STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION Action Item

July 19, 2023

SUBJECT: Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-1.09422, Statewide, Standardized Assessment Program Requirements

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Sections 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1003.433(3)(b), 1008.22(14), 1008.25(10), F.S.; Ch. 2023-16, § 37, Laws of Fla.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

On May 9, 2023, Governor Ron DeSantis signed House Bill (HB) 1537 (2023), which, among other measures, establishes in law specific concordant and comparative scores for students graduating during the 2022-23 school year, including students who entered grade 9 in 2019-20, as well as concordant and comparative scores that may be used for students who entered grade 9 in 2020-21 and beyond. Additionally, HB 1537 requires the State Board of Education to establish in rule a concordant passing score for the Grade 10 ELA assessment for the sum of the Grammar/Writing and Verbal Reasoning subject test scores on the Classic Learning Test (CLT) and a comparative score for the Algebra 1 EOC assessment for the Quantitative Reasoning subject test on the CLT.

In accordance with HB 1537 (2023), this amendment codifies in State Board Rule additional measures by which students graduating during the 2022-23 school year can meet their assessment graduation requirements, clarifies the concordant and comparative scores that can be used for student who entered grade 9 during the 2020-21 school year and beyond, and allows students who entered grade 9 in 2020-21 and beyond an additional option to meet assessment graduation requirements through the use of the Classic Learning Test (CLT).

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-1.09422, F.A.C.

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