighold
Taravella, J.P. High School	Karin Cook
Tedder Elementary School	Christina D'Angeli
Tequesta Trace Middle School	Kimberly Beitz
The Quest Center	Carla Todd
Tradewinds Elementary School	Linda Steward
Tropical Elementary School	Sharon Evans
Village Elementary School	Jacqueline D. Latchman
Walker Elementary School	Gina Kerkerian
Watkins Elementary School	Dana Grant
Welleby Elementary School	Holly Hunt
West Broward High School	Donna Yard
West Hollywood Elementary School	Jennifer Wisnoski
Westchester Elementary School	Myralynn Tutwiler
Western High School	Michael Levinson
Westglades Middle School	Melanie Deck
Westpine Middle School	Nickia Sampson
Westwood Heights Elementary School	Rohan Hanslip
Whiddon Rogers Education Center	Brent Roberson
Whispering Pines Center	Thomas Morgan
Wilton Manors Elementary School	Cheryl Davila
Wingate Oaks Center	Barbara Webb
Winston Park Elementary School	Katherine Familia
Young, Virginia S. Montessori Magnet Elementary School	Luis Alomar
Young, Walter C. Middle School	Victoria Evans

Broward County Public Schools

Centennial QUIZ

1. Who were the first two teachers in Broward County?
2. When was the Board of Public Instruction established?
3. What was the name of the principal who produced the first graduating class of African-American 12th grade students in Broward County?
4. What year was Broward's English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) program implemented?
5. Name the division that was renamed in 1998, and was once called The Instructional Television Center.
6. Between 1992 and 1995 the District obtained its first Web server, giving the District presence on the Internet. What is our website?
7. The District was awarded the NTI Award of Honor in Hurricane Communications - Grace Under Fire, in recognition of its admirable performance in providing the leadership and communication through which hurricanes?
8. How many times was BCPS selected as a finalist for the Broad Prize for Urban Education?
9. Name the District's 6 year-round schools.
10. In what month and year did Superintendent Robert W. Runcie become the 20th Superintendent of Schools?

Answers on page 58



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Ann Vitale

**Nicole Sanchez
2016 School-Related/District Employee
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Congratulations Nicole! I'm so proud of you. You represent all good things in a company. Your determination, hard work & effectiveness is so deserving.

Linda Grippo



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You amaze me every day with your undying dedication to the students and volunteer groups, not only within the Board of Education, but also the ones that have become part of our everyday lives. Anyone who knows you knows how difficult it is for you to be in the limelight, you would rather be the person behind the scenes that makes sure everything goes perfect. You are truly the definition of perfection. No matter the outcome you will always be number one in my eyes.

I will love you every day with all my heart and soul, your husband, best friend, and partner!

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Love, Aunt Holly

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Nicole Sanchez
Employee of the year!



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The James S. Hunt Elementary Staff

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Congratulations to
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Year Finalist

Lorenzo Wood,
Assistant Principal,
Coral Glades High School



Nicole Flynn Sanchez
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I am so proud
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Love, Olivia



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Forest Glen Middle School

Ronald Forsman, Jr., Principal



Congratulates Andre Ponder

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Our heartiest congratulations on your achievement today.
You really deserve it. You have made us all proud.

Nicole Sanchez



2016 School-Related/District Employee of the Year Finalist

We would like to congratulate you on your nomination for such a wonderful award. It's a pleasure to see all your hard work and dedication being recognized as it should. You are a true inspiration to everyone you encounter. You're very special to each and every one of us. We love you and wish you the best of luck.

Love,
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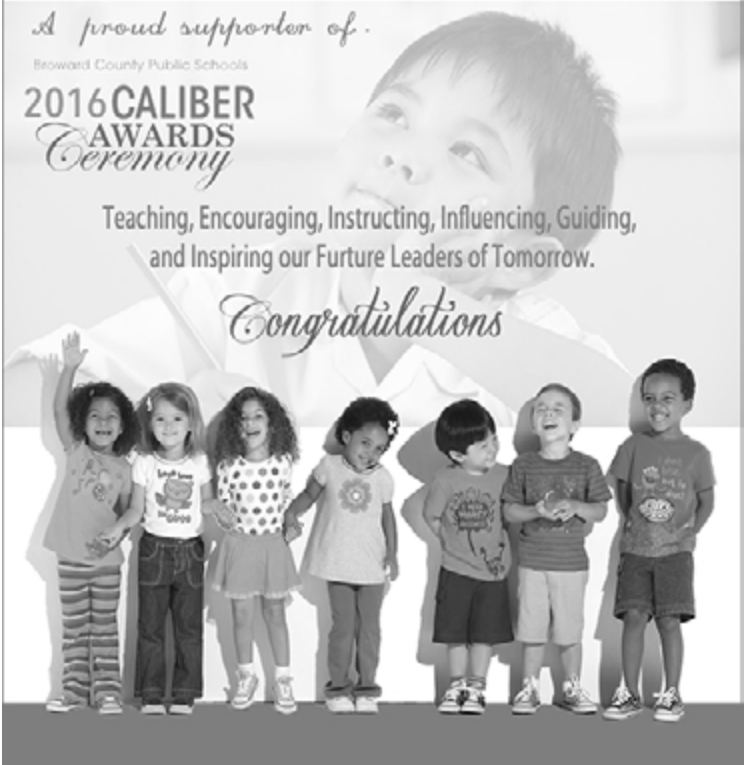
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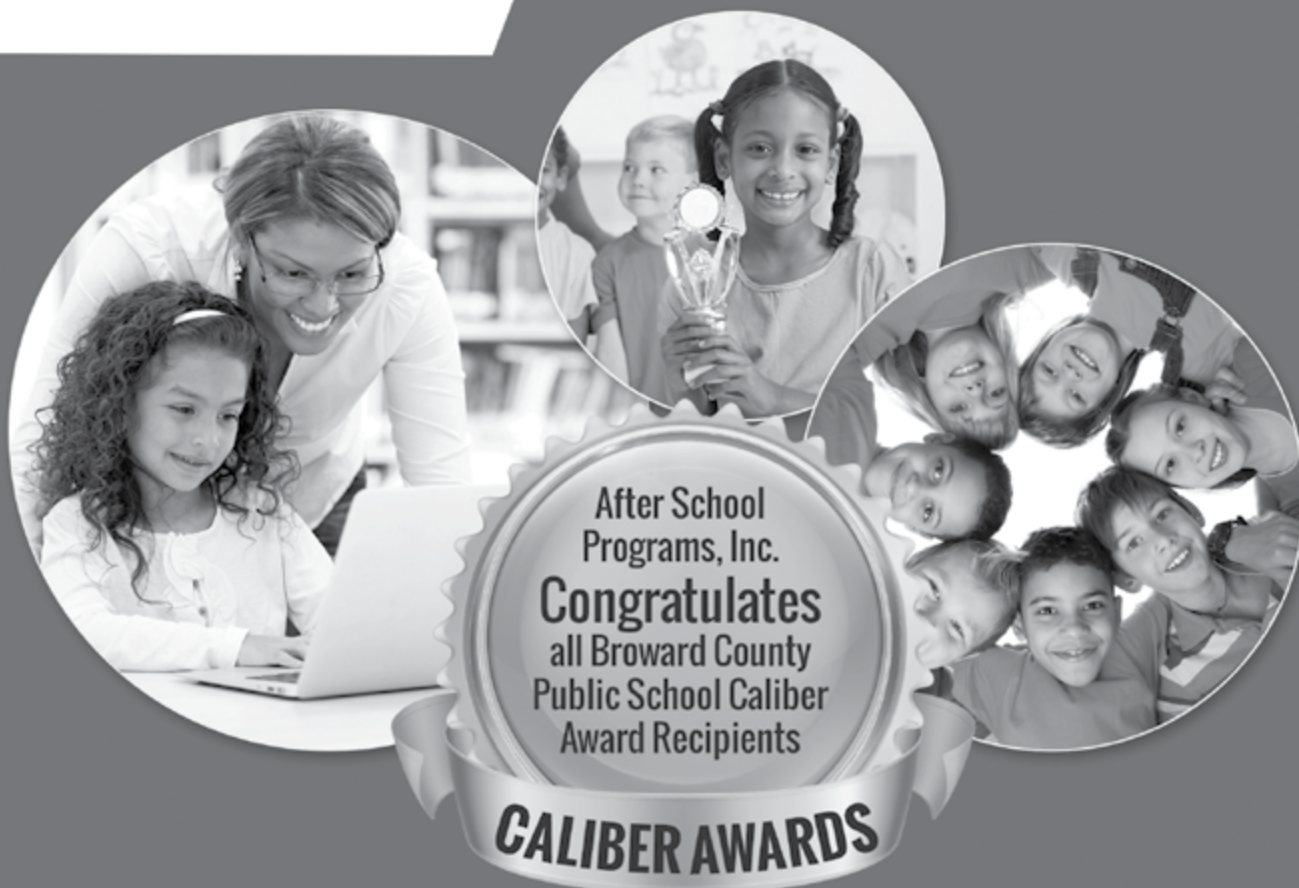
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Nicole Sanchez

2016 School-Related/District
Employee of the Year Finalist

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Love Always-
Michelle, Lauren, Nick, Katie,
Joey & Olivia

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Nicole Sanchez.

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**We congratulate
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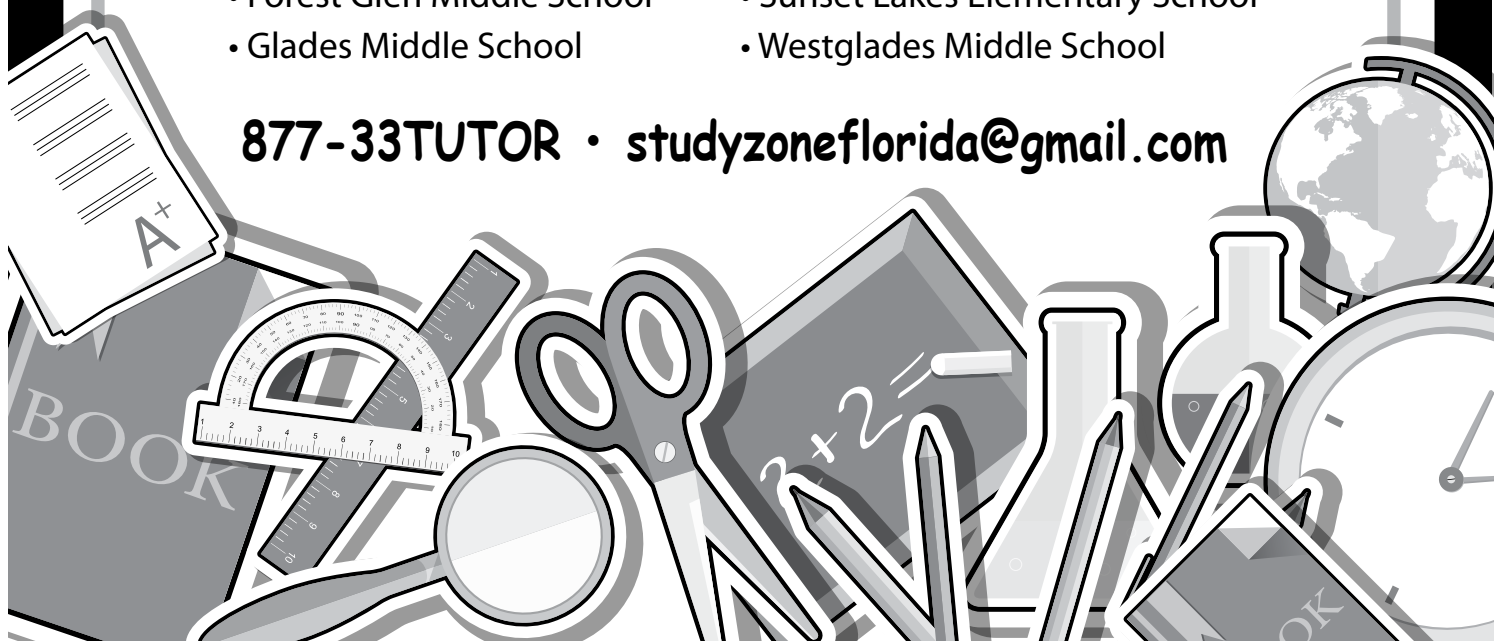


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2. 1915
3. Clarence Walker
4. 1977
5. BECON (Broward Education Communication Network)
6. www.browardschools.com
7. Katrina and Wilma
8. 3
9. Colbert, Hallandale, Lake Forest and Watkins Elementary; Gulfstream and McNicol Middle
10. October 2011



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