BEESS Portal Professional Development Alternatives

The Florida Department of Education, Bureau of Exceptional Education and Student Services, offers a variety of online courses for Florida educators to increase their ability to respond to the needs of students with disabilities.

Go to fl-pda.org to view course descriptions and to register for courses.

Facilitated Courses To register, follow the directions on the left side of the site.	
60 inservice credits	 Assessment & Evaluation Components of Secondary Transition Foundations of Exceptional Student Education Instructional Practices PBS: Understanding Student Behavior Differentiating Reading Instruction
40 inservice credits	Exploring Structured Literacy
30 inservice credits	 Differentiating Mathematics Instruction Differentiating Science Instruction
20 inservice credits	 Engaging Learners through Informative Assessment Introduction to Assistive Technology Introduction to Differentiating Instruction Technology for the Diverse Classroom Technology to Support Reading Comprehension
5 inservice credits	Matrix of Services Surrogate Parent

Facilitated Endorsement Courses

To register, follow the directions at the bottom of the site.

Gifted Endorsement Courses – 5 courses @ 60 inservice credits per course

Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) Endorsement – 3 courses @ 80 inservice credits per course (includes field experience)

Independent Study Courses

To register, follow the directions on the right side of the site.

There are over thirty independent study courses available on a variety of topics, ranging from non-credit to 20 inservice credits.

- Behavior
- · Graduation/Secondary Transition
- Language
- MTSS

- Prekindergarten
- Reading/Math
- · Student Services
- · Teaching Students with Disabilities





