

**SUMMARY FOR DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO RULES GOVERNING
STUDENT SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING**

Amendments to these Rules are necessary to incorporate changes from Acts 936 and 1044 of 2017, Act 243 of 2018, and Acts 532 and 1083 of 2019.

- Unnecessary definitions removed.
- Sec. 5.00, English Language Learner (ELL), Special Needs Funding, updated to include current state and federal legal requirements.
- References to National School Lunch (NSL) funding changed to Enhanced Student Achievement (ESA) Funding pursuant to Act 1083 of 2019.
- Allowable expenditures for ESA funding revised pursuant to Act 532 of 2019.
- Sec. 6.14 regarding the ESA Matching Grant Program added pursuant to Act 243 of 2018.
- References to ACSIP removed or revised. References to Department replaced with Division.