

Member Organizations

Florida Association for Behavior Analysis
Florida Association for Education and Rehabilitation
of the Blind and Visually Impaired
Florida Association for the Gifted
Florida Association of School Psychologists
Florida Association of School Social Workers
Florida Association of Student Services
Administrators
Florida Branch of the International Dyslexia
Association
Florida Council of Administrators of Special
Education
Florida Council for Children with Behavioral
Disorders
Florida Council for Exceptional Children
Florida Counseling Association
Florida Division of Learning Disabilities
Florida Division on Developmental Disabilities
Florida Division on Career Development and
Transition
Florida Division of Teacher Education
Florida Educators of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
Florida Gifted Network
Florida School Counselor Association
Florida Music Therapists
Learning Disabilities Association – Florida
Pioneer Subdivision Florida Council for
Exceptional Children
VSA Florida

CEES Affiliates

CEC chapters: Bay, Big Bend, Gatorland,
Palm Beach, Sunset, Suncoast, Tampa Bay,
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Legislative Award

To recognize the support of the Florida Legislature, the Coalition annually selects a legislator to be the recipient of the CEES Legislative Award. The award is given in appreciation for individual efforts made toward the goal of providing all students with opportunities to reach their full potential. Florida's exceptional students, including those with disabilities and those who are gifted, are the beneficiaries of the leadership exhibited by these recipients.

Legislative Award Recipients

2013-14 Senator Bill Montford
2012-13 Senator Rhonda Storms
2011-12 Senator David Simmons
2010-11 Representative Bill Heller
2009-10 Representative Anitere Flores
2008-09 Representative Steven Precourt
2007-08 Representative Joe Pickens
Senator Carey Baker
2006-07 Representative Joe Pickens
Senator Jim King
2005-06 Senator Evelyn Lynn
2004-05 Representative Ralph Arza
2003-04 Representative Dennis Baxley
2002-03 Representative Bruce Kyle
2001-02 Representative Joe Pickens
2000-01 Senator Richard Mitchell
1999-00 Senator Lisa Carlton
1998-99 Senator Jack Latvala
1997-98 Senator Jim Horne
1996-97 Representative Rudy Garcia
1995-96 Representative Jim Davis
1994-95 Senator Fred Dudley
Senator Bill Turner
1993-94 No Award
1992-93 Representative John Long
1991-92 Representative Tim Jamerson
1990-91 Representative T.K. Wetherell
1989-90 Senator Bob Johnson
Representative Bolley Johnson
1988-89 Representative Sam Bell
1987-88 Representative Tom Gustafson
1986-87 Representative Sam Bell
1985-86 Representative Michael Friedman
1984-85 Senator Carrie Meek
1983-84 Senator Bill Grant
1982-83 Representative Betty Easley
1981-82 Representative Virginia Rosen
1980-81 Senator Clark Maxwell, Jr.
1979-80 Representative Elaine Bloom
1978-79 Senator Curtis Peterson

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