

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Consent Item
January 18, 2023

SUBJECT: Approval of Amendment to Rule 6A-20.001, Definitions of Terms for State Student Aid Programs

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Sections 295.01(4), 1001.02(1), (2)(n), 1009.50(5), 1009.505(5), 1009.51(5), 1009.52(6), 1009.53(3), 1009.55(2), 1009.66(9), 1009.67(6), 1009.72(1), 1009.73(10), 1009.77(9), 1009.89(2), 1009.89(7), 1009.893(14), 1009.894(1), and 1009.95(7), Florida Statutes

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Conforming rule language to be consistent across all state student financial aid rules with regard to clock hours equivalence to credit hours. Amending the clock hour to credit hour conversion rate, and definitions of full-time, three-quarter-time, and half-time enrollment. Updates to this rule will provide clarification by centralizing previously undefined terms herein with definitions in regards to credit hour to clock hour conversion rates; full-time, three-quarter time, and half-time enrollment; clock-to-credit hour conversion rate; college-preparatory courses, remedial courses, and general education credits; undergraduate student; associate in applied science and arts degree; and baccalaureate degree.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-20.001, F.A.C.

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