

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Consent Item
September 23, 2016

SUBJECT: Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-10.0342, Career and Technical Education Program Performance Reporting

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Section 1008.43, Florida Statutes

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This amendment will align the reporting requirements prescribed in section 1008.43, F.S., with the accountability section of Florida's State Plan for the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act (Perkins Act). The law requires the establishment of standards for completion rates, placement rates, and employment earnings for career education programs. In addition, the law requires that data be compiled to determine if school districts and colleges are meeting the established standards.

The State Board of Education is adopting updated performance standards and a process for the identification of low-performing career and technical education programs in accordance with requirements in section 1008.43, F.S. The rule requires that districts and colleges be notified of programs identified as low-performing through this process.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-10.0342, F.A.C.

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6A-10.0342 Career and Technical Education Program Performance Reporting.

(1) The Department will annually calculate and publish secondary and postsecondary program improvement targets for each of the performance measures for which career and technical education programs are to be accountable.

(2) No change.

(3) The completion rate for secondary programs shall be calculated as follows: The numerator shall be the number of senior career and technical education concentrators who attained a 1) standard high school diploma, 2) State of Florida High School Diploma or Adult High School diploma, or 3) proficiency credential, certificate or degree, in conjunction with a secondary school diploma. The denominator shall be the number of senior career and technical education concentrators who have left secondary education in the reporting year. The 2015-16 ~~2013-14~~ target and 2016-17 target shall be 95.68% ~~95.18%~~. ~~For 2014-15 and subsequent years the target shall be 95.68%.~~

(4) The placement rate for secondary programs shall be calculated as follows: The numerator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators from the prior year who completed secondary school and who were placed in postsecondary education, employment, or military service in the 2nd quarter (October-December) after leaving secondary education during the reporting year. The denominator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators from the prior year who completed secondary school. The 2015-16 ~~2013-14~~ target shall be 81.28% ~~80.28%~~. ~~The For 2016-17 2014-15 and subsequent years the target shall be 81.78%~~ ~~80.78%~~.

(5) The completion rate for postsecondary clock hour programs shall be calculated as follows: The numerator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators who received an industry-recognized credential or a certificate during the reporting year. The denominator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators who left postsecondary education during the reporting year. The 2015-16 ~~2013-14~~ target shall be 59.75% ~~58.75%~~. ~~The For 2016-17 2014-15 and subsequent years the target shall be 60.25%~~ ~~59.25%~~.

(6) The placement rate for postsecondary clock hour programs shall be calculated as follows: The numerator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators from the prior year who received a credential, degree or certificate who were placed in postsecondary education, employment or military service in the 2nd quarter (October-December) after leaving postsecondary education. The denominator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators from the prior year who received a credential, degree or certificate. The 2015-16

~~2013-14 target shall be 76.27% 76.43%. The For 2016-17 2014-15 and subsequent years the target shall be 76.77% 75.77%.~~

(7) The completion rate for postsecondary credit hour programs shall be calculated as follows: The numerator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators who received an industry-recognized credential, a certificate, or a degree during the reporting year. The denominator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators who left postsecondary education during the reporting year. The 2015-16 ~~2013-14~~ target and 2016-17 target shall be 49% ~~47.5%~~. ~~For 2014-15 and subsequent years the target shall be 49%.~~

(8) The placement rate for postsecondary credit hour programs shall be calculated as follows: The numerator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators from the prior year who received a credential, degree or certificate who were placed in postsecondary education, employment or military service in the 2nd quarter (October-December) after leaving postsecondary education. The denominator shall be the number of career and technical education concentrators from the prior year who received a credential, degree or certificate. The 2015-16 ~~2013-14~~ target shall be 86% ~~85.5%~~. ~~The For 2016-17 2014-15 and subsequent years the target shall be 86.50% 86%.~~

(9) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 1008.43 FS. Law Implemented 1008.43 FS. History—New 10-4-93, Amended 2-16-94, 10-25-11, 2-17-15.