



DBEA CHAMPS PROGRAM OUTLOOK – MISSION – PHILOSOPHY - GOALS

PROGRAM OUTLOOK:

Parents & Families, welcome to Deerfield Beach Elementary **CHAMPions Aftercare Program or (DBEA C.H.A.M.P.S)**. We are pleased to share with you a first hand outlook of our program along with our Mission, Philosophy and Goals for Deerfield Beach Elementary Aftercare (DBEA) CHAMPS. As always, our goal for is provide you with a clear picture of what our program offers and provides for our shareholders and community. We host exciting and amazing projects/events that our students in the program experience on a consistent basis. These projects/events include everything from engaging activities that foster partnerships, teamwork and social skills to enrichment curricula to help our students mature and become the "**CHAMPions**" they are intended to be! The acronym for **C.H.A.M.P.S** stands for **Creative and Hardworking Achievers Maximizing their Potential and Success**. It is our pleasure to service you and your family, and I thank you for trusting me (Raymond Hanna), our program and staff with the care and safety of your child(ren), our students. Feel free to contact me with any questions you may have about our services, application process or any matter related to our program. I can be reached by telephone at (754-322-6111) or email (Raymond.hanna jr@browards.com). Thank you!

MISSION:

The mission of the *Deerfield Beach Elementary Aftercare* (DBEA) Program is to **maximize** after school hours by providing parents and students with a safe, inclusive, academically oriented high-quality aftercare program that identifies the multiple intelligences, interests, and ambitions of students in order to collectively develop a personalized-interdisciplinary curriculum that fosters individualized academic and social success, thus increasing opportunities for extended learning and improving overall school performance.

PHILOSOPHY:

The DBEA Program employs a project-based approach to student enrichment, in order to enable all of our students to achieve personalized academic and social development (which varies from student-to-student). Children who attend our DBEA Program come from a range of economic, ethnic, social, physical, and religious backgrounds. Moreover, our DBEA Instructors reflect the diversity that exists in our program; it is large part of what makes us so successful. And when our intricate curriculum (which consists of various types of sensory play, academic instruction, academic games, educational resources, dramatic play, and a myriad of other developmental activities) is combined with a high-quality of care, you get our formula for student success and an environment where children can not only develop, but also thrive.

GOALS:

The goals of the DBEA Program are to **1)** improve academic skills; **2)** increase awareness of one's cognitive process; **3)** increase global perspective; **4)** improve social skills; **5)** increase a desire to learn; **6)** improve health-related choices; and **7)** improve communication between In-School Time Staff and Out-Of-School Time Staff.