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# Golden Apple

Celebration of Teachers

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**Sunday, April 7, 2024**

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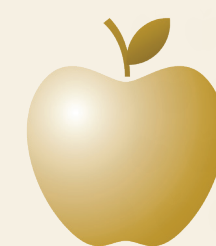
Since 1990, the **Golden Apple Program** has shined a light on the best practices of Collier County Public School educators. As an educator development program, Golden Apple combines the sharing of best practices within and among educators and schools, recognizing and celebrating the teaching profession, and providing continued leadership development for educators.

The components of the program begin with the selection process, identification, and celebration of teaching best practices, which are engaging and innovative classroom strategies to support student success. Champions For Learning invites each Collier County Public School to designate an outstanding educator and their best practice. Every nominated educator will be recognized as the Teacher of Distinction from their school and represented at the Golden Apple Celebration Event. The goal of Golden Apple is to empower educators to facilitate the sharing of best practices and build alignment and support within the educator community. As a result,

the program cultivates educators' future growth in the profession and prepares them for success in the classroom.

Leadership development is designed to expand the capacity of educators to perform leadership roles within their schools. The Golden Apple Leadership Academy is designed to strengthen the connection between, and alignment of, educators within Collier's schools by facilitating the sharing of teaching best practices and the development of educator leaders. This commitment to encouraging career growth and collaboration among our educators results in stronger classrooms, schools, and communities.

The Golden Apple Celebration comes at the conclusion of the Golden Apple Selection Program that allows the community a glimpse inside Collier County classrooms. Pointing a spotlight on our innovative educators, the awards show provides the opportunity to honor our outstanding educators and their impact on student learning.



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## Show Your Support for Collier Educators

Returning to our roots for the Golden Apple Celebration, this year's event will be an award show, so that our educators don't have to limit the participation of their family and friends. Following the award show, guests will enjoy champagne and hors d'oeuvres to celebrate our educators in support of our mission to serve as a catalyst for educational success by investing in Collier's students and educators.



## SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

### \$45,000 – Visionary Sponsor *(Subscribed - Suncoast Credit Union)*



- Priority seating for up to twelve guests at the Golden Apple Celebration
- Invitation for two guests to the Golden Apple Prize Patrol in March 2024
- Lead placement of name or logo as the Golden Apple Celebration Visionary Sponsor on invitation, web-based marketing materials, event press release, and event signage
- Lead placement of full-page ad in event program, podium recognition during event and prominent recognition on audio/visual displays at the event with 30-second speaking opportunity
- Lead placement of name or logo as the Golden Apple Program Visionary Sponsor in printed signage at all four Leadership Academy events

### \$15,000 – Advocate Sponsor *(Limited number available)*



- Priority seating for up to ten guests at the Golden Apple Celebration
- Prominent placement of name or logo as a Golden Apple Celebration Advocate Sponsor on invitation, web-based marketing materials, event press release, and event signage
- Prominent placement of full-page ad in program, podium recognition during event and recognition on audio/visual displays at the event
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### \$10,000 – Achievement Sponsor *(Many available)*

- Seating for up to eight guests at the Golden Apple Celebration
- Listing of name or logo as a Golden Apple Celebration Achievement Sponsor on web-based marketing materials and event signage
- Half-page ad in program, podium recognition during event, and recognition on audio/visual displays at the event
- Listing of name or logo as a Golden Apple Program Sponsor in printed signage at all four Leadership Academy events

### \$5,000 – Patron Sponsor *(Many available)*

- Seating for up to six guests at the Golden Apple Celebration
- Listing as a Golden Apple Celebration Patron Sponsor on web-based marketing materials and event signage
- Quarter-page ad in program and recognition on audio/visual displays at the event
- Listing as a Golden Apple Program Sponsor in printed signage at all four Leadership Academy events

### \$3,000 – Underwriter Sponsor *(Many available)*

- Seating for up to four guests at the Golden Apple Celebration
- Listing as a Golden Apple Celebration Underwriter Sponsor on web-based marketing materials and event signage
- Listing as a Golden Apple Program Sponsor in printed signage at all four Leadership Academy events

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### **About Champions For Learning**

Founded in 1990, the Education Foundation of Collier County – Champions For Learning's mission is to serve as a catalyst for educational success by investing in Collier's students and educators. Our Student Programs are designed to equip and prepare students for their future learning and career goals, and our Educator Programs are designed to value, empower, and support our educators to experience professional success. We are the lead organization facilitating Future Ready Collier, a collective impact initiative designed to build an educational pipeline for college, career, and life readiness. Recognized as the education foundation serving Collier County by the Consortium of Florida Education Foundations, Champions For Learning serves a unique role as a conduit for students, educators, principals, schools, and the community to ensure student and educator success.

Champions For Learning is a volunteer driven organization. Of the nearly 500 people who volunteer with us each year, more than 240 dedicate two to four hours of their time to our organization every week. With dedicated volunteers and a committed administrative team, Champions For Learning embodies the belief that education is everything!

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