



Florida Diagnostic & Learning
RESOURCES SYSTEM

ANNUAL REPORT 2022-2023

FDLRS EAST PROUDLY SERVES EDUCATORS, ADMINISTRATORS, AGENCIES, SUPPORT PERSONNEL, AND FAMILIES OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES IN **BREVARD AND VOLUSIA COUNTIES**.

Section 1006.03, Florida Statutes (F.S.) – Diagnostic and Learning Resource Centers

The **MISSION** of the Florida Diagnostic and Learning Resources System (FDLRS) is to support and enhance exceptional student education programs by providing evidence-based, high-quality professional learning opportunities; integrating assistive and instructional technology; promoting family engagement; and ensuring access to early intervention services.

FDLRS EAST RESULTS, July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023



PROFESSIONAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

Provided **5,281** participants with **252** quality, research-based professional learning opportunities utilizing a variety of delivery models including workshops, summer institutes, consultation/ mentoring and virtual learning.

FDLRS EAST PROVIDED 93 OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE DELIVERY

in the areas of developmental screenings, coaching, consultation/ mentoring, dissemination of information and support to parents, families, teachers, and administrators.

TOPIC	TOTAL OFFERINGS	TOTAL PARTICIPANTS
Behavior Support	13	202
Curriculum and Instructional Practices	62	955
Education Policies, Procedures, and Practices	56	2,257
Family, Caregiver, and Community Support	18	261
Technology	73	1,606
TOTAL	222	5,281

Source: BEESS Project Tracking System 2023

BEESS Portal to Professional Development Alternatives

FDLRS PROFESSIONAL LEARNING ALTERNATIVES (PDA) RESULTS July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023

FDLRS PDA courses are online courses provided through the BEESS Portal to Professional Development Alternatives (fl-pda.org) that are comprehensive, high quality, and accessible to all Florida educators. PDA courses are designed to respond to the needs of all students. FDLRS collaborates with the Florida Department of Education, Bureau of Exceptional Education and Student Services (BEESS), to update content, facilitate PDA courses, and communicate with districts to apply in-service credits for educators.

FDLRS EAST OFFERED 16 PDA COURSES TO 155 PARTICIPANTS IN 2022-2023.

Source: BEESS Project Tracking System

CHILD FIND

FDLRS Child Find Specialist, in coordination with school districts, locates young children who are potentially eligible for services under the Individual with Disabilities Act (IDEA). FDLRS Child Find provides diagnostic screening, placement coordination, training, and support to parents of young children who have or are at risk of developing disabilities.

- ⇒ **REFERRALS – 2,638**
For children birth-5 yrs. with established conditions or those suspected of having delays that may require ESE services
- ⇒ **SCREENINGS – 1,686**
Developmental Screenings conducted based on data
- ⇒ **EVALUATIONS – 1,587**
Children referred to ESE to determine eligibility for IDEA Part B Services
- ⇒ **ELIGIBLE – 1,469**
For Pre-K ESE Program

July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023
Source: Children's Registry and Information System (CHRIS) 2023

HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT (HRD)

FDLRS HRD Specialist provide a vast array of instructional, behavioral, and compliance professional learning opportunities in addition to technical assistance for educators working with students with disabilities or exceptionalities.

Professional Learning events are aligned to Florida's Professional Development System Evaluation Protocol. FDLRS HRD Specialists support educators in their study of effective learning and teaching practices by provided needs assessments, multi-faceted workshops, facilitation of local learning communities, implementation and coaching sessions, and follow-up support. The professional learning activities are offered in face-to-face and virtual settings. They feature a variety of training levels including awareness, in-depth, skill development and implementation.

PARENT & FAMILY SERVICES

FDLRS Parent & Family Services Specialist provide information, training, and support to districts and families to promote effective parent participation in the education of children with disabilities or exceptionalities.

Parent services include assistance in the development of family-friendly programs, training, and support for services for children with disabilities and the support of partnerships between schools and parents to enhance student achievement.

FDLRS 4 FUNCTIONS

TECHNOLOGY

FDLRS Technology Specialist provide assistance and support in the appropriate use of a variety of technologies for students, teachers, professional staff, and parents.

Support services are available in the areas of assistive technology, instructional technology, Universal Design for Learning (UDL), Accessible Instructional Material (AIM)/National Instructional Materials Accessibility Standard (NIMAS) Florida services, and virtual/online instruction. The Technology Specialists at the local FDLRS Associate Centers also collaborate with the Technology & Learning Connections (TLC) Team, Regional Technology Coordinators, and district-based Local Assistive Technology Specialists (LATS).



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