



SCHOOL BOARD OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA  
**School Board Policy Executive Summary**  
 Form D

<b>Policy Number:</b>	2605
<b>Title of Policy:</b>	Research and Evaluation
<b>Cabinet Member:</b>	K. Jane Cline, Asst. Superintendent
<b>Purpose of Revisions:</b>	The purpose of the proposed revisions to the policy is to ensure compliance with all applicable federal and state laws, Florida State Board of Education Rules, Board policies, administrative rules, procedures, and guidelines. In addition, the proposed revisions promote transparency and accountability.
<b>Tentative Schedule:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cabinet –</li> <li>• Rule Development Workshop –</li> <li>• School Board Meeting Information –</li> <li>• School Board Meeting Approval –</li> <li>• Effective Date – upon approval</li> </ul>
<b>Summary of Proposed Policy Revisions:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This policy is being revised to clarify the procedures for Research and Evaluation of the results produced from educational resources and maintain a systematic accountability plan for all schools and other changes in compliance with applicable Florida law.</li> <li>• These proposed revisions do encompass the suggested language from NEOLA.</li> </ul>
<b>Specific Authority:</b>	<i>F.S. 1008.34; F.S. 1008.345; F.S. 1014.05</i>
<b>Next Steps:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Revisions to internal procedures</li> <li>• Training for BPS employees regarding revisions to policy and revised procedures</li> </ul>

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The Superintendent shall maintain a schedule of assessment activities and program evaluations and shall make periodic evaluation reports to the Board. Findings of the assessment program will be used to evaluate:

- A. the progress of students,
- B. the effectiveness of the curriculum; and
- C. the effectiveness of the school/delivery system.

The Superintendent shall maintain a systematic accountability plan for all schools. The plan shall annually evaluate each school on performance indicators. These indicators shall include student performance outcomes and other areas designed by the Superintendent.

The Superintendent shall recommend improvements in the educational program annually, based on District evaluation of data.

- A. The Board may employ experts from outside the School District to serve in the evaluation process.

- B. The Board will annually make available to the public reports of student achievement.

The Superintendent shall develop and update as needed administrative procedures to implement this policy.

The Superintendent shall also develop systematic and specific administrative procedures for conducting research and program evaluations. The design of these studies will include:

- A. Clear statements of expectations and purposes for each program coupled with specifications of how their successful achievement will be determined.
- B. Provisions for staff, resources, and support necessary to achieve each program's purposes.
- C. Evaluation of each program to assess the extent to which each program's purposes and objectives are being achieved.
- D. Recommendations for revisions and modifications needed to better fulfill expectations and purposes.

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### REVISED POLICY - VOL. 22, NO. 1

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Clear statements of expectations and purposes for each program coupled with specifications of how their successful achievement will be determined.

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Evaluation of each program to assess the extent to which each program's purposes and objectives are being achieved.

Recommendations for revisions and modifications needed to better fulfill expectations and purposes.

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progress of students and:

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