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Accountability Updates

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Current Accountability Tasks

- **Survey 2 for Accountability Review Process:**
Weekly files are provided during amendment window. Corrections to data should be made in the survey data. Survey 2 closes December 15th.
- **Graduation Rate Cohort Corrections:**
Web application that serves as final review and/or corrections of data to be used in the calculation of the graduation rate. Application closes December 18th.

School Grading Scales

School Grade	Scale Range (Elementary)	Scale Range (Middle, High, and Combination)
A	62%-100%	64%-100%
B	54%-61%	57%-63%
C	41%-53%	44%-56%
D	32%-40%	34%-43%
F	0%-31%	0%-33%

2023-24 Final School Grades Results

Grade	All Schools	Elementary Schools	Middle Schools	High Schools	Combination Schools
A	38%	36%	33%	39%	45%
B	27%	27%	25%	32%	23%
C	32%	33%	39%	27%	28%
D	3%	3%	3%	1%	4%
F	<1%	<1%	0%	<1%	1%
A & B	64%	63%	58%	72%	67%

Reminder: School Grades Escalator Clause

- Beginning with the 2023-24 school year, the State Board of Education must adjust the school grading scale if the percentage of schools earning a grade of “A” or “B” in the current year represents 75% or more of all graded schools within a particular school type.
 - The adjustment must reset the minimum required percentage of points for each grade of “A,” “B,” “C” or “D” at the next highest percentage ending in the numeral 5 or 0, whichever is closest to the current percentage.
 - If the clause is triggered, adjustments will be made by school type.

House Bill (HB) 1285 (2024)

- Beginning in the 2024-25 school year, any changes made by the State Board of Education to components in the school grades model or to the school grading scale shall go into effect, at the earliest, in the following school year.

Overall District Performance

- In 2023-24, district grades are as follows:
 - “A” – 33% (22 districts)
 - “B” – 39% (26 districts)
 - “C” – 28% (19 districts)
- District grading scale mirrored the grading scale for **combination schools**.

HB 1425 (2024)

- Removed the existing Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) accountability ratings system. (Rule 6A-1.099812, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), was repealed)
- Directed the Florida Department of Education to issue an alternative school improvement rating for prevention and day treatment prevention juvenile justice education programs, pursuant to s. 1008.341, Florida Statutes (F.S.).
- Eligible DJJ schools will be included in the school improvement rating calculations beginning with the 2024-25 school year. Rule 6A-1.099822, F.A.C., was amended to reflect this change.

Virtual Instruction Program (VIP) Providers

- Pursuant to s. 1002.45(7)(a)2., F.S., VIP provider district grades (provider-based) and school grades (contracted district-based) were first implemented in 2022-23.
- Supplemental data collection took place in April 2024 to gather the VIP provider number for each student in the 2022-23 graduation rate cohort enrolled in school 7001.
- Beginning in 2024-25, the VIP data element will be collected during Survey 5 on the Student End of Year Status format.

Florida Alternate Assessments

- Achievement levels approved at the November SBE meeting (Rule 6A-1.09430, F.A.C.).
- Will be used in accountability calculations to determine achievement and learning gains components.
- 2023-24 assessments will be retrofitted and used for determining learning gains.

Value-Added Models (VAM)

- As was the case in 2023-24, **two** three-year aggregate VAM ratings will be available in 2024-25:
 - Three years of data over a four-year span
 - **2021-22, 2023-24 and 2024-25**
 - Two years of data over a three-year span
 - **2023-24 and 2024-25**
- The higher of these two ratings will be used in final VAM classifications.

VAM Reminders

- VAM data are provided to districts no later than July 31 annually to ensure adequate time to incorporate the results into personnel evaluations, if required by the district, and to inform school improvement plans.
 - Provided in Excel format via ShareFile.
- The Data Visualization Tool is updated with VAM results later in the fall.

Data Visualization Tool

- New student profiles feature introduced in September.
 - Feature includes student performance projections based on historical assessment results.
- New user roles available for teacher users.
 - Allows districts greater flexibility in what information teacher users have access to within the tool.
 - More information available in the resources section of the tool.
- For information on scheduling trainings, please contact the Bureau of School Improvement at BSI@fldoe.org.



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