



Over the past several months, District and school staff hosted a variety of conversations and meetings regarding proposed changes to several schools that would take effect for the 2014/15 school year. Please see below for an overview of the new educational opportunities being implemented for the 2014/15 school year.

School Name:	New Educational Opportunities for 2014/15:
Elementary Schools	
Broward Estates Elementary School	STEAM focused (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math with special Arts integration) educational programs; innovative learning labs; enhanced online instructional program offerings.
Coral Springs Elementary School	PreK – 6th grade for the 2014/15 school year; plans for Pre-K – 8th grade going forward. Emphasis on science; emphasis on personalized and digital learning environment designed to prepare students for college and/or careers.
Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary School	Montessori program implementation; focus on the “whole child” (character education and positive self-image development); multi-age, multi-grade classes; emphasis on parent and community engagement.
North Lauderdale Elementary School	PreK – 6th grade for the 2014/15 school year; plans for Pre-K – 8th grade going forward. Emphasis on science; emphasis on personalized and digital learning environment designed to prepare students for college and/or careers.
Annabelle C. Perry Elementary School	PreK – 6th grade for the 2014/15 school year; plans for Pre-K – 8th grade going forward. Emphasis on technology and science, International Baccalaureate Program for elementary and middle school levels, comprehensive personalized digital learning environment designed to prepare students for college and/or careers.
Pompano Beach Elementary School	Strengthening students’ connections to the local, national and global community with a focus on history curriculum; character education and civic engagement; expanded mentoring programs and community partnerships.
Rock Island Elementary School	Project-based and standards-based learning that emphasizes high achievement through active learning and critical literacy, and engages students in meaningful, authentic learning experiences; setting students sights on college and career options; partnerships with universities and technical centers; Parent University to strengthen the school/home/community connections.
Royal Palm Elementary School	STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) focused educational programs; innovative learning labs; enhanced online instructional program offerings.
Westwood Heights Elementary School	Community of Learning (PreK - up); expanded Early Childhood Education learning options; Parent University to strengthen school/home/community connections; "one stop shop" family service center designed to meet the needs of the entire WHE community, new partnership with Nova Southeastern University (customized professional learning for teachers focused on enhancing literacy instruction); new Urban Academy Professional Development program (college/university students will provide additional teaching support for students).
*Middle Schools	
Coral Springs Middle School	New iScience Academy for 6th grade students; emphasis on personalized and digital learning.
Henry D. Perry Middle School	New partnership with Sheridan Technical Center; enhanced International Baccalaureate (IB) program; emphasis on personalized and digital learning.

Silver Lakes Middle School	STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) focus; expanded college and career learning opportunities in the areas of computer science and engineering; emphasis on personalized and digital learning.
High School	
Coconut Creek High School	Creek Technical Academy, in partnership with Atlantic Technical Center, providing strong core academic curriculum, intense elective coursework and access to all technical programs of study; Creek Collegiate Academy, in partnership with the University of Florida, providing students a pathway to full-time dual enrollment, where students can earn up to 75 college credits during four years of high school.
Behavior Change Centers	
Cypress Run Education Center Lanier-James Education Center Pine Ridge Education Center	The District's three Behavior Change Centers are being redesigned to provide students with more age and grade appropriate settings. Pine Ridge Education Center will serve students countywide in Grades K-6. The countywide PROMISE Program will continue to be administered through Pine Ridge as well. Students in Grades 7-12 will be geographically assigned to Lanier-James Education Center in the south and Cypress Run Education Center in the north.

About the Student Success Opportunities Schools (SSOS) Initiative

Launched in the 2012/13 school year and continuing in 2013/14, the SSOS initiative reviews and redesigns educational opportunities within a community inclusive process for students, families and communities. Last year, five schools were included in the SSOS initiative. This year, 14 schools were part of the SSOS initiative. The SSOS initiative includes:

- Schools identified by the State (also referred to as priority schools) based on the FCAT results from the previous school year.
- Schools identified by the District (also referred to as local restructuring) based on a variety of factors, which could include enrollment, school climate, environment, local conditions, etc.

*Schools impacted by shifts in grade configuration changes at nearby elementary schools.