

As we begin 2026, we celebrate a milestone made possible by your trust and partnership: the 30th anniversary of WIN Learning, the career readiness solution company powering Florida Ready to Work.

Your collaboration, feedback, and shared commitment to career readiness have shaped WIN Learning into the company it has become. As we reflect on the past 30 years, we do so with appreciation, and as we look ahead, we're excited to continue innovating and educating together.

On behalf of the entire WIN Learning team, thank you for joining us on this journey. We wish you a happy, healthy, and successful New Year, and we look forward to all that we'll accomplish together in 2026 and beyond.

Warmest Regards,

Teresa Chasteen-Dunn

WIN Learning CEO & President



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Career Readiness Courseware & Credentials

FREE LIVE WEBINAR

Level Up Your Summer Youth Program with Florida Ready to Work & WIN Learning

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Join us for an engaging webinar on how Florida Ready to Work & WIN Learning can strengthen summer youth programs by providing essential employability skills and nationally-recognized credentials. Learn practical strategies to integrate career readiness into short-term initiatives to help connect youth to future job opportunities. This session will feature a dynamic panel discussion with program leaders and workforce experts sharing real-world success stories and best practices.



Wednesday
January 21, 2026



Time
11:00 AM ET

We're planning our 2026 webinar series and would love your input! Click [here](#) to share the topics that would be most helpful for supporting your Florida Ready to Work implementation.

ICYMI: Florida Ready to Work Assessment Updates Completed

Florida Ready to Work, powered by WIN Learning, announced updates to its Academic Employability Skills Assessments to ensure our assessments remain closely aligned with real-world job demands in the evolving job market. These improvements deepen the connection between the Academic Employability Skills Training and Academic Employability Skills Assessments and workplace expectations making the assessments more relevant and accessible for learners.

What's New?

- Refreshed assessment items for improved alignment
- 60-minute time allotment for each assessment
- Objective-based reporting for clearer insights
- New annotation tools like sticky notes and item flags
- Fresh reading passages in Work Ready Reading
- Enhanced accessibility features

More information is available [here](#).

Lockdown Browser Update

On December 17, 2025, the WIN Career Readiness platform was updated and lockdown browsers on Windows computers must be updated to avoid testing issues.

If your job seekers use a Windows testing device, please be sure the lockdown browser has been updated to version 2.1.3.06 prior to assigning assessments. If your job seekers use an Apple device or Chromebook, this update does NOT apply.

If you or your IT team have questions about this update, please contact the Florida Ready to Work Support Team at 888-717-9461, option 3 or at customerservice@floridareadytowork.com.

Celebrate Your Workforce Wins

Florida Ready to Work is proud to partner with the CareerSource Florida network to help job seekers across the state build essential skills and earn credentials that employers value. Your success stories fuel this mission, and **we want to celebrate them with you.**

When you post about Florida Ready to Work on your social media channels, tag us so we can amplify your impact and highlight the incredible work happening in your community. From workshops and credential earners to standout staff achievements, your stories deserve a wider spotlight.

Follow and tag us:

- Facebook:** Facebook.com/FlaReadytoWork
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- LinkedIn:** LinkedIn.com/company/florida-ready-to-work

Let's continue spreading the word about career readiness and workforce success across Florida. Your stories matter! Share them, Tag us, and Inspire others!

Florida Ready to Work Webinars

Join us for our monthly introduction sessions. These sessions are designed for individuals interested in learning more about the Florida Ready to Work program and how to effectively use it with learners. It is also ideal for those looking to promote the program to employer partners. The webinar is held monthly on the first Tuesday of each month. Our next session is **Tuesday, February 3 at 11 a.m.** Register [here](#).

Contact Us

Need a review or additional training for your team? Want to brainstorm implementation ideas? Your Florida Ready to Work team is ready to help:

If you work for one of the boards listed below, reach out to **Mariellen Batchelor** at 407.212.7617 or mbatchelor@floridareadytowork.com or click [here](#) to book a time that works for you.

Serving CareerSource Brevard Flagler Volusia, CareerSource Central Florida, CareerSource Pasco Hernando, CareerSource Polk, and CareerSource Tampa Bay.

If you work for one of the boards listed below, reach out to **Holly McFadden** at 754.235.7626 or hmcfadden@floridareadytowork.com or click [here](#) to book a time that works for you.

Serving CareerSource Broward, CareerSource Heartland, CareerSource Palm Beach County, CareerSource Research Coast, CareerSource South Florida, CareerSource Southwest Florida, and CareerSource Suncoast.

If you work for one of the boards listed below, reach out to **Valencia Strowder** at 904.200.0990 or vstrowder@floridareadytowork.com or click [here](#) to book a time that works for you.

Serving CareerSource Citrus Levy Marion, CareerSource North Florida, CareerSource North Central Florida, and CareerSource Northeast Florida.

If you work for one of the boards listed below, reach out to **Tiffany Vause** at 850.766.4646 or tvause@floridareadytowork.com or click [here](#) to book a time that works for you.

Serving CareerSource Capital Region, CareerSource Chipola, CareerSource Escarosa, CareerSource Gulf Coast, and CareerSource Okaloosa Walton.

We want to hear from you!

Your thoughts and feedback help us make things even better! We'd love for you to take a moment to share your experience with us by completing our [customer feedback survey](#).

Your feedback helps shape the future of the Florida Ready to Work program.



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