

Repeating F Monthly Update

All schools continue to work on being fully staffed and providing focused professional development. The contract percentages will change each month unless schools are in one hundred percent compliance. School attendance percentages will also change each month.

Overall, testing went well and participation rates were high. Larkdale Elementary in Broward provided 22 staff members to tutor students one hour Monday through Thursday. One hundred students were served. Downtown Miami Charter hired three mathematics intervention coaches.

During the last grading period, a continued emphasis will be on further mastery and extension of the standards. Miami Central held an Advanced Placement activity for students at feeder schools. East Gadsden conducted a student survey asking each student "What is the one thing that keeps you from maximizing your potential at East Gadsden?" Evans HS in Orange had 70 9th graders enrolled in IB MYP.

Student/Parent Contracts

Eighty percent of the schools have met their required percentage of signed parent contracts; twenty percent have not met the requirement.

- O J Semmes, Escambia County
 - » 100% (contracts signed by parents as of February 2008)
- Miami Central HS, Miami-Dade County
 - » 97% (contracts signed by parents as of February 2008)
- Allapattah Middle, Miami-Dade County
 - » 96% (contracts signed by parents as of February 2008)
- Madison Middle, Miami-Dade County
 - » 96% (Contracts signed by parents as of February 2008)

Based on data, these are schools of concern:

- Raines High School, Duval County
 - » 48% (contracts signed by parents as of February 2008)
- Just Elementary School, Hillsborough County
 - » 73% (contracts signed by parents as of February 2008)

Attendance

Schools demonstrating commendable improvement in attendance rates as of February 2008:

- Downtown Miami Charter
 - » Increased by 4.8% from 90.2% to 95%
- Chattahoochee Elementary School, Gadsden County
 - » Increased by 10.0% from 83.0% to 93%

Schools reporting the largest declines in attendance rates as of February 2008:

- Raines High School, Duval County
 - » Decreased by 10.9% from 87.5% to 76.6%
- School of Success, Duval County
 - » Decreased by 9.0% from 95% to 86%
- Merrick Educational Charter, Miami-Dade County
 - » Decreased by 5.5% from 100% to 94.5%

The lowest attendance rate reported was 76.6% from Raines High School, Duval County.

After-school Tutoring

Participation in after-school tutorials continues to be low.

- Raines High School, Duval County
 - » 28% of Level 1 and Level 2 students participated
- Miami Central High School
 - » 10% of eligible students attended Saturday school

