COMMUNITY ELIGIBILITY SUPPORTS CHILDREN'S HEALTH AND LEARNING

In FLORIDA, approximately 748,000 children live in food-insecure households, jeopardizing their health and well-being.1

School meal programs combat food insecurity by providing millions of children with the nutrition they need to learn and thrive.

The Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) is an option within the school meal programs that increases students' access to nutritious food by allowing schools and school districts serving large numbers of children from families with low incomes to offer meals at no charge to all students.

How CEP Schools Are Reimbursed

Rather than relying on school meal applications to determine a school's federal reimbursements, CEP schools are reimbursed based on the share of students who are automatically eligible for free school meals without an application because they meet specific criteria, such as being in foster care or participating in certain federal means-tested programs, including SNAP. Schools can adopt CEP if at least 25 percent of students meet these criteria. The more students who are automatically eligible for free school meals, the more federal reimbursement CEP schools receive.

THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) CUTS

recently enacted in H.R. 1 will **exacerbate food insecurity** and have ripple effects for the school meal programs, including threatening schools' ability to implement CEP.

As children lose access to SNAP, their automatic eligibility for free school meals is severed and federal reimbursement for meals served in CEP schools decreases, jeopardizing the program's financial viability.

CEP Is a Win for Students, Families, and Schools

CEP provides all students access to the balanced school breakfasts and lunches they need to be well-nourished and ready to learn, while reducing the stigma often present in school cafeterias when schools have to track students' eligibility for free, reduced-price, and paid meals.

When students have access to free meals at school, families have lower grocery bills and more money in their household budgets to help make ends meet.

CEP makes school meal operations more efficient and effective for schools and districts. CEP eliminates the administrative burden associated with school meal applications, strengthens program integrity, and supports school nutrition finances by eliminating school meal debt and increasing participation in school breakfast and lunch programs, which allows for economies of scale.

In the 2024–2025 school year, 74 percent of eligible schools nationwide adopted CEP. These 54,000 schools reached more than 27 million students around the country.



In the 2024-2025 school year:

2,956 SCHOOLS

in **FLORIDA** adopted CEP. An additional **744** schools were eligible to adopt CEP but did not participate.

In FLORIDA, during the 2024–2025 school year:



1,823,983

children ate a school lunch and 855,482 children ate a school breakfast on an average school day.²



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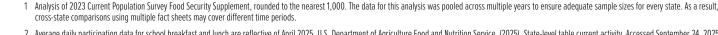
school districts adopted CEP for some or all schools. An additional 106 school districts had schools that were eligible to adopt CEP but did not participate.



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children attended schools that adopted CEP.

By repealing SNAP cuts and investing in CEP, policymakers can reduce barriers that keep eligible children from receiving free school meals and help families afford to put food on the table.



² Average daily participation data for school breakfast and lunch are reflective of April 2025. U.S. Department of Agriculture Food and Nutrition Service. (2025). State-level table current activity. Accessed September 24, 2025. https://www.fns.usda.gov/pd/child-nutrition-tables



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School District	Number of CEP-Eligible Schools	Number of CEP-Participating Schools	Students Enrolled in CEP-Participating Schools				
	Congressional District #1						
OKALOOSA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	28	0					
SANTA ROSA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	30	0					
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ESCAMBIA CTY	55	44	25,328				
WALTON COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	12	0					
	Congressional Dis	trict #2					
OKALOOSA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	28	0					
SANTA ROSA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	30	0					
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ESCAMBIA CTY	55	44	25,328				
WALTON COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	12	0					
	Congressional Dis	trict #3					
ALACHUA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	51	32	13,767				
BAKER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	6	6	4,922				
BRADFORD COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	7	7	3,141				
COLUMBIA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	15	15	9,345				
DIXIE DISTRICT SCHOOLS	4	3	1,920				
GILCHRIST COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	4	4	2,836				
HAMILTON COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	3	3	1,609				
LAFAYETTE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	2	2	1,243				
LEVY COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	11	11	5,574				
SCHOOL BOARD OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA	56	56	49,048				
SUWANNEE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	8	8	5,898				
UNION COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	3	3	2,324				
Congressional District #4							
CLAY COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	41	20	14,490				
DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	152	150	121,386				
NASSAU COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	17	0					

School District	Number of CEP-Eligible Schools	Number of CEP-Participating Schools	Students Enrolled in CEP-Participating Schools
	Congressional Dis	trict #5	
DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	152	150	121,386
ST JOHNS COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	16	13	7,026
	Congressional Dis	trict #6	
FLAGLER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	9	9	12,976
LAKE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	45	44	41,889
PUTNAM COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	15	15	9,955
SCHOOL BOARD OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA	56	56	49,048
ST JOHNS COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	16	13	7,026
VOLUSIA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	73	71	73,750
	Congressional Dis	trict #7	
ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	228	228	235,895
SEMINOLE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	51	0	
VOLUSIA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	73	71	73,750
	Congressional Dis	trict #8	
BREVARD COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	67	48	29,443
INDIAN RIVER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	23	0	
ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	228	228	235,895
	Congressional Dis	trict #9	
ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	228	228	235,895
OSCEOLA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	65	45	40,695
POLK COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	125	124	98,112
	Congressional Dist	rict #10	
ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	228	228	235,895

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	Congressional Dist	trict #11	
LAKE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	45	44	41,889
ORANGE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	228	228	235,895
POLK COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	125	124	98,112
SUMTER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	8	8	5,779
	Congressional Dist	rict #12	
CITRUS COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	22	22	15,459
HERNANDO COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	26	26	23,140
PASCO COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	96	94	78,577
SCHOOL BOARD OF MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA	56	56	49,048
	Congressional Dist	rict #13	
PINELLAS COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	130	120	70,781
	Congressional Dist	rict #14	
HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SCHL BOARD	204	203	157,200
PINELLAS COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	130	120	70,781
	Congressional Dist	rict #15	
HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SCHL BOARD	204	203	157,200
PASCO COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	96	94	78,577
POLK COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	125	124	98,112
	Congressional Dist	rict #16	
HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SCHL BOARD	204	203	157,200
MANATEE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	53	28	16,444
	Congressional Dist	rict #17	
CHARLOTTE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	20	20	15,496
SARASOTA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	43	0	
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LEE COUNTY	92	92	92,346

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	Congressional Dist	rict #18	
COLLIER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	56	32	19,259
DESOTO COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	6	6	4,105
GLADES COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	3	3	1,600
HARDEE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	8	8	5,088
HENDRY COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	12	12	7,771
OKEECHOBEE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	10	10	6,190
POLK COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	125	124	98,112
SCHOOL BOARD OF HIGHLANDS COUNTY	19	19	11,943
	Congressional Dist	rict #19	
COLLIER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	56	32	19,259
SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LEE COUNTY	92	92	92,346
	Congressional Dist	rict #20	
BROWARD COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	207	180	144,337
THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PALM BEACH COUNTY	211	209	185,387
	Congressional Dist	rict #21	
MARTIN COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	23	8	4,018
ST LUCIE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	47	17	11,770
THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PALM BEACH COUNTY	211	209	185,387
	Congressional Dist	rict #22	
THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PALM BEACH COUNTY	211	209	185,387
	Congressional Dist	rict #23	
BROWARD COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	207	180	144,337
THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PALM BEACH COUNTY	211	209	185,387

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	Congressional Dist	rict #24	
BROWARD COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	207	180	144,337
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	358	351	266,214
	Congressional Dist	rict #25	
BROWARD COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	207	180	144,337
	Congressional Dist	rict #26	
COLLIER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	56	32	19,259
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	358	351	266,214
	Congressional Dist	rict #27	
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	358	351	266,214
	Congressional Dist	rict #28	
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS	358	351	266,214
MONROE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD	10	0	
	Unassigned School	Districts	
Not all school districts could b	pe matched to congressi	onal districts due to data inconsi	stencies
ABUNDANT LIVING CITI CHURCH	1	1	120
ACADEMIR CHARTER SCHOOLS	6	0	
ACADEMY PREP CENTER OF LAKELAND INC.	1	1	123
ACADEMY PREP CENTER OF ST. PETERSBURG, INC.	1	1	131
ACADEMY PREP OF TAMPA	1	1	139
ADVANCE ACHIEVER ACADEMY INC	1	1	319
ADVANCED LEARNING CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.	1	1	850
ADVANTAGE ACADEMY OF MIAMI, INC.	15	8	4,062
AGAPE WORSHIP CENTER INC.	1	1	256
ALACHUA LEARNING CTR.	2	0	
ALPHA CHARTER OF EXCELLENCE INC.	1	1	310

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ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION FOUNDATION	3	3	310
AMERIBELGE CENTER FOR EDUCATION	1	0	
AMERICAN YOUTH ACADEMY	1	1	1,179
AMERICA'S LITTLE LEADERS	1	1	200
ANN STORCK CENTER, INC.	1	0	
ARCHIMEDEAN ACADEMY, INC	3	0	
ASCEND CAREER ACADEMY	1	1	260
ASSISTANCE UNLIMITED	1	1	1,373
ATHENIAN ACADEMY, INC	1	0	
AVANT GARDE ACADEMY FOUNDATION, INC	3	3	2,102
AZALEA PARK BAPTIST SCHOOL	1	1	235
B WRIGHT LEADERSHIP ACADEMY, INC.	1	1	140
BAIS CHAYA INC.	1	1	115
BALDWIN ACADEMY EAST INC	2	2	212
BASILICA SCHOOL OF SAINT PAUL	1	1	216
BAY HAVEN CHARTER ACADEMY, INC.	3	0	
BEACON COLLEGE PREP	1	1	422
BECOMING COLLEGIATE ACADEMY, INC	1	1	220
BELMONT ACADEMY INC	1	0	
BERKLEY CHARTER SCHOOL	2	0	
BOLD CITY EDUCATION, INC.	6	0	
BRIDGE TO INDEPENDENCE	1	1	150
BRIDGEPREP ACADEMY	16	12	4,738
BRIGHTVIEW PREPARATORY ACADEMY CORP.	1	0	
BURNS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	1,105
C.O.A.S.T. CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	188

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CAPE CORAL CHARTER SCHOOL AUTHORITY	3	0	
CARE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL INC.	1	1	150
CAYAC, INC	2	2	222
CENTER FOR CREATIVE EDUCATION INC.	1	0	
CENTRAL FLORIDA LEADERSHIP ACADEMY	1	1	105
CHABAD HEBREW ACADEMY INC	2	1	640
CHAMPIONSHIP ACADEMY OF DISTINCTION	3	3	953
CHANGING LIVES ACADEMY	1	1	100
CHARISMATIC ORTHODOX CHURCH	1	1	195
CHEDER CHABAD	1	0	
CITY OF AVENTURA	1	0	
CITY OF HIALEAH EDUCATIONAL ACADEMY	1	0	
CITY OF PEMBROKE PINES	4	0	
CORAL REEF MONTESSORI ACADEMY	1	0	
CORAL WAY METHODIST CHURCH INC	1	1	185
CORNERSTONE OF JACKSONVILLE, INC.	1	1	324
CREATIVE INSPIRATION JOURNEY SCHOOL OF ST. CLOUD INC.	1	0	
CRISTO REY MIAMI HIGH SCHOOL INC	1	1	208
CRISTO REY TAMPA HIGH SCHOOL AT MARY HELP CHRISTIANS CENTER INC.	1	1	226
CUTLER BAY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	160
CVV PRESCHOOL AND ACADEMY	1	1	185
DAUGHTER OF ZION JUNIOR ACADEMY	1	1	123
DISCOVERY ACADEMY OF LAKE ALFRED, INC.	2	0	
DISCOVERY MONTESSORI ACADEMY K-12 INC.	1	0	
DIVINE COMMUNITY SERVICES INC.	2	2	315
DIXON SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES, INC.	1	1	320

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DORAL ACADEMY, INC.	4	0	
DOWNTOWN MIAMI CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.	1	1	643
DR D.D. BROWN CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF HOPE	1	1	72
DREAM BIG ACADEMY OF LEARNING CORP	1	0	
DT PREPARATORY ACADEMY	1	1	232
EBONI AND CLARENCE BURTS EDUCATIONAL CENTER INC	1	0	
EDC CARES, INC	1	1	96
ELIM JUNIOR ACADEMY & PRESCHOOL	1	1	26
EMBRACE HOPE FOUNDATION INC.	1	1	67
EMMA JEWEL CHARTER ACADEMY	1	1	400
ENDTIME RESTORATION MINISTRIES INC.	1	1	56
ENGLEWOOD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL	1	1	80
EPHESUS ADVENTIST ACADEMY	1	0	
EPHESUS JUNIOR ACADEMY	1	1	126
ESCAMBIA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL INC.	1	1	62
ESTHER BERRY	8	8	655
EXCELSIOR CHARTER SCHOOL OF BROWARD	1	1	160
EXCELSIOR LANGUAGE ACADEMY OF HIALEAH, INC.	4	0	
FAITH ACTION MINISTRY ALLIANCE INC.	1	1	85
FAMU DEVELOPMENTAL RESEARCH SCHL	1	1	554
FIRST ASSEMBLY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL	1	0	
FIRST STEP SOLUTIONS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INC.	1	1	85
FLORENCE FULLER CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS, INC	1	1	67
FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY	1	0	
FLORIDA AUTISM CENTER OF EXCELLENCE	1	1	139
FLORIDA CHARTER SCHOOL ORGANIZATION INC.	1	0	

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FOR A PHOENIX FOUNDATION CORPORATION	2	2	249
FOR EACH 1 REACH 1 MENTORING PROGRAM, INC	1	1	44
FRANKLIN ACADEMY FOUNDATION INC.	7	7	8,532
FREE LIFE CHAPEL	1	1	479
FUTURE LEADERS CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	60
GARDENS SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY ARTS INC	1	0	
GATEWAY CHRISTIAN INC.	1	1	105
GLOBAL OUTREACH CHARTER ACADEMY, INC.	4	4	2,046
GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN SCHOOL	1	1	230
GRACE AND GLORY WORSHIP CENTER INC.	2	2	245
GRACE LEADERSHIP PREPARATORY INSTITUTE	1	0	
GUARDIAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	1	362
GULF COAST CHARTER ACADEMY SOUTH	1	1	650
HAMPDEN DUBOSE ACADEMY	1	0	
HART 2 HART CHRISTIAN ACADEMY, INC.	1	1	209
HARVARD INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY FOUNDATION	1	0	
HEARTLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL INC	1	0	
HEARTS AND HOPE INC.	1	0	
HEIGHTS CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.	1	1	211
HERITAGE CHARTER ACADEMY	1	1	246
HERITAGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL	1	1	358
HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN SCHOOL	1	1	320
HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH	1	1	300
HOPE ACADEMY 2, INC.	1	1	450
HOPE PREPARATORY ACADEMY	1	1	218
HOPE RURAL SCHOOL, INC.	1	1	142

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HOUSE OF FREEDOM, INC.	1	1	160
ICON PREPARATORY SCHOOL, INC.	2	2	1,190
IDEA PUBLIC SCHOOLS	5	5	5,041
IMAGINE KISSIMMEE CHARTER ACADEMY	1	1	754
IMAGINE SCHOOL AT SARASOTA, LLC	1	0	
IMAGINE SCHOOL AT TOWN CENTER	1	1	922
IMAGINE SCHOOL, INC	1	0	
IMAGINE SCHOOLS AT SOUTH INDIAN RIVER COUNTY	1	0	
IMAGINE SCHOOLS AT WEST MELBOURNE	1	1	755
IMPACT CHRISTIAN ACADEMY, INC.	1	1	296
INA A COLEN ACADEMY	1	0	
INDIVIDUAL EDUCATION PLAN ACADEMY	11	11	2,418
INNOVATION CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	440
INNOVATIONS EDUCATIONAL SERVICES, INC.	1	1	185
INTEGRATED SCIENCE AND ASIAN CULTURE ACADEMY, INC.	1	0	
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE, INC.	2	0	
INTERNATIONAL STUDIES CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL	4	0	
JACK AND JILL CHILDREN'S CENTER	1	1	177
JACKSONVILLE CLASSICAL ACADEMY	1	1	960
JACKSONVILLE CLASSICAL ACADEMY EAST	1	1	215
JOSHUA CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	395
JUBILEE CHRISTIAN CENTER OF PENSACOLA, INC.	1	1	201
KID'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE CHARTER SCHOOL	2	0	
KIDZ CHOICE CHARTER SCHOOL INC.	1	0	
KIILYS KIDS INC	1	0	
KINDER CUB SCHOOL, INC.	1	1	119

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KINGDOM LIFE PREPARATORY ACADEMY	2	1	251
KIPP JACKSONVILLE, INC.	3	3	3,180
KIPP MIAMI, INC	1	1	1,386
LA PROGRESIVA PRESBYTERIAN SCHOOL	1	1	730
LAKE CITY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	250
LAKE WALES CHARTER SCHOOLS, INC.	8	8	5,590
LANGUAGE & LITERACY ACADEMY FOR LEARNING	2	2	510
LEADERS PREPARATORY SCHOOL	1	0	
LEARNING & ACHIEVEMENT GROUP INC.	1	0	
LEARNING EXCELLENCE FOUNDATION OF EAST BROWARD, INC	1	0	
LEGACY PREPARATORY ACADEMY, INC.	1	1	129
LIBERTY ACADEMY FOUNDATION, INC	1	1	118
LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD	1	1	360
LIFE CHANGER'S OUTREACH REGIMENT INC.	1	1	100
LIGHTHOUSE PRIVATE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	3	3	743
LINCOLN-MARTI COMMUNITY AGENCY	22	22	3,696
LIVING FAITH ACADEMY	1	1	205
LIVING WORD ACADEMY	1	0	
LONGWOOD CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	0	
LOURDES ACADEMY	1	1	230
LOVE TO LEARN, INC.	1	0	
LUBAVITCH EDUCATIONAL CENTER	1	0	
MASTER MINDS ACADEMY	1	0	
MATER ACADEMY INC	37	0	
MCDONALDS PLAYWORLD COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT INC.	1	0	
MCKEEL ACADEMY OF TECHNOLOGY	1	0	

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MI ESCUELA MONTESSORI, INC	1	0	
MIAMI COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL INC.	3	0	
MIAMI SHORES VILLAGE CHARTER SCHOOL AUTHORITY	1	0	
MIAMI SPRINGS ADVENTIST SCHOOL	1	1	31
MIAMI UNION ACADEMY	1	1	281
MICANOPY AREA COOPERATIVE SCHOOL	1	0	
MORELAND'S ALTERNATIVE EDUCATIONAL ACADEMY	1	1	165
MOUNT ZION CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	52
MT CALVARY JR ACADEMY & PRESCHOOL	1	1	112
NAP FORD COMMUNITY SCHOOL, INC.	1	1	236
NAVIGATOR ACADEMY OF LEADERSHIP	2	0	
NEW DOMINION CHRISTIAN ACADEMY INC.	1	1	148
NEW GENERATION EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	1	1	357
NEW HARVEST EDUCATIONAL CENTERS INC	1	1	170
NEW JERUSALEM CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	285
NEW JERUSALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH	1	0	
NEW LIFE CHARTER ACADEMIES INC.	1	1	113
NEW LIFE EMPOWERMENT SERVICES, INC.	1	1	76
NEW SPRINGS SCHOOLS, INC.	1	1	391
NLT ACADEMY INC.	1	0	
NORTH BROWARD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL OF FLORIDA, INC.	1	1	220
NORTH DADE REGIONAL ACADEMY, INC	1	1	93
NORTH FLORIDA EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE CORP.	2	2	365
NORTHSTAR ACADEMIES	4	4	1,483
OAK CREEK CHARTER SCHOOL OF BONITA SPRINGS	1	1	684

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OCOEE CHURCH OF GOD	1	1	264
ODYSSEY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.	2	2	2,318
OKALOOSA ACADEMY, INC	1	0	
ONE ACCORD CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES INC	1	1	75
ORLANDO JUNIOR ACADEMY	1	0	
ORLANDO TORAH ACADEMY INC	1	0	
OUR CAREER CENTERED ACADEMY INC.	1	1	72
OUR LADY QUEEN OF MARTYRS CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	1	273
PACE CENTER FOR GIRLS	19	19	1,163
PALM BAY ACADEMY	2	2	395
PALM BAY EDUCATION GROUP	3	3	606
PALM BEACH S.D.A. BILINGUAL SCHOOL	1	1	191
PALM HARBOR ACADEMY, INC.	1	1	65
PANAMA CITY TRILINGUAL SCHOOL	1	0	
PARRISH CHARTER ACADEMY	1	0	
PASSAGE MINISTRIES INC.	1	1	89
PEDAGOGY INTERNATIONAL, INC.	1	1	222
PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE INTERNATIONAL, INC.	1	1	278
PHOENIX ACADEMY OF EXCELLENCE	2	2	66
PHOENIX EDUCATION NETWORK INC.	1	0	
PHOENIX TREE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION, INC.	1	1	62
PINE CASTLE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	461
PINEAPPLE COVE CLASSICAL ACADEMY AT LOCKMAR	1	0	
PINECREST ACADEMY, INC	15	0	
PINELLAS PREPARATORY ACADEMY	1	0	
PRECIOUS PROMISE ACADEMY INC	1	0	

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R.J. HENDLEY CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL	1	1	100
RADIANT LIFE ACADEMY	1	1	230
READING EDGE ACADEMY, INC.	2	2	465
REDLAND CHRISTIAN ACADEMY INC	1	1	271
REDLANDS CHRISTIAN MIGRANT ASSN	3	3	855
REFINE THERAPEUTIC LEARNING CENTER INC	2	2	228
REIGN HOMESCHOOLING ACADEMY INC	1	1	70
RENAISSANCE ARTS & ED, INC.	2	2	2,503
RENAISSANCE CHARTER SCHOOL, INC	31	15	12,583
RESURRECTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	1	193
RHEMA WORD CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	400
RIDGEVIEW GLOBAL STUDIES ACADEMY	1	1	1,580
RISE EDUCATION SCHOOLS, INC.	2	0	
RISING LEADERS ACADEMY, INC.	1	1	315
RIVER CITY SCIENCE ACADEMY	5	0	
RIVERSIDE SCIENCE INC	1	1	270
ROYAL PALM CHARTER SCHOOL	1	1	369
S.L. JONES CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	345
SACRED HEART SCHOOL	1	1	212
SAINT ANDREW CATHOLIC CHURCH	1	1	349
SAINT JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	0	
SAINTS ACADEMY	1	1	185
SAMARITAN HOPE EMPOWERMENT SERVICES INC	1	0	
SEACOAST CHARTER ACADEMY	1	1	451
SEACOAST CHRISTIAN ACADEMY, INC.	1	1	309
SEASIDE SCHOOL CONSORTIUM INC.	1	0	

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SHEPHERD OF GOD CHRISTIAN ACADEMY CORP	1	1	120
SHILOH CHURCH SCHOOL	1	0	
SLAM FLORIDA INC.	7	7	4,666
SOMERSET ACADEMY, INC.	43	0	
SOS ACADEMY	1	1	145
SOUTH BROWARD MONTESSORI CHARTER SCHOOL	1	0	
SOUTH FLORIDA FASHION ACADEMY	1	1	89
SOUTHWEST CHARTER FOUNDATION, INC.	6	2	1,568
SPACE COAST CHRISTIAN ACADEMY, AN AFFILIATE OF BETHEL BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH, INC	1	1	239
SPRING CREEK CHARTER SCHOOL INC	3	2	859
ST JOHNS CLASSICAL ACADEMY	1	0	
ST PETER CLAVER CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	1	99
ST. HELEN CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	1	268
ST. JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	1	434
ST. JOHN THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	1	157
ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL	1	1	155
ST. LUKE CATHOLIC SCHOOL	1	1	304
ST. MARY CATHEDRAL SCHOOL	1	1	441
ST. PETER'S HUMAN SERVICES	1	1	120
STARS AUTISM SCHOOLS FOUNDATION	1	0	
STARS EDUCATION SERVICES, INC.	1	1	560
STELLAR LEADERSHIP ACADEMY INC.	1	1	318
SUNFLOWERS ACADEMY INC	1	1	384
SUNSHINE ACADEMY OF OAKLAND PARK	1	1	488
SUNSHINE ELEMENTARY CHARTER SCHOOL, INC	2	2	526
SYNERGY SCHOOL OF TOMORROW INC.	3	2	835

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TALLAHASSEE CLASSICAL SCHOOL	1	0	
TAMIAMI UNITED METHODIST CHURCH	1	1	280
TAMPA BAY ACADEMY, INC	1	1	188
TAMPA BAY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF FLORIDA INC.	1	1	399
TEAM SUCCESS A SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE	1	1	1,441
THE BANNER LAKE CLUB INC.	1	1	61
THE BREAD OF LIFE HARVEST MINISTRY INC	1	1	61
THE CHARTER SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE INC.	2	0	
THE CHILES ACADEMY	1	1	120
THE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY OF WINTER HAVEN, INC.	1	0	
THE FLORIDA CHARTER EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION, INC.	9	2	1,979
THE GIFT OF LEARNING FOUNDATION, INC.	1	0	
THE ISLAMIC SOCIETY OF BREVARD COUNTY INC.	1	0	
THE ISLAMIC SOCIETY OF TAMPA BAY INC.	1	1	507
THE KING'S ACADEMY	1	1	20
THE LEARNING CURVE ACADEMY	1	1	21
THE MIAMI CHILDRENS MUSEUM CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.	1	0	
THE NATIONAL BEN GAMLA CHARTER SCHOOL FOUNDATION, INC.	4	0	
THE NEW LIFE TEMPLE CHURCH AT JACKSONVILLE	1	1	52
THE PEPIN ACADEMIES, INC.	1	1	843
THE VILLAGES CHARTER SCHOOL	7	7	4,113
THE WAY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	1	1	83
THEODORE R. AND THELMA A. GIBSON CHARTER SCHOOL	1	0	
TOP KIDS CHRISTIAN ACADEMY PRIVATE SCHOOL	1	0	
UCP OF CENTRAL FLORIDA	8	8	2,004

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UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY ASSOCIATION OF MIAMI, INC DIAMOND MINDS	4	4	453
UNIVERSAL ACADEMY OF FLORIDA INC	1	1	832
VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH OF BELLEVIEW, FLORIDA, INC.	1	1	136
VILLA PREPARATORY ACADEMY	1	0	
VILLAGE OF EXCELLENCE ACADEMY, INC.	1	1	86
WALTON ACADEMY FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS	1	1	190
WAYMAN ACADEMY OF THE ARTS	1	1	200
WE-R INSPIRE LEARNING FOUNDATION	1	0	
WEST JACKSONVILLE RESTORATION CENTER, INC	1	1	250
WEST PALM BEACH JUNIOR ACADEMY	1	1	138
WEST PARK PREPARATORY SCHOOL	1	1	128
WILLIAM MONROE ROWLETT ACADEMY FOR ARTS AND COMMUNICATION, INC.	2	0	
WORSHIPER'S HOUSE OF PRAYER ACADEMY	1	1	100
YIN YANG ACADEMY	1	1	60
YMCA OF FLORIDA'S FIRST COAST, INC.	1	1	4,023
YMCA OF SOUTHWEST FLORIDA INC.	2	0	
YOUNG LEADERS ACADEMY K-8	1	0	
YOUTH CO-OP CHARTER SCHOOL	2	0	
ZAREPHATH ACADEMY	1	1	233

