

**Region 3 Winter Institute Questions/Follow-up Requests**  
**Senate Bill 4 and Graduation Requirements**

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1. Please send the *Counseling for Future Education* link.  
[http://facts23.facts.org/florida/facts/Home\\_Page/Counselors and Educators/Advising Manuals/Counseling for Future Education Handbook!/ut/p/c5/04\\_SB8K8xLLM9MSSzPy8xBz9CP0os3iDEEtPfx9TQwN3Sz8DA093C38\\_M19\\_A393E\\_1wkA6gChzA0QAqDzPBIsDFEGiCu4eXgbezoaexmb6fR35uqn5Bdnaao6OIlgDDNWST/](http://facts23.facts.org/florida/facts/Home_Page/Counselors_and_Educators/Advising_Manuals/Counseling_for_Future_Education_Handbook!/ut/p/c5/04_SB8K8xLLM9MSSzPy8xBz9CP0os3iDEEtPfx9TQwN3Sz8DA093C38_M19_A393E_1wkA6gChzA0QAqDzPBIsDFEGiCu4eXgbezoaexmb6fR35uqn5Bdnaao6OIlgDDNWST/)  
NOTE: The section on "Postsecondary Counseling for Students with Disabilities" begins on page 33 of the hard copy, 36 of the pdf.
2. Please send the one-page document that explains how to count acceleration into school grades.  
<http://schoolgrades.fldoe.org/pdf/0910/Guidesheet2010SchoolGrades.pdf>  
Additional information on school grades can be accessed via the following link:  
<http://schoolgrades.fldoe.org/>
3. Do students have to go off-campus to take coursework in pursuing the Performance-Based Exit Option?  
No.
4. Please post the Region 2 Questions and Answers document on the Project 10 website.  
Senate Bill 4 Question & Answer Summary  
<http://www.project10.info/files/SB4GradReq020311.doc>  
From the Region 2 Fall Institute on November 9, 2010
5. Slide 45 indicates that cohorts will start with kindergarten group now. It used to be 1<sup>st</sup> grade? Is this correct?  
According to the Dropout Prevention Office, it is and has always been kindergarten cohort.
6. Statewide, how many students who exit prior to age 22 with a special diploma reenroll and receive a GED? Can you get it from FETPIP?  
This data is not available and cannot be accessed.
7. What Career and Technical Centers currently have good policies for serving students with disabilities?  
Each technical center has a specialist that will work with students with disabilities to ensure success in their chosen field of study. We recommend that students advocate for themselves to get the services they require.

8. If a student takes standard diploma courses and enters those courses at the access points, and has the EOC exam waived, does the student receive a standard diploma? (even students with more significant disabilities)

Students who participate in the basic (standard) courses should NOT be using the access points. The access courses are where the access points should be taught. The basic courses are where the general content standards are taught.