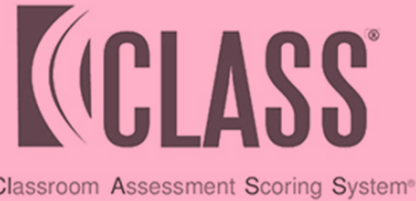




SPOTLIGHT



CLASS® Classroom Assessment Scoring System

The assessment is recognized internationally for capturing the elements within a classroom that improve child outcomes.

What is the CLASS looking at?

Effective
teacher - child
Interactions!



What the CLASS is NOT looking at?

- Curriculum used
- # of books in the classroom
- Classroom Arrangement

The CLASS Tool Domains

Frequency = How often?
Quality = How meaningful?
Duration = How long?

Infant	Responsive Caregiving		
Toddler	Emotional and Behavior Support	Engaged Support for Learning	
Pre-K	Emotional Support	Classroom Organization	Instructional Support

How is the CLASS scored?

Low Range		Mid Range			High Range	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

In order to have an SR and VPK contract, a composite score of **4** must be achieved.

Differentials will be assigned to your score of **4.00** and above.

Additional SR Dollars

$$4.5 - 4.9 = 4\%$$

$$5 - 5.9 = 7\%$$

$$6 - 7.0 = 10\%$$

CLASS in the Past..... CLASS Now

School Readiness (SR)

- 2019
 - Observed SR sites with
 - 20% SR Enrollment or more
 - CLASS 1 Violations
 - Multiple CLASS 2 Violations
 - Opt-In
 - 50% of the classrooms at each age level
- 2021 – 2022
 - 318 SR Providers Observed
 - 950 Classrooms
- 2022 – 2023
 - Last year for biennials
 - Scores above a 5 – observed every other year

Voluntary Pre-K

2022 – 2023



ALL VPK Classrooms Observed

How many classrooms in VPK in Broward County?

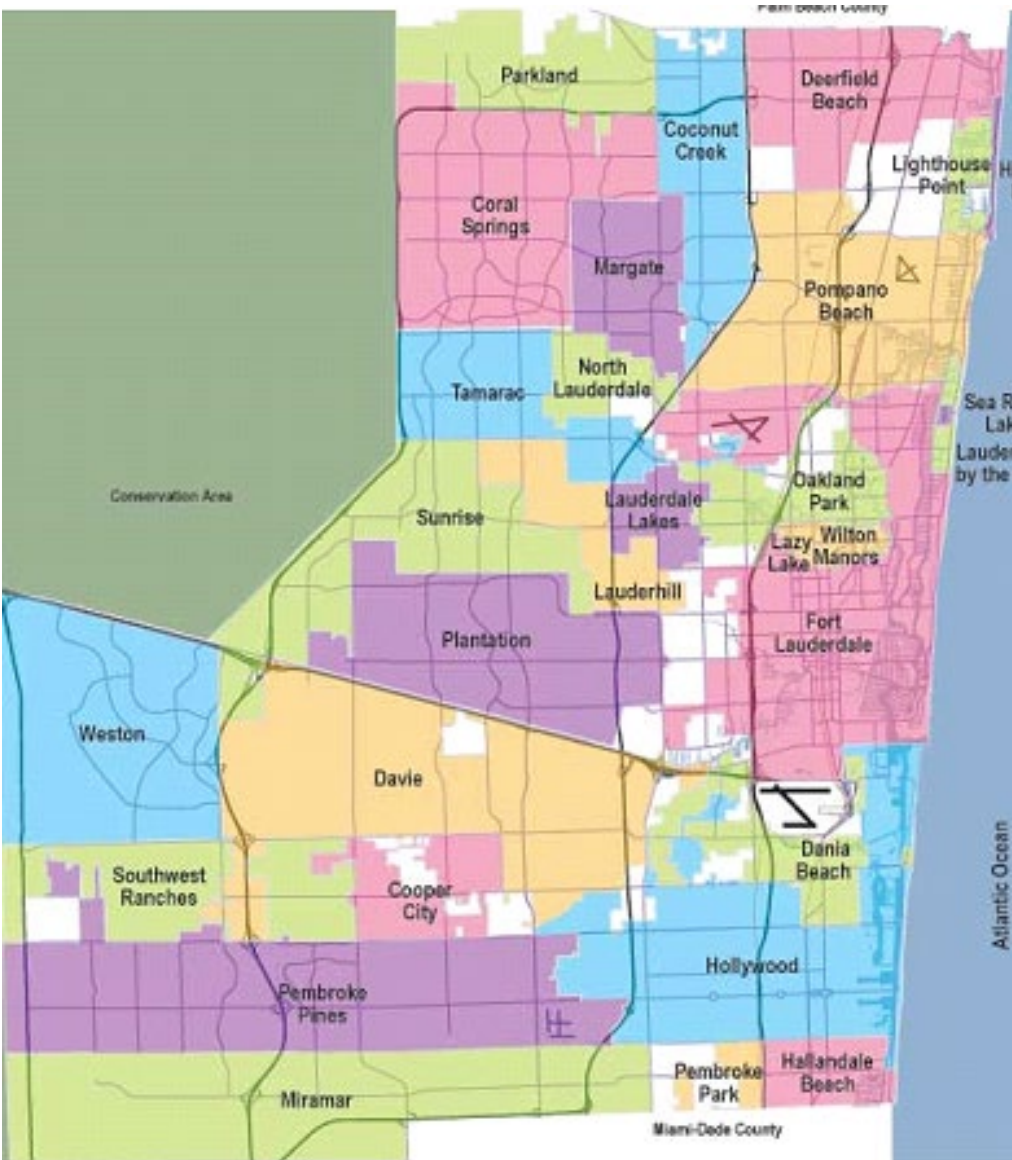
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*How many classrooms will Broward
ELC observe?*

2000+

*Broward County
2021 - 2022
CLASS Average*

5.02



Where can Broward go?



5 → 6

- With an Emphasis on...
 - Instructional Support
 - Concept Development
 - Quality of Feedback
 - Language Modeling
 - Historically the national average is low in this area.
 - DEL is looking closely at this area.

*Want to know more about **CLASS**?*

