



Weekly Memo

Action Items

Notice of Meeting—State Advisory Panel (SAP) for the Education of Exceptional Students

The SAP for the Education of Exceptional Students is holding a meeting on **May 24, 2023**, at 1 p.m. Agenda topics are specific to the education of students with disabilities and include rules and regulations, data, and reports. For more information, including the link to participate in the meeting, go to the [SAP meeting notice](#).

2022-2023 Report of Students Granted a One-Year Exemption from Statewide Assessments

The Florida Department of Education (FDOE) has issued a memorandum regarding the [2022-2023 Report of Students Granted a One-Year Exemption from Statewide Assessments](#) and [attachment A, titled Report of Students Granted a One-Year Exemption from the Statewide Assessment Pursuant to Section 1008.22\(11\), Florida Statutes](#). The reporting deadline is **June 1, 2023**, per the instructions in the memo.

Prekindergarten (PreK) Collaborative Inclusion Conference

Save the date for the **June 19-21, 2023**, face-to-face Collaborative Inclusion Conference, "We All Win When We Play in the Sandbox Together." This conference is a collaborative effort between the State Early Childhood Inclusion Team, which includes the PreK program specialist from the Bureau of Exceptional Education and Student Services (BEES) and a team member from the Division of Early Learning; the Technical Assistance and Training System and the Florida Inclusion Network, which are both BEES discretionary projects; the Florida Department of Health Early Steps; and the Florida Head Start State Collaboration Office. The purpose of the collaborative conference, funded by the Florida Preschool Development grant, is to increase inclusive educational settings for young children with disabilities and to address State Performance Plan Indicator 6. Participants may include school district PreK contacts, Early Learning Coalitions, Head Start and Early Steps. To register, go to the [PreK Collaborative Inclusion Conference web page](#).

Learning Ally Survey – Complete Our Survey and Enter to Win a \$50 Gift Card

Each year, we ask educators from Learning Ally's Florida Department of Education-funded schools to complete a short survey that helps us to better serve you and your students. This survey takes about 10 minutes to complete and will help us continue to enhance our program for you and your students. We are offering a \$50 gift card to 10 random respondents. To complete the survey, go to the [Learning Ally Survey website](#).

Assessment Graduation Requirements as Established in House Bill 1537

The FDOE has issued a memorandum regarding [assessment graduation requirements as established in House Bill 1537](#).

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