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MEMORANDUM

TO: District School Superintendents

FROM: Pam Stewart

DATE: August 31, 2012

SUBJECT: Postsecondary Preparatory Instructional Placement for 2012-2013

The following information is provided to guide instructional placement for students who have not demonstrated college readiness as described under section 1008.22(3) (c), F.S. The five courses referenced below are academic credit courses, and as such, all must satisfy the class size requirements. Given the alignment of course content to the Postsecondary Readiness Competencies, the rigor of the "Success" courses has increased; therefore, these courses may now be awarded academic credit.

English 4: College Prep (1001405) Reading for College Success (1008350) Writing for College Success (1009370)

Mathematics for College Readiness (1200700) Mathematics for College Success (1200410)

Attached you will find copies of the revised course descriptions for 2012-2013. As previously stated, these courses are aligned to the Postsecondary Readiness Competencies; they are also fully aligned to the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics. These courses are also available on Florida's standards database (CPALMS) at www.floridastandards.org.

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If you have any questions, please contact Sandra Dilger at (850) 245-0824 or via email at Sandra.Dilger@fldoe.org.

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