

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Action Item
November 15, 2019

SUBJECT: New Bachelor Degree Program in the Florida College System

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Section 1007.33, Florida Statutes

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Florida Gateway College submitted a Notice of Intent followed by a proposal to the Department of Education for this proposed board action. Appropriate notification of intent was provided to the Board of Governors, Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida and the Commission for Independent Education, as required in section 1007.33, Florida Statutes. An extensive review of criteria was conducted for the proposal submitted, and written comments and recommendations were provided to the college. The final submission was subsequently received and is being submitted to the State Board of Education for approval.

Supporting Documentation Included: Summary of Florida Gateway College's Proposal for a Bachelor of Science (BS) in Elementary Education; Full Proposal (under separate cover)

Facilitators/Presenters: Chancellor Kathy Hebda, Florida College System; Dr. Lawrence Barrett, President, Florida Gateway College, and guests