

## **BUREAU OF EXCEPTIONAL EDUCATION AND STUDENT SERVICES**

**FEBRUARY 28, 2020** 

# **Weekly Memo**

## **Action Items**

#### **Notice of Proposed Rule**

The following rule revision is scheduled for the State Board of Education meeting on **April 1**, **2020**. To view the final proposed rule and submit comments, go to <a href="https://web02.fldoe.org/rules/">https://web02.fldoe.org/rules/</a>.

Rule 6A-1.0955, Florida Administrative Code, Education Records

#### Position Available in the Bureau of Exceptional Education and Student Services (BEESS)

The Student Support Services Project in BEESS is also seeking a school psychology consultant. The school psychology consultant will collaborate with consultants from other student services professions as part of the Student Support Services Project. The school psychology consultant is responsible for collaborating, communicating, disseminating information and providing leadership to school districts, other discretionary projects and the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) regarding effective school psychology practices and programs. The consultant will provide strong leadership in promoting the implementation and best professional practices in the delivery of school psychological services, and utilizing an integrated student support services model within an MTSS including team-based problem-solving and response-to-intervention practices. The application deadline is **March 1, 2020**. To view the school psychology consultant job description and applicant instructions, go to <a href="http://sss.usf.edu/contact/positions">http://sss.usf.edu/contact/positions</a> current/24412.html.

### Florida Civics and Debate Initiative (FCDI)

The FDOE has issued the following memorandum regarding FCDI. If your district is interested in participating, provide contact information by **March 31, 2020**, per the instructions in the memo. The memorandum may be viewed at <a href="https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8849/DPS-2020-24.pdf">https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8849/DPS-2020-24.pdf</a>.

### **Annual Certification and Documentation Regarding Instructional Materials**

The FDOE has issued the following memorandum regarding annual certification and documentation regarding instructional materials. Return the completed certification document by **April 1, 2020**, per the instructions in the memo. The memorandum may be viewed at <a href="https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8846/dps-2020-22.pdf">https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8846/dps-2020-22.pdf</a> (Memo) and <a href="https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8847/dps-2020-22a.pdf">https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8847/dps-2020-22a.pdf</a> (Attachment A).

#### Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind (FSDB) Expanded Core Curriculum Summer Academies

The FSDB will host Expanded Core Curriculum Summer Academies for eligible Florida students ages 9-16 who are deaf, hard of hearing, or blind or have visual impairments. These academies are at no cost to students and include boarding and transportation services. Students also will have opportunities to enjoy a variety of recreation and leisure activities and social experiences. Academy presenters and instructors are certified teachers with experience working with students who are deaf, hard of hearing, or blind or have visual impairments. The application deadline is **April 15, 2020**. Apply early, as space is limited. For more information and to apply, go to <a href="https://www.fsdbk12.org/summer-programs">https://www.fsdbk12.org/summer-programs</a>.

#### 2020 Talent Pool Recommendations

The FDOE has issued the following memorandum regarding the 2020 Talent Pool recommendations. Complete information must be sent by **April 17, 2020**, per the instructions in the memo. The memorandum may be viewed at <a href="https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8844/dps-2020-16.pdf">https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8844/dps-2020-16.pdf</a> (Memo) and <a href="https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8845/dps-2020-16a.pdf">https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8845/dps-2020-16a.pdf</a> (Attachment A).

# Informational Items

#### Florida Preparedness for COVID-19 (Coronavirus)

The FDOE has issued the following memorandum regarding Florida preparedness for COVID-19. The memorandum may be viewed at <a href="https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8848/dps-2020-36.pdf">https://info.fldoe.org/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-8848/dps-2020-36.pdf</a>.

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