



POLICY 8.022

4-S I recommend that the Board adopt the proposed repeal of Policy, entitled “Grade Placement for Students, Grades K-8, Who Enter School with Incomplete or Inadequate Records.”

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Repeal-Adoption

CONSENT ITEM

- The Board approved development of this repeal of Policy at the repeal-development reading on November 5, 2008.
- This Policy, last revised in 2001, is recommended for repeal, as it is no longer needed in view of a more-comprehensive Policy (8.01) on Promotion, Placement and Graduation.
- The Policy should be repealed under Fla. Stat. § 120.74, which requires agencies to "delete obsolete or unnecessary rules."

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GRADE PLACEMENT FOR STUDENTS, GRADES K-8, WHO ENTER SCHOOL WITH INCOMPLETE OR INADEQUATE RECORDS

1. ~~When a principal determines that there is insufficient evidence to determine grade placement or classification due to incomplete or inadequate records, any or all of the following shall be utilized for students in grades K-8:~~
 - a. ~~Student age;~~
 - b. ~~A review of all existing school records or credit transcripts;~~
 - c. ~~A review of the previous educational program including, but not limited to, time spent in program and curriculum requirements of the program.~~
 - d. ~~A test on grade level or individual subject area objectives, to be determined by the principal;~~
 - e. ~~Interview of the student by the principal or designee; or~~
 - f. ~~Student's grade placement shall be validated through satisfactory completion of academic work in the district within a forty-five (45) school-day grading period or equivalent marking period or passing appropriate examination(s) for each subject.~~
2. ~~The student who does not satisfactorily complete the forty-five (45) school day grading period specified in §1(f) shall be provided remedial assistance or placement in the appropriate grade level according to the district's pupil progression plan.~~
3. ~~The student's custodial parent/guardian may appeal the principal's decision to the superintendent/designee, within fourteen (14) calendar days of the principal's decision.~~

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Fla. Stat. §§ 230.22(2), 230.23(22), 230.23005(8)

LAWS IMPLEMENTED: Fla. Stat. §§ 230.23(6)(a), 230.23005(8), 232.245

HISTORY: 2/18/72; 2/23/72; 4/6/83; 9/19/84; 03/26/01 Repealed: __/__/2008

Legal Signoff:

The Legal Department has reviewed the proposed repeal of Policy 8.022 and finds it legally sufficient for adoption by the Board.

Attorney

Date