State Board of Education



2020 Session Update

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ACCOUNTABILITY IN K-12

Strategic Goals: Achievement, Growth, Close Achievement Gaps, Graduation, School Improvement, High Quality Teachers, Successful School Leaders, Maximum Access to High Quality Educational Outcomes and Options

Bills HB 7079 Education by PreK-12 Innovation Subcommittee & Representative Aloupis

SB 1498 School Turnaround by Senator Baxley

Highlights Creates tools for SBOE and districts to sustain the momentum and urgency of schools that are improving upon D & F status.

Improves SBOE authority to enforce compliance for schools which fail to meet their improvement plans.





ACCOUNTABILITY IN EARLY LEARNING

Strategic Goals: Kindergarten Readiness, High Quality VPK Providers, Achievement, Growth, Close Achievement Gaps, Early Literacy, Student Engagement, Maximum Access to High Quality Outcomes/Options

Bills HB 1013 Early Learning and Early Grade Success by Representative Grall & Representative Aloupis

SB 1688 Early Learning and Early Grade Success by Senator Harrell

Highlights

Provides SBOE and FDOE with oversight/authority for early learning programs, including local coalitions.

Revises the accountability system to focus on students' progress during the VPK program and includes program assessments.

Creates the statewide system to focus on VPK-3rd grade early literacy.

Thoughtful policies that promote accountability and transparency to all stakeholders while prioritizing the best interests of ALL students.



CHOICE OPTIONS

Strategic Goals: Achievement, Growth, Close Achievement Gaps, Postsecondary Success, Student Engagement, Maximum Access to High Quality Outcomes/Options

Bills HB 7067 School Choice by Education Committee & Representative Sullivan

SB 1220 Education by Senator Diaz

Highlights Strengthening Florida's status as the national leader in educational freedom.

Ensuring all Florida families have access to high-quality education.

Allowing parents to place students in schools that meet their individual needs.



	COLLEGE & CAREER egic Goals: Achievement, Graduation, Close Achievement Gaps, Postsecondary Success, Student Engagement, High Quality Teachers, Maximum Access to High
	Quality Outcomes/Options, Articulation, Workforce and Economic Development
Bills	CTE: HB 1203 Pathways to Career Opportunities by Representative Mariano
	CTE: SB 1568 Education by Senator Hutson
	FCS: HB 187 Postsecondary Education for Secondary Students by Representative Zika
	FCS: SB 62 K-12 Education & SB 1246 Dual Enrollment by Senator Stargel
Highlights	CTE : Removing the stigma, recognizing the importance of career and technical (CTE) education options, and speeds up state approval for career pathways.
	FCS: Increasing access to high quality dual enrollment.
	FCS : Establishing a funding model that supports student, community and labor market needs.





KEY INVESTMENTS IN COLLEGE & CAREER

ISSUE	GOVERNOR	SENATE	HOUSE
College: Performance Funding	\$40M	\$30M	\$40M
College: Performance Based Incentives	\$14M	\$14M	\$14M
College: New Tier Based Funding Model	\$22.9M	\$30M	\$22.9M
College: Last Mile College Completion	\$1.5M	\$0	\$0
CTE: Performance Based Incentives	\$6.5M	\$6.5M	\$6.5M
CTE: Work Florida Student Success	\$5M	\$0	\$5M
CTE: Pathways to Career Opportunities	\$10M	\$10M	\$10M
CTE: Computer Science Certification	\$10M	\$10M	\$10M

	TEACHER COMPENSATION
1	Strategic Goals: Achievement, Growth, Close Achievement Gaps, Graduation, School Improvement, Student Engagement, High Quality Teachers, Successful School Leaders, Workforce and Economic Development
Bills	HB 5001 GAA & HB 5003 Implementing GAA by Appropriations Committee & Representative Cummings
	SB 1088 Teacher Salary Enhancement & SB 1400 Education by Senator Diaz
	SB 62 K-12 Education by Senator Stargel
	SB2500 Appropriations & SB 2502 Implementing GAA by Appropriations
	SB 486 Florida Best and Brightest Program by Senator Bradley
Highlights	Raising minimum teacher salary for every full- time teacher.
	Potentially reaching the #2 highest starting salary in the nation.
	Rewarding teachers and principals, with a focus on those serving in Title 1 schools.
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KEY INVESTMENTS IN TEACHERS & PRINCIPALS

ISSUE	GOVERNOR	SENATE	HOUSE
Minimum Salary	\$47,500	Goal of \$47,500	Average of \$47,000 Cap of \$50,000
Years to Achieve	1 Year	Multiple	1 Year
Total Allocation	\$602M	 \$500M \$400M – minimum \$100M – veterans & others 	 \$650M \$500M – minimum \$150M – veterans & others
How Funded	FEFP Categorical	FEFP Categorical – Teacher Salary Increase Allocation	FEFP Categorical – Salary Enhancement Supplement
Teacher Bonuses	\$290.7M	\$0 Suspends/Repeals Best & Brightest	\$0 Repeals Best & Brightest
Principal Bonuses	\$9.4M	\$0 Suspends/Repeal Best & Brightest	\$0 Repeals Best & Brightest
Base Student Allocation	\$50/weighted FTE+	\$40.17/weighted FTE+	\$50/weighted FTE+

SCHOOL SAFETY

Strategic Goals: Mental Health, Student Engagement, High Quality Teachers, Successful School Leaders, Maximum Access to High Quality Outcomes/Options

HB 7065 School Safety by Education Committee & Representative Massullo, Jr.
SB 7040 Implementation of the Recommendations of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Commission by Education Committee & Infrastructure and Security
House and Senate budgeted a total of \$100M for mental health (\$25M increase).
Strengthens school safety oversight, accountability and mental health efforts.
Improves safe school officer requirements to allow communities to select the best option that meets the needs of the school.





B.E.S.T. STANDARDS & ASSESSMENTS

Strategic Goals: Achievement, Growth, Close Achievement Gaps, Graduation, School Improvement, High Quality Teachers, Early Literacy, Postsecondary Success, Student Engagement, Maximum Access to High Quality Outcomes/Options, Workforce and Economic Development

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Highlights

Reducing the time students and teachers spend on state tests and getting results, increasing time for actual learning.

Replacing state tests with SAT or ACT – tests that are valued by parents and students.



Elevating civics and our nation's Constitution to provide needed foundation of knowledge that better prepares students as responsible citizens.



THANK YOU!