



**FLORIDA'S  
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Business and Education  
Partnerships

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## **Florida's Best Business and Education Partnerships Awards, 2004**

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### **Official Entry Form**

#### **1. Contact**

Name of Participating Business \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Participating Educational Institution \_\_\_\_\_  
School Type, circle one:            high school            vocational-technical school            community college  
Name of Project \_\_\_\_\_  
Lead Partner Contact \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ County(ies) in which program operates \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number (day) \_\_\_\_\_ (night) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

#### **2. Qualification**

On what date did this partnership program begin? \_\_\_\_\_

Focus areas this project applies to (check all that apply):

- \_\_\_ establishing rigorous academic content and performance standards;
- \_\_\_ developing new curriculum or revisions to existing curriculum to meet current and future workforce needs;
- \_\_\_ mentoring students in workforce development;
- \_\_\_ providing pre-apprenticeships, youth apprenticeships and apprenticeship programs;
- \_\_\_ establishing teacher internships to expose teachers to skills needed in today's workforce environment;
- \_\_\_ providing services to a select student target group such as: low income youth, limited English speakers, youth with disabilities, academically talented youth and areas of non-traditional employment for women;
- \_\_\_ providing professional development activities to students and teachers;
- \_\_\_ assisting in creating school-based enterprises to develop business skills of students;







**A. Student Success Story** – briefly describe how the program improved a specific student’s life.

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Winning abstracts will appear in the *Idea Book* and on various Web sites, and may be used in media publicity. All materials become the property of the Florida Department of Education and cannot be returned.

**4. Mail or E-mail:** Dorothy Bouie, Director of Marketing and Best Practices, Division of Community Colleges and Workforce Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Suite 714, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0400. [dorothy.bouie@fldoe.org](mailto:dorothy.bouie@fldoe.org).

**ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5 p.m. on March 29, 2004. Late entries will be disqualified.**

Partners may submit more than one project for consideration. Copy this form for each project you submit. Be sure to clearly identify the name of the project.