

WORKFORCE WIRE

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HOT OFF THE WIRE

Hundreds of Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) high school students participated in the 2025 Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) Superintendent's Pass in Review Ceremony. The Superintendent inspected the troops of student cadets, in full uniform, as they marched past distinguished guests and members of the community.

The JROTC is a federal program sponsored by the U.S. Armed Forces to provide academic and leadership instruction with a focus on character development and civic responsibility, fostering the next generation of custodians for **SAFETY** in our communi-

iLead

"iLead with fairness as a transformative force – bridging understanding, nurturing potential, and always ensuring that every action serves to advance students and families."

— Ernesto Gonzalez
Administrative Director
Office of the Superintendent

BODY & MIND

What's stopping you from being more physically active?

Feel like you've failed before? It takes at least 4 to 6 weeks before you'll notice changes like breathing easier during workouts. Focusing on small, manageable steps will eventually help you reach your ultimate goal.

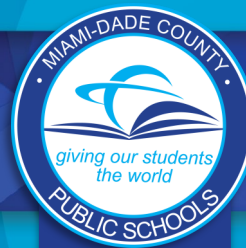


All Miami-Dade County public schools, as well as Region and District offices, will be closed March 24-28 for Spring Recess.

ABOVE & BEYOND

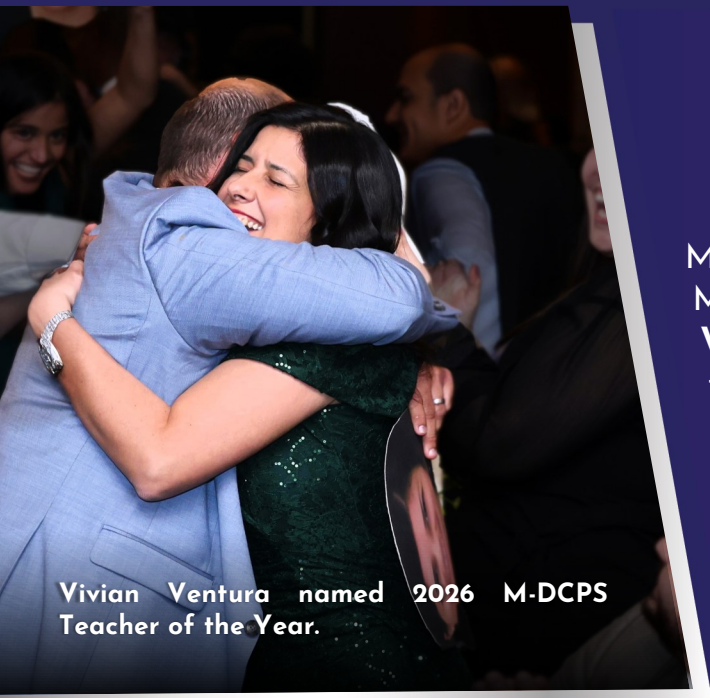
Janet Soto is an ESL teacher at Miami Springs Elementary School. Her approach to celebrating the cultural heritages of her students includes a mindful incorporation of diverse perspectives and materials to foster open dialog and allow students to feel safe and supported. Ms. Soto's dedication to all her students is an inspiration to students and colleagues alike.





Running for Excellence

The Foundation for New Education Initiatives (FNEI) hosted the 10th Annual Race for Education to benefit Miami-Dade County Public Schools. The run/walk promotes health and wellness in our community. FNEI will donate a percentage of the race proceeds to participating schools based on the number of participants each school team registers. This year's run/walk hosted more than 7,000 participants and raised tens of thousands of dollars for our schools. Thank you for keeping M-DCPS your best choice in education!



Vivian Ventura named 2026 M-DCPS Teacher of the Year.

Women of Innovation

M-DCPS joins the nation in celebrating Women's History Month 2025 with its theme "Moving Forward Together! Women Educating & Inspiring Generations." This theme celebrates the collective strength and influence of women who have dedicated their lives to education, mentorship, and leadership. Our previous Teachers and Principals of the Year reflect and share their stories of the women that inspired them toward their journeys as educators. Click [here](#) to read more.

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