## STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION Consent Item

January 18, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-1.094222, Standards for Mid-Year Promotion for Retained Third Graders

## **PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

For Approval

## **AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION**

Sections 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1008.25(7)(b)2., (10), Florida Statutes

## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Rule 6A-1.094222, F.A.C., Mid-Year Promotion of Retained Third Graders was established to align with Rule 6A-1.094221, F.A.C., Alternative Standardized Reading Assessment and Use of Student Portfolio for Good Cause Promotion to provide guidance to schools and districts pertaining to students retained in grade three. This rule further clarifies considerations for mid-year promotion for students retained in grade three.

For mid-year promotion on or before November 1, this rule amendment includes scoring Level 2 or above on the statewide, standardized English Language Arts assessment as an additional piece of evidence to show mastery of third grade reading skills.

For mid-year promotion after November 1, clarification was added for the student's progress to be sufficient to master appropriate grade four level reading skills equivalent to the level necessary for the month in which the transition occurs.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-1.094222, F.A.C.

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