

2005 Leonard Miller Principal Leadership Award



Jacqueline Byrd
Reynolds Lane Elementary, Duval County Public Schools

- Raised school rating from a D to a B, currently an A school
- Increased FCAT scores by 34% over a four year period
- Established learning and teaching programs to help parents prepare to take a more active role in student achievement
- Developed a strategic curriculum map for the school and created professional development trainings for staff to increase instructional goals



Kimberley Emmanuel
Poinciana Park Elementary, Miami-Dade County Public Schools

- Raised school rating from a D to a B
- Increased third grade FCAT scores 43 points in reading and 28 in math, the highest increase among all PASS schools
- Created a curriculum team of faculty to guide professional development and support peer leadership
- Established workshops and interactive meetings with staff and parents to provide insight in curriculum content and student achievement



Dr. Stacey Mancuso
Design and Architecture Senior High, Miami-Dade Schools

- Maintained a School FCAT grade of an A four years running
- Created Instructional Improvement Teams of faculty to better analyze student improvement
- Established FCAT and SAT preparatory workshops
- Initiated an Advisory Board of prestigious community corporate leaders to bring expertise and increase student internship programs



Cindy Massarelli
Choctawhatchee High, Okaloosa Public Schools

- Consistently increased reading and math scores
- Raised the honor graduate population each year and increased enrollment in AP and IB courses
- Established an intensive data implementing training program for all faculty
- Recognized with "A Good High School Award" and by the state of Florida as a "five Star School" because of community involvement



Dr. Winston Whyte
Howard McMillan Middle, Miami-Dade Public Schools

- Raised School Grade from a C in 2001 and currently maintains a B
- Increased student attendance to 95.4%
- Lowered the pupil teacher ratio to 22 to 1
- Provided monthly parenting seminars where parents and students are informed and advised about school achievement and future plans