

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Consent Item
June 4, 2025

SUBJECT: Approval of Amendment to Rule 6M-8.620, Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Coordinated Screening and Progress Monitoring Program

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Sections 1001.02(2)(n) and 1002.79, F.S.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The rule establishes the coordinated screening and progress monitoring program implemented in all public and private Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) programs, as required by s. 1002.68, F.S. The rule outlines the role and responsibilities of VPK providers, Early Learning Coalitions, and school districts in administering the coordinated screening and progress monitoring program and describes the use of child assessment data following administration of the coordinated screening and progress monitoring program to identify students who exhibit a substantial deficiency in early literacy or early mathematics skills and establish eligibility for additional supports through the New Worlds Scholarship Account.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6M-8.620, F.A.C.

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