

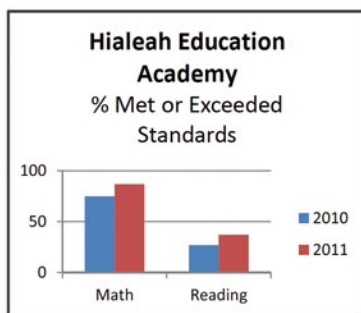
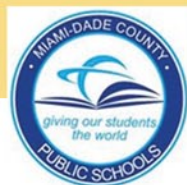


Case Study: Doubled FCAT Reading Scores

Miami Dade School jumps from C rating to A

*“Brainchild’s Achiever!
worked so well! Students
showed so much
improvement since
we started using
the program.”*

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● Case Study

Dade County Public School District
Hialeah Educational Academy
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Tuition-free public charter school
310 total students
95% Hispanic
83% Economically Disadvantaged

HEA uses both Study Buddies and webbased Achiever! to supplement instruction

● Goal

HEA was seeking a way to raise school scores by implementing a supplemental program during after school hours.

● Solution

Through the initial use of the Study Buddy and later the Achiever! program, students at HEA were able to engage in both self-paced instruction as well as test with standardsbased content.

● Results

Hialeah jumped from a C rating to an A rating. Grade 9 Reading scores on FCAT jumped from 20% in 2009 to 44% in 2011 for students at or above necessary reading levels.