



Statewide Email

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TO: FCS Chief Academic Officers
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SUBJECT: Rule Workshop: Civic Literacy Competency

The Department of Education plans to initiate rule development for [Rule 6A-10.02413, Florida Administrative Code](#), Civic Literacy Competency.

To align with provisions established through [Senate Bill 1108](#), the proposed rule amendment will update the current rule to specify that both an assessment and a course are required to meet the civic literacy competency requirements. The Florida Civic Literacy Examination will be added as a low-cost option. Additionally, the amendment also specifies that high school students who take the U.S. Government course and pass the Florida Civic Literacy Examination will have met the postsecondary civic literacy assessment requirement.

We plan to hold a rule workshop on Monday, August 16, 2021, from 2:00-3:00 p.m. EDT via webinar. You may register for the workshop at <https://attendeegotowebinar.com/register/6822684471157198093>.

Visit our website for updated information regarding rule development: <https://web02.fldoe.org/Rules/Default.aspx>. Please contact Dr. Mike Sfiropoulos, Director of Academic Affairs, at mike.sfiropoulos@fldoe.org should you have questions regarding the proposed rule.

For reference, please see below for all the technical assistance thus far related to the 2021 legislative session.

| Technical Assistance Topic: | Recording/Registration Link |
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| 2021 Legislative Session Academic Affairs | Recordings available at https://www.gotostage.com/channel/160535c1bdb84db88c27a16d288cc212 |

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| - Student Affairs - Workforce Education - Finance/Business | |
| 6A-10.0240, Minimum Standards for Out-of-state High School Equivalency Diplomas | Recording available at https://www.gotostage.com/channel/160535c1bdb84db88c27a16d288cc212 |
| 6A-20.045, Open Door Grant Program | Recording available at https://www.gotostage.com/channel/160535c1bdb84db88c27a16d288cc212 |
| 6A-14.0303, General Education Core Course Options | A workshop will be held on 8/3/2021, at 1:00 p.m. Register for the workshop at: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5798680704157860877 |
| 6A-10.02413, Civic Literacy Competency | A workshop will be held on 8/16/2021, at 2:00 p.m. Register for the workshop at https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/6822684471157198093 |
| 6A-20.0282, Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program | A workshop will be held on 8/18/2021, at 2:00 p.m. Register for the workshop at: https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5680797665426646798 |

Thanks,

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