STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION Consent Item

January 17, 2024

SUBJECT: Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-20.0282, Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Sections 1001.02(1) and 1009.30(8), F.S.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Modifications to the Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program are required due to recent legislation included in Chapter 2023-16, Laws of Florida, that establishes the personalized education program, which is a parent directed educational choice option that must be registered with a Scholarship Funding Organization that administers the Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program. Students in a personalized education program are provided access to the same programs and services as home education program students, such as the ability to participate within dual enrollment programs at a public postsecondary institution. The Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program procedures are modified to allow participating public postsecondary institutions the ability to be reimbursed tuition and instructional materials costs for dual enrollment courses taken by personalized education program students.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-20.0282, F.A.C.

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