



Bennett Elementary



The East Broward Federated Women's Republican Club

- **11 Year Partnership begun in 2000 under the presidency of Sharon Day**
- **Donated over 1500 book-bags to Bennett students on the first day of school (filled with school supplies)**
- **Donated over 3000 books to Bennett students for summer reading**
- **Donated over \$3000 for "Teacher Grants"**
- **Arranged for Governor Jeb Bush to call Bennett on the first day of school**
- **Logged over 1100 Volunteer Hours**
 - Health Screening (vision, hearing, heights & weights)**
 - Field Trip Chaperones**
 - Classroom volunteers**
 - Individual Student Mentors**

**Your Contributions of "Time" and "Funding" are remarkable!
Thank you from the students, faculty and staff of Bennett Elementary**

Bennett School Information

2010 - 2011

83% of Bennett Students are on Free & Reduced lunch

.03% of Bennett students live in a Homeless Shelter that feeds into Bennett

Bennett Demographics

Female -	191
Male -	217
White -	36%
Black -	56%
Hispanic -	15.0%
Asian -	.02%
Native -	.01%
Multi -	.03%



Classroom Visits

- Teachers will provide grade specific information:
 - Next Generation Sunshine State Standards and Grade Level Expectations;
 - Grade Specific Curriculum;
 - Measuring Student Success;
 - Definition of Proficiency; and
 - Overview of their plans for the year;
- How parents can help their child.

Get to Know Your School & Communicate With Teachers

- Attend school events
- Visit the classroom
- Volunteer at the school
- Join parents' organizations
- Keep teachers informed
- Attend special parent trainings

- Attend parent-teacher conferences
- Be prepared for the meetings
- Consider whether you have met your responsibilities as stated in the parent-school compact
- List your questions before the meeting



Support Your Child's Education

- Share a love of learning;
- Read to your child;
- Ask your child to read to you;
- Limit TV time;
- Take advantage of the public library and the school media center;

- Show interest in your child's school day;
- Ask questions;
- Ask to see homework;
- Praise their efforts; and
- Encourage good study habits.

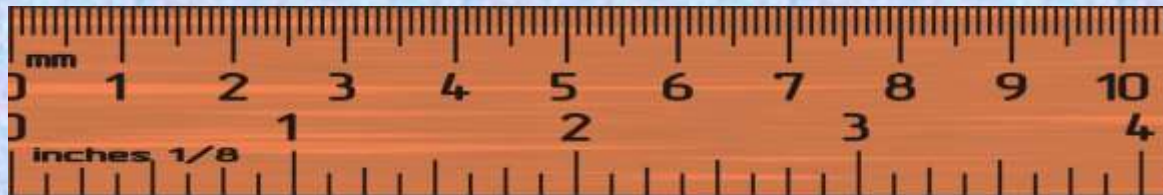
Your involvement is Key to your child's success!

- You are your child's first teacher.
- You have the ability to influence your child's education more than any teacher or school.
- You know your child best:
 - Share information about your child's interests and abilities with teachers; and
 - Ask to see progress reports on your child and the school.



Measuring Student Success

- Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT)—
Grades 3-11
- Stanford Achievement Test, 10th Edition (SAT10)—
Grades 1-2
- Florida Assessment for Instruction in Reading
(FAIR)
- Broward Assessment Test (BAT 1 & 2)





School's Curriculum

- Next Generation Sunshine State Standards form the framework of everything taught at school.
- Curriculum
 - Reading
 - Mathematics
 - Writing
 - Science



Bennett Elementary Educating our Future Patriots

