



## It's Easy to Get Started

**Step 1:** Complete the Partnership Application. Visit our website ([browardpartners.com/needs](http://browardpartners.com/needs)) for a list of school needs.

**Step 2:** Meet with Partners In Education staff and/or school staff. Bring the Partnership Application with you to discuss available resources. Call or email PIE for assistance in locating nearby schools and with scheduling appointments.

**Step 3:** Finalize your partnership agreement with the staff at the selected school.



“As a principal, I’m always looking for opportunities to enhance the learning experience with real-world application of skills. Business and community partners are so important to make school relevant.”

Jack Vessy, Principal  
Westglades Middle School



**PARTNERS IN EDUCATION  
IS AN INVESTMENT IN OUR  
KIDS, OUR COMMUNITY  
AND OUR FUTURE.**



## Mission

The Mission of Partners In Education is to strengthen and enhance public education in Broward County Public Schools through business and community partnerships.

For 30 years, Partners In Education has built partnerships between businesses, government agencies and community organizations with individual public schools in Broward County.

Whether you are a small business or a major corporation, a community organization or government agency, you have something to contribute.



## Students Experience:

- Motivation to achieve
- Improved academic performance
- Expanded career awareness
- Real-world application of skills



## Opportunities to Make a Difference

- Provide real-world projects for students to solve
- Offer career shadowing and internship experiences
- Have employees serve as career mentors and guest speakers
- Mentor or tutor a student
- Read or be read to by a student
- Sponsor a team to a regional, state or national competition
- Provide incentives to motivate students
- Pay for low-income students to participate in field trips or donate clothing, shoes, uniforms, books and school supplies
- Support school functions such as an academic camp, Parent Training Academy, Open House, Parent Involvement initiatives and sponsor student clubs



**MAKE A DIFFERENCE.  
GET INVOLVED TODAY!**



**HELP EDUCATE THE NEXT  
GENERATION OF LEADERS AND  
WORKERS IN OUR COMMUNITY.**



## Rewards

For partners, the rewards are both immediate and long-term.

As a partner, your company will gain positive exposure among students, faculty, parents and the community.

More importantly, working with students and educators will help create a better education system, which translates directly to economic success in our community. You will get the personal satisfaction of knowing that you helped students prepare for better futures and better lives.

## The Community Gains:

- Stronger public schools
- Improved quality of life
- Greater economic development
- A stronger, more skilled local workforce

