

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

March 25, 2020

SUBJECT: Public Notice to Approve Amendment to Board of Governors Regulation 6.008 Postsecondary College-level Preparatory Testing, Placement, and Instruction for State Universities

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Consider approval of amendment of Board of Governors Regulation 6.008 Postsecondary College-level Preparatory Testing, Placement, and Instruction for State Universities.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Board Regulation 6.008 Postsecondary College-level Preparatory Testing, Placement, and Instruction for State Universities has been amended to reflect placement test changes and to align with standards outlined in the Florida State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.03515, Common Placement Testing, and Instruction. Doing so provides for consistent treatment of students across the state. The amendment also eliminates references to discontinued College Board SAT examinations.

The College Board's Classic ACCUPLACER examination will no longer be available after January 2020. The Florida Department of Education recommended interim scores for the new Next-Generation ACCUPLACER, which were then approved by the State Board. It may be summer 2020 before there will be enough testing by Florida students to recommend final placement cut-scores.

The Intent to Amend was reviewed by appropriate offices at all universities and the Board of Governors approved the Public Notice of Intent to Amend at its January 30, 2020 meeting. Following that approval, no public comments were received and the regulation as amended is ready for final approval.

Supporting Documentation Included:	Amended Regulation 6.008 Postsecondary College-level Preparatory Testing, Placement, and Instruction for State Universities
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