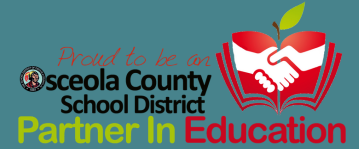




Osceola School District's



# PARTNERS IN EDUCATION PROGRAM

## Engaging the Business Community and Schools

### Ways Businesses and Organizations Can Partner With Schools

The School District of Osceola County continues to look for new and innovative ways to engage the business community, civic groups, and organizations for support in our schools. Our students are provided with more opportunities for success when we connect education with businesses. Every school in Osceola County needs help from our community partners and volunteers. From elementary schools to high schools to alternative and exceptional education programs, schools value the time, talents, and resources from the business community and welcome your support.

### Partnership Opportunities and Ideas

- Volunteer to serve as judges for events and programs
- Provide employment, internships, or job shadowing opportunities
- Participate in the School Advisory Council (SAC)
- Sponsor field trips for students
- Conduct a backpack/school supply drive
- Spearhead campus beautification efforts
- Implement Anti-Bullying or Character Education Programs
- Host meeting space for a school or the district
- Guest speakers or readers in the classroom
- Donate equipment or materials
- Provide meals for faculty
- Discuss careers or hobbies
- Donate items for staff appreciation
- Help non-English speaking students and parents with conversational skills
- Announce and participate in district-wide initiatives
- Recruit additional partners/volunteers
- Sponsor after-school clubs
- Help with student reading and math incentives
- Sponsor a hands-on science or math lab
- Organize a college fair

## WAYS SCHOOLS CAN GIVE BACK

- Student Performances or Artwork
- Invitation/Tickets to School Events
- Nominations for Awards for Outstanding Business Partnership Activities
- Appreciation Breakfast or Luncheon at the School
- Plaques, Awards, or Certificates to Business
- Thank You Letters from Students
- Recognition on School Website, Social Media, and at School Meetings
- Newsletter/Marquee Thank You
- Provide Specific Feedback About the Impact the Partnership Has with Students and the School
- School T-Shirts and Spirit Items for Business to Display

Partnering with schools is easy!

Contact the OASIS Partners in Education Program at 407-870-4014 for more details.