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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** District School Superintendents

**FROM:** Pam Stewart

**DATE:** May 3, 2013

**SUBJECT: Report on Developing Effective Educational Programs in Department of Juvenile Justice and Other Dropout Prevention Programs, 2011–2012**

We are pleased to provide you with the enclosed report on Developing Effective Educational Programs in the Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) and Other Dropout Prevention Programs for 2011–2012. The report has been completed in accordance with section 1003.52, Florida Statutes (F.S.), which states that the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) and DJJ shall annually report the progress toward developing effective educational programs in juvenile justice facilities.

Additionally, section 1003.53, F.S., states that an annual report will document the extent to which each of the district's dropout prevention and academic intervention programs has been successful in the areas of district's graduation rate, dropout rate, attendance rate and retention/promotion rate.

The report provides an update on the service and student outcomes of juvenile justice education and dropout prevention programs throughout the state.

If you need additional information regarding DJJ programs, please contact Sue Summers or Lisa Robinson via email at [Sue.Summers@fldoe.org](mailto:Sue.Summers@fldoe.org) or [Lisa.Robinson@fldoe.org](mailto:Lisa.Robinson@fldoe.org) or at 850-245-0475.

If you need additional information regarding dropout prevention programs, please contact Katrice Green at 850-245-0847 or via email at [Katrice.Green@fldoe.org](mailto:Katrice.Green@fldoe.org).

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Thank you for your efforts in providing high-quality educational services for youth in juvenile justice and dropout prevention programs.

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