

Richard Corcoran is the Commissioner of Education, he has been a practicing attorney in Florida for almost 20 years. He served as the Speaker of the Florida House from 2016-2018. During his tenure in the state House, he pushed through over \$10 billion in tax cuts, the elimination of over 5,000 regulations, the massive expansion of school choice, and the strongest ethics and transparency laws in state history.

Commissioner Corcoran is a passionate advocate for improving the education system in Florida. He fully believes every child can learn and that all children deserve the opportunity to receive a world-class education.

Commissioner Corcoran grew up in Pasco County, Florida where he graduated from Hudson High School. He earned a bachelor's degree from St. Leo College in 1989 and a Juris Doctorate from Regent University in 1996. While enrolled in college, Richard also served in the U.S. Naval Reserve (1987-1993).