

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Action Item
September 20, 2019

SUBJECT: Amendment to Rule 6A-1.099811, School Improvement State System of Support for Deficient and Failing Schools

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Section 1008.33, Florida Statutes

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

State Board of Education Rule 6A-1.099811, Florida Administrative Code, was revised and approved by the state board in July of 2018 to align with statutory changes. These changes are proposed in order to align the rule with the state's approved ESSA Plan:

- Deletes the term Differentiated Accountability (DA) from the rule and replaces it with School Improvement (SI);
- Eliminates the state designation of Target Support & Improvement (TS&I) and classifies all School Improvement schools as Comprehensive Support & Improvement (CS&I);
- Adds a form to assist school districts when the district seeks to replace a school principal during a turnaround plan;
- Adds language that External Operator contracts shall include conditions of payment based on performance indicators and the authority for a school district to terminate or non-renew the contract should the EO fail to meet the performance indicators or contractual obligations;
- Adds language setting forth the criteria to revoke an approved turnaround plan when the district fails to follow the approved turnaround plan, meet the requirements of the plan, and demonstrates an unlikelihood that the school will improve to a grade of at least a "C" during the course of the turnaround plan; and
- Revises incorporated forms used by school districts.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-1.099811, F.A.C.; Form SI-1, Checklist for Districts with Graded Comprehensive Support and Improvement Schools; Form SI-2, Checklist for Graded Comprehensive Support and Improvement Schools; Form PCV-1, Principal Change Verification; Form TOP-1, District-managed Turnaround Plan–Step 1; Form TOP-2, District-managed Turnaround Plan–Step 2; Form TOP-1, Turnaround Option Plan–Step 1, 3-Options; Form TOP-2, Turnaround Option Plan–Step 2, Reassignment/Closure; Form TOP-2, Turnaround Option Plan–Step 2, Charter; Form TOP-2, Turnaround Option Plan–Step 2, External Operator/Outside Entity; and Form SIP-1, Schoolwide Improvement Plan

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