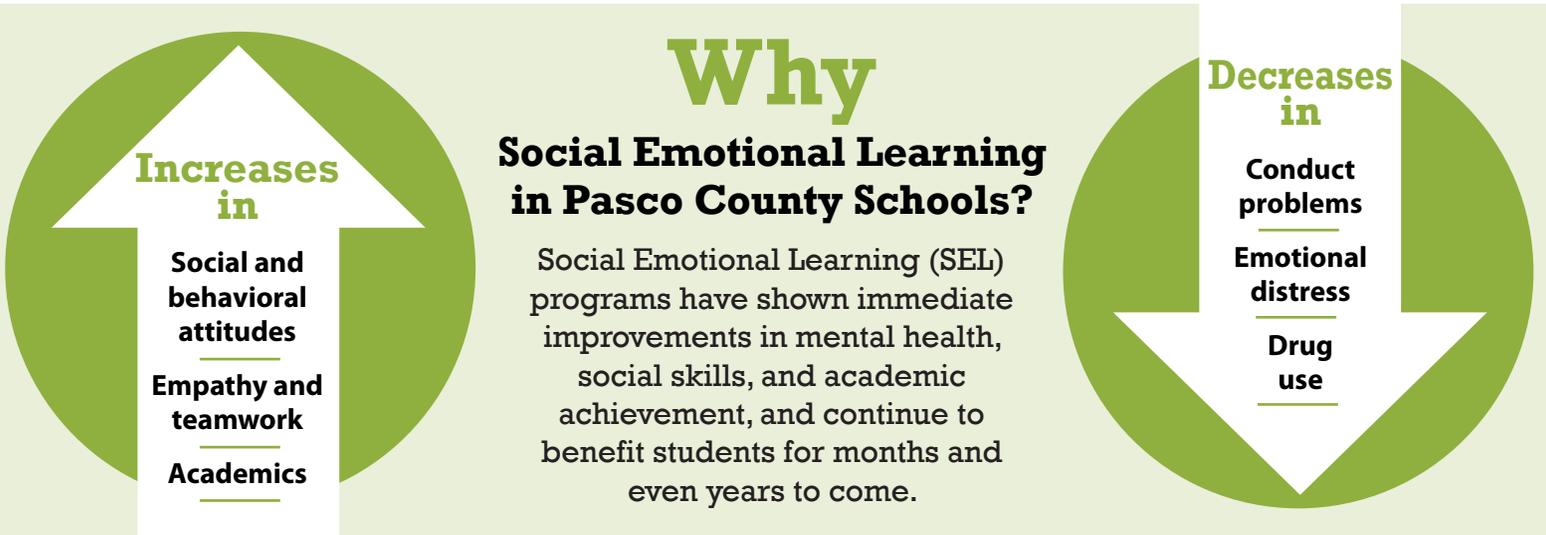


What is Social Emotional Learning?

Social Emotional Learning (SEL) is a holistic approach to developing the whole child with a set of skills, knowledge, behaviors, beliefs/dispositions to be college, career, and life ready. Social Emotional Learning enhances students' capacity to integrate skills, attitudes, and behaviors to deal effectively and ethically with daily tasks and challenges in order to be successful members of our community.

The 5 Key Competencies of Social Emotional Learning



Up to **18** years later, students exposed to SEL in school continue to do better than their peers on a number of indicators:



Our Commitment to SEL in Pasco County Schools

In Pasco County Schools, we educate the **whole child**. Our students learn to **think critically** and **solve complex problems** while also becoming **compassionate human beings**. We ensure that all students have the skills they need to become **responsible** and **contributing members** of our **community**.

As part of this commitment, Pasco County has developed SEL standards that will be embedded as part of every child's course curriculum from kindergarten to graduation.

To learn more about Social Emotional Learning, visit www.casel.org.

