

Dr. Bernard W. H. Jennings Announces Candidacy for Miami-Dade County School Board District 1

A leader everyone can count on! A change is coming!

MIAMI, FL, UNITED STATES, June 11, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Community leader, educator, author, and Florida Memorial University Board Chairman Dr. Bernard W. H. Jennings today announced his candidacy for the Miami-Dade County School Board, District 1.

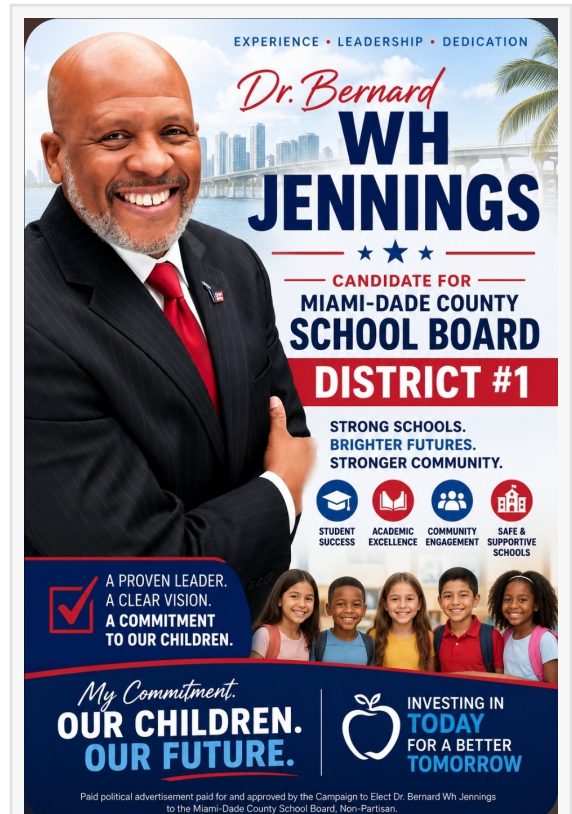
Dr. Jennings brings decades of leadership in education, public service, parental engagement, youth advocacy, and nonprofit governance to the race. As Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Florida Memorial University, South Florida's only Historically Black College and University, Jennings has helped lead initiatives focused on student success, workforce development, international partnerships, and educational excellence.

"I believe every child deserves access to a world-class education, safe schools, engaged parents, and a clear pathway from the classroom to college, careers, entrepreneurship, and lifelong success," said Jennings.

Dr. Jennings is widely recognized as the initiator of Florida's landmark HB 775, known as the Ethan Good Dad Act, legislation designed to strengthen parental responsibility and increase positive parental involvement in children's lives. He is also the Amazon best-selling author of Ethan's Good Dad Act: A Father Turns His Lemons into Lemonade So That All Good Dads Can Take a Sip. www.EthansGoodDadAct.com

Throughout his career, Jennings has served as:

- [Chairman, Florida Memorial University Board of Trustees](#)
- Former Executive Director, Miami-Dade Democratic Executive Committee
- Florida Supreme Court Certified Mediator



EXPERIENCE • LEADERSHIP • DEDICATION

Dr. Bernard
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MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD
DISTRICT #1

STRONG SCHOOLS.
BRIGHTER FUTURES.
STRONGER COMMUNITY.

STUDENT SUCCESS ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SAFE & SUPPORTIVE SCHOOLS

A PROVEN LEADER.
A CLEAR VISION.
A COMMITMENT TO OUR CHILDREN.

My Commitment.
OUR CHILDREN. OUR FUTURE.

INVESTING IN TODAY FOR A BETTER TOMORROW

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Dr Bernard Wh Jennings, Candidate District 1 Miami-Dade School Board

- Community advocate and nonprofit leader
- Mentor to the 5000 Role Models of Excellence – with Congresswoman Frederica Wilson
- Elected 24th Democratic Congressional Delegate
- [Founder of the Nationally recognized Good Dad Act movement - www.GoodDadAct.com](http://www.GoodDadAct.com)

His campaign will focus on:

- Academic Excellence
- Parent Engagement
- Teacher Support
- School Safety
- Workforce and Career Readiness
- STEM and Technology Education
- Fiscal Accountability
- College and Career Pathways

"Parents, teachers, students, and taxpayers deserve leadership that listens, collaborates, and delivers results. Together we can prepare every child for success in a rapidly changing world."

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*Dr hc Bernard Wh Jennings,
 Chairman - Good Dad Act
 Committee*

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**CANDIDATE FOR
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I am running for School Board because every child deserves access to a quality education and every school deserves strong, visionary leadership. Together, we can build stronger schools, brighter futures, and a better Miami-Dade.

MY ACHIEVEMENTS

- ADVOCATE FOR STUDENT SUCCESS**
 A lifelong champion for students, working to ensure every child has the tools and support to reach their full potential.
- COMMUNITY LEADER**
 Decades of proven leadership in the community, building partnerships and bringing people together to solve problems and create opportunities.
- COMMITTED TO STRONG SCHOOLS**
 Focused on improving school safety, supporting teachers, and ensuring our schools have the resources they need to thrive.
- RESULTS-DRIVEN LEADERSHIP**
 A strategic leader with a record of setting goals, driving results, and delivering meaningful outcomes for the community.
- INTEGRITY, TRANSPARENCY, SERVICE.**
 Guided by strong values and a deep commitment to serve with honesty, accountability, and respect.

MY PRIORITIES FOR DISTRICT #1

- ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**
 Raise achievement for all students and prepare them for college, career, and life.
- SAFE & SUPPORTIVE SCHOOLS**
 Ensure every student learns in a safe, inclusive, and nurturing environment.
- STRONG COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS**
 Work hand-in-hand with parents, educators, businesses, and community leaders.
- SUPPORT FOR EDUCATORS**
 Invest in our teachers and staff with training, resources, and respect they deserve.
- FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY**
 Be a responsible steward of taxpayer dollars with transparency and accountability.

OUR CHILDREN. OUR SCHOOLS. *Our Future.* STRONG SCHOOLS. BRIGHTER FUTURES. TOGETHER.

LEADERSHIP | DEDICATION | SERVICE | RESULTS

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Dr Bernard Wh Jennings - "Building Pathways from Classroom to Career"

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