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Monroe County School District 2010-2011 High School Grades Released

The Monroe County School District is pleased to announce the release of the 2010-2011 high school grades as reported by the Florida Department of Education. For the sixth year in a row, the Monroe County School District has again been recognized as an “A” rated school district.

The district recognizes an outstanding accomplishment and congratulates Marathon High School achieving the highest recognition as an “A” rated school. Marathon High School attained the highest number of points in the district with 1,163 points, specifically achieving increase in the at risk graduation rate, acceleration participation, and reading readiness components. In addition, both Coral Shores High School and Key West High School obtained a “B” rating for the 2010-2011 school year.

The three Monroe County high schools have made significant progress in increasing the post secondary readiness success of their students. High School grades include the entire year’s academic progress including the FCAT achievement level, access as well as performance in rigorous, accelerated coursework, including Dual Enrollment and Advanced Placement Courses, college readiness rate, and graduation rates for all students as well as those academically at-risk.

The Monroe County School District congratulates the efforts of all three high schools to reflect “Constant Improvement” and recognizes the outstanding hard work and accomplishments of its students, educators, and staff. Dr. Jesus Jara said, “We appreciate and are pleased to celebrate the excellent achievements of our teachers, staff, and students throughout the district. As the 2012 New Year begins, we want to applaud the exceptional work of our students and look forward to exceeding the rigorous expectations.” Additional information is available at the Florida Department of Education website at www.fldoe.org.

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