

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
Update
January 21, 2014

SUBJECT: Digital Learning

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

N/A

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

An update will be provided on the digital learning long and short term goals and the support currently being organized by the department for the districts and schools. An updated Gantt chart of the digital learning plan will also be presented.

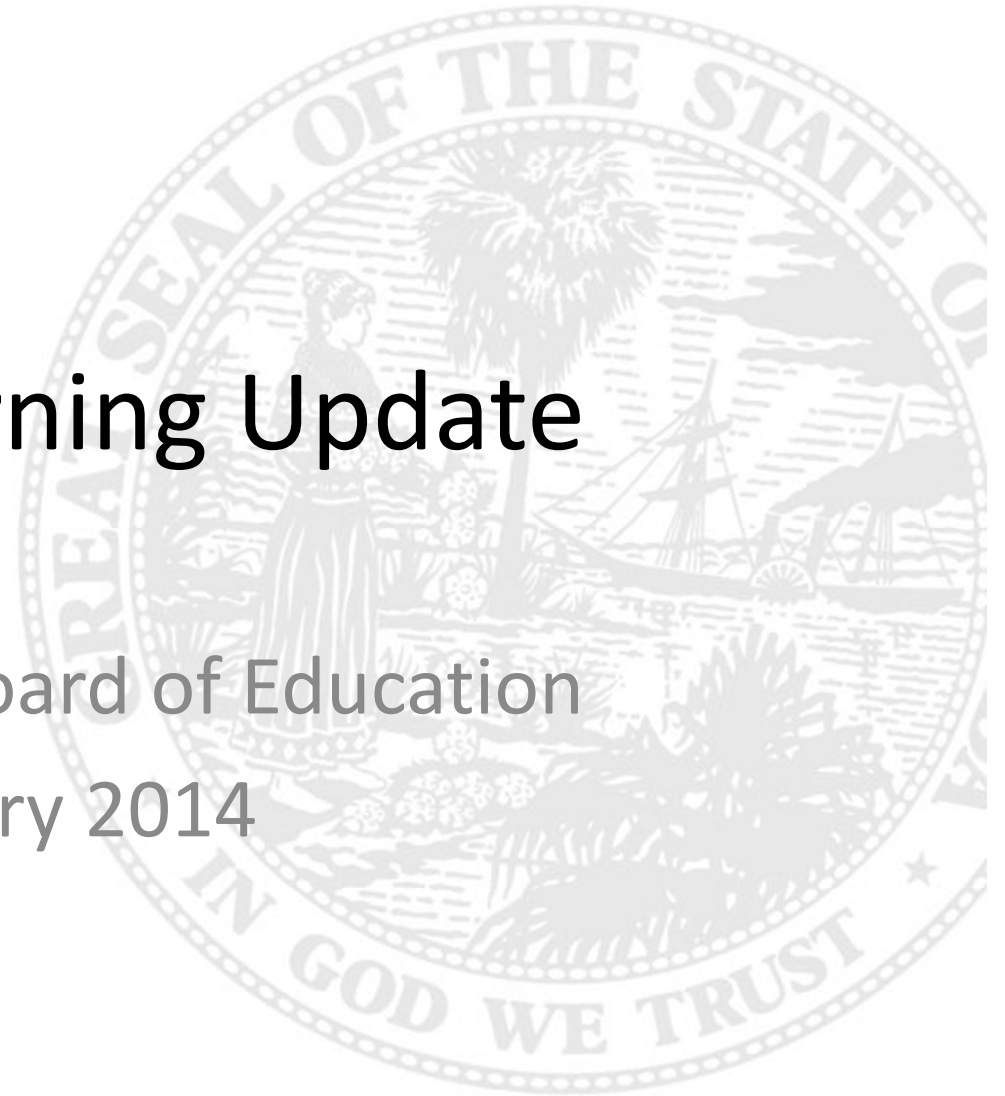
Supporting Documentation Included: Digital Learning Update Presentation

Facilitator/Presenter: Ron Nieto, Deputy Commissioner of Technology and Innovation

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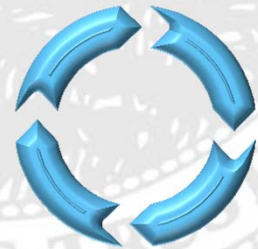
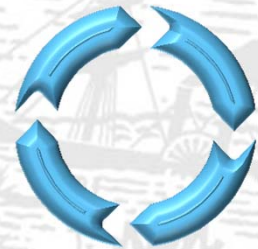
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January Focus: Support

- **Establish** Digital Learning Advisory Committee
- **Collect Feedback** from Schools, Districts, Consortia and Education Groups
- **Assist** districts in achieving all aspects of their Digital Learning Goals (Grant applications)



Digital Learning Advisory Committee

Small

1. Hamilton
2. Okeechobee
3. Walton

Medium

4. Bay
5. Escambia
6. Osceola
7. Santa Rosa

Large

8. Broward
9. Pasco
10. Seminole
11. Volusia

Digital Learning Advisory Committee

Purpose: Technology and curriculum experts from Florida schools and districts will provide input to the Department on all aspects of digital learning. The dialogue and feedback provided by this group will be used to improve the quality and efficiency of the digital learning program.

Digital Learning Advisory Committee

- Committee will meet bi-monthly via conference call or WebEx
- Members will serve for one school year
- Sample agenda topics include, TRI revisions, E-Rate, grant applications, digital learning guide and district technology plans

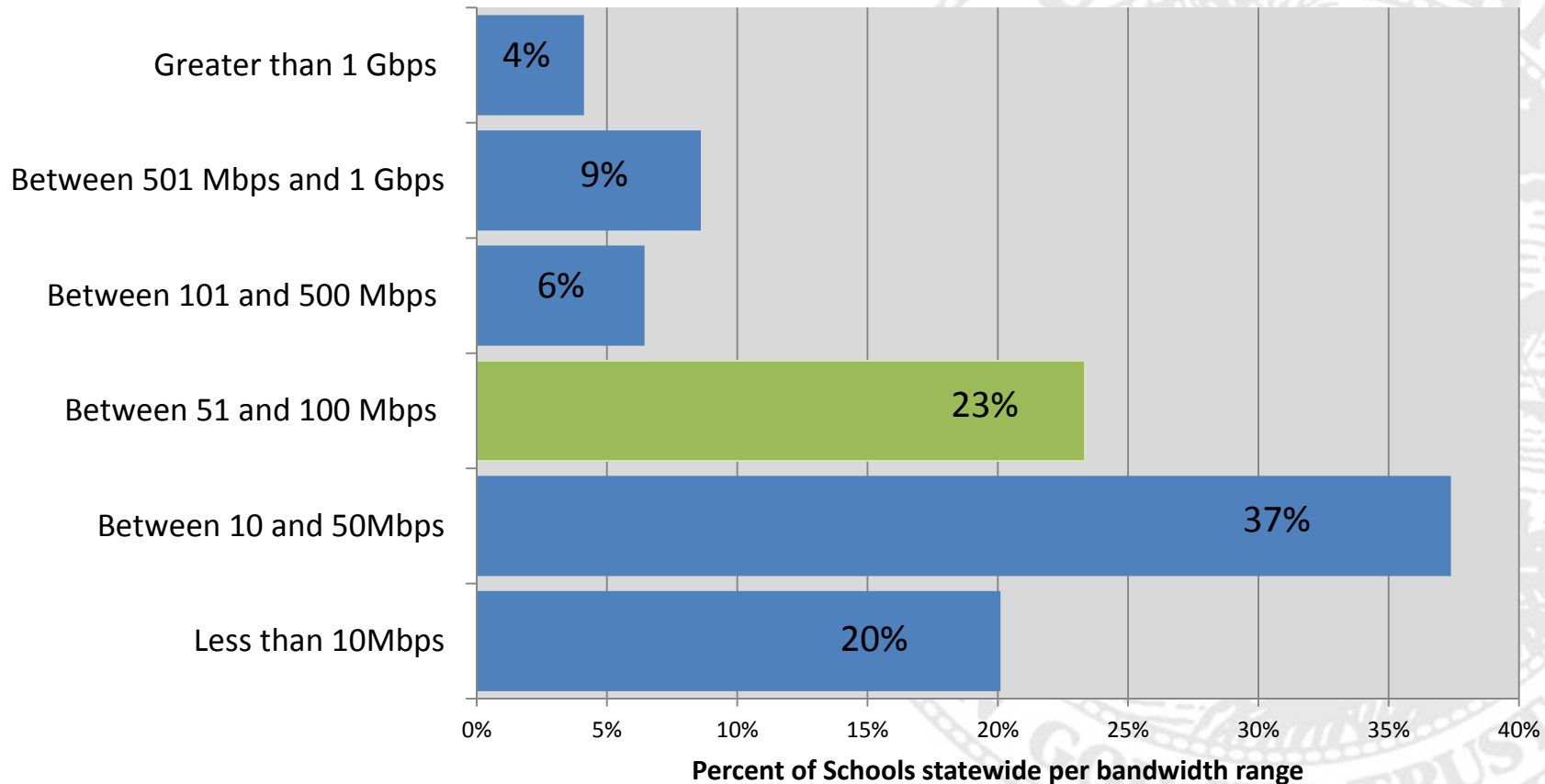
Grant Application Assistance

- Bandwidth Grant \$11M (SB1500)
 - 18 district applications approved (486 Schools, \$263,273 distributed)
 - 5 district applications in process (242 schools)
 - 30 Districts contacted and have begun local drafting
 - Remainder of districts have been contacted
- Rural Wireless Grant \$6M (SB1500)
 - 22 district applications approved (\$1,509,437 distributed)
 - 4 district applications in process

Report on both grants will be finalized by January 31, 2014

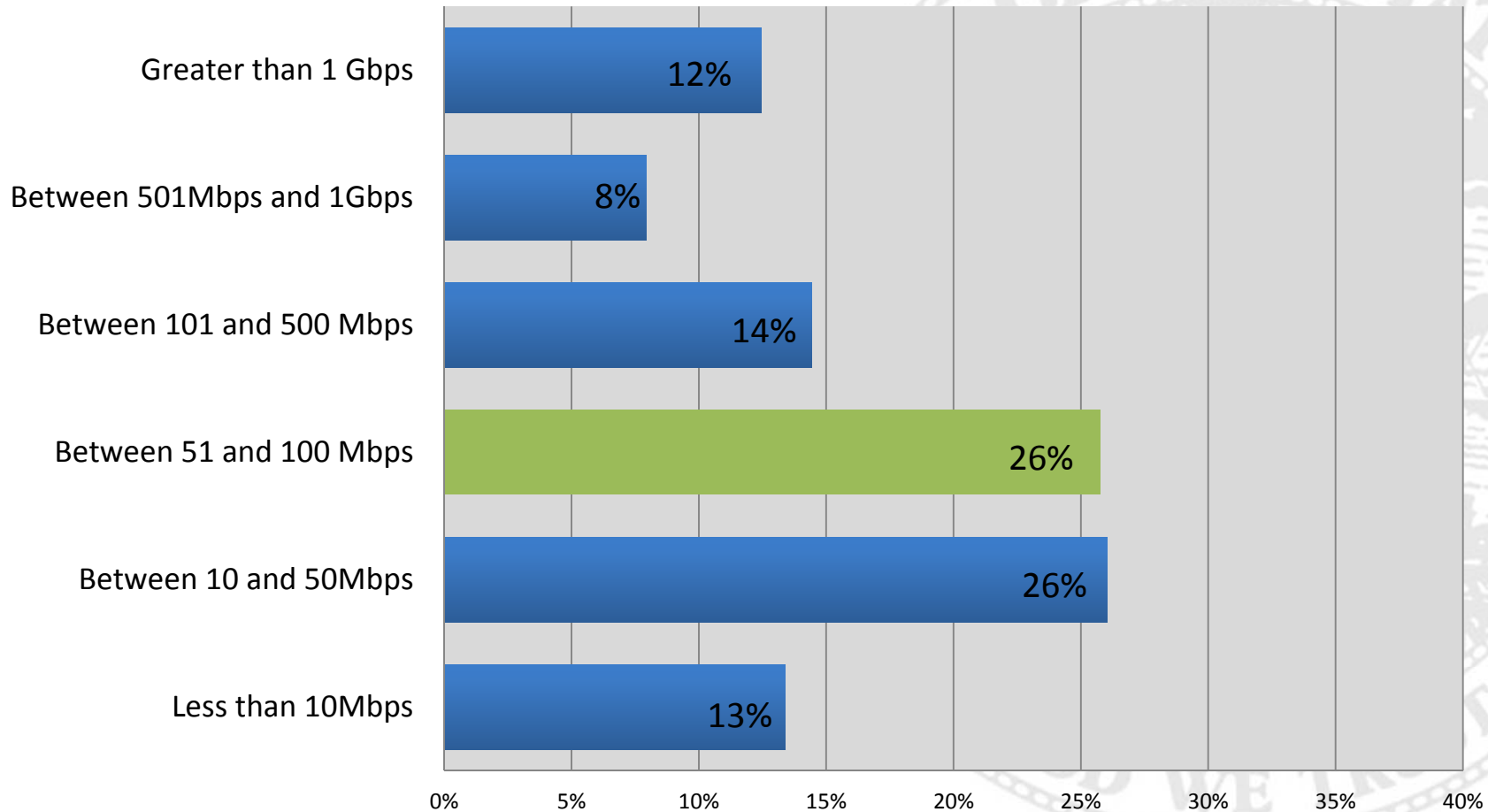
2012 Bandwidth Range Status

(Statewide percent of schools by bandwidth range)



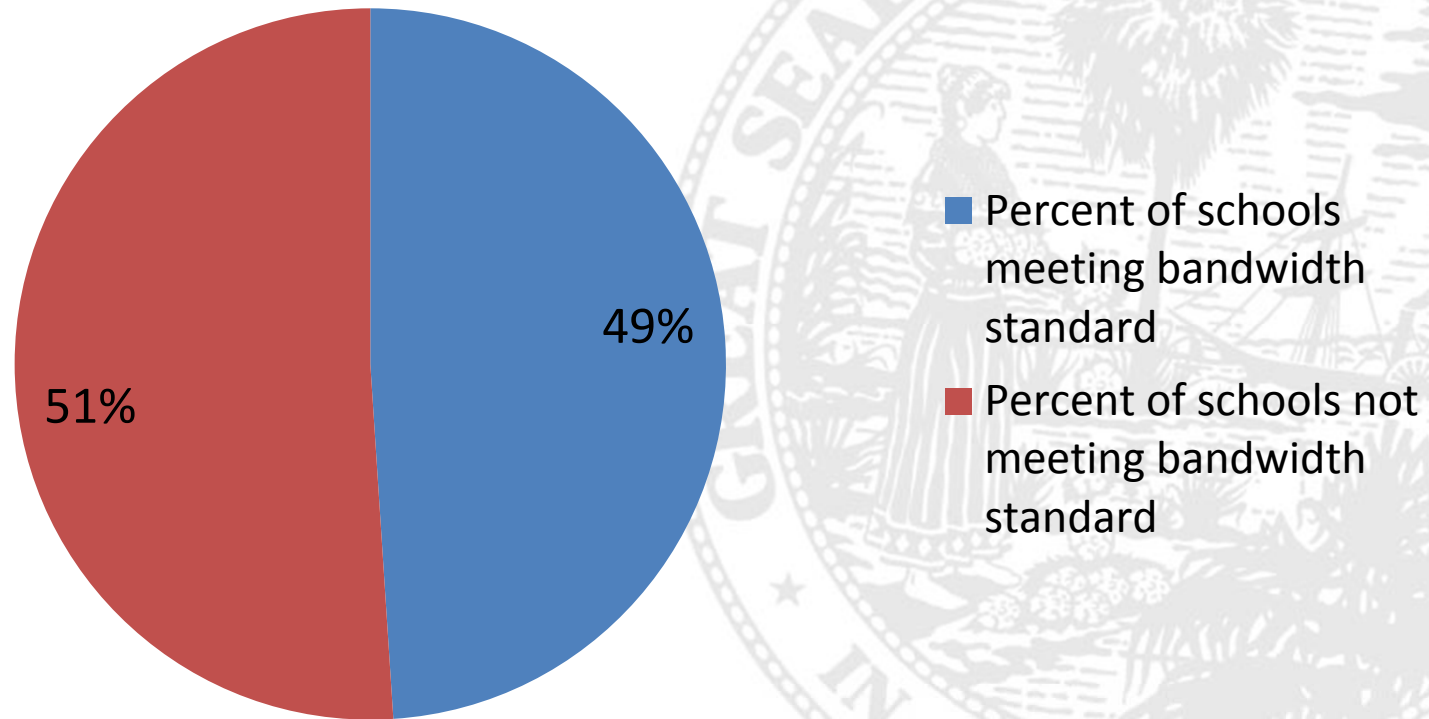
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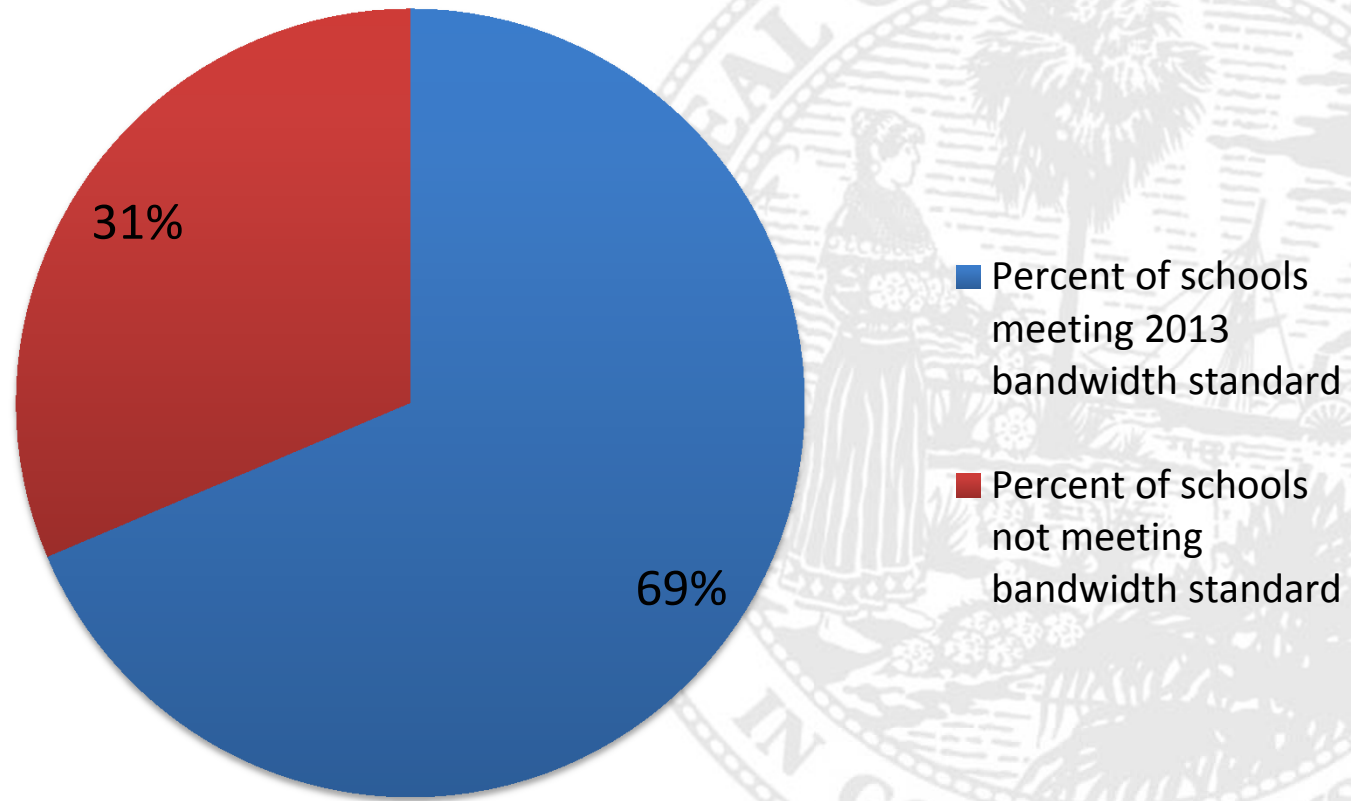
2012 Bandwidth Standard

(Schools reporting 100Mbps or higher bandwidth per 1,000 students)



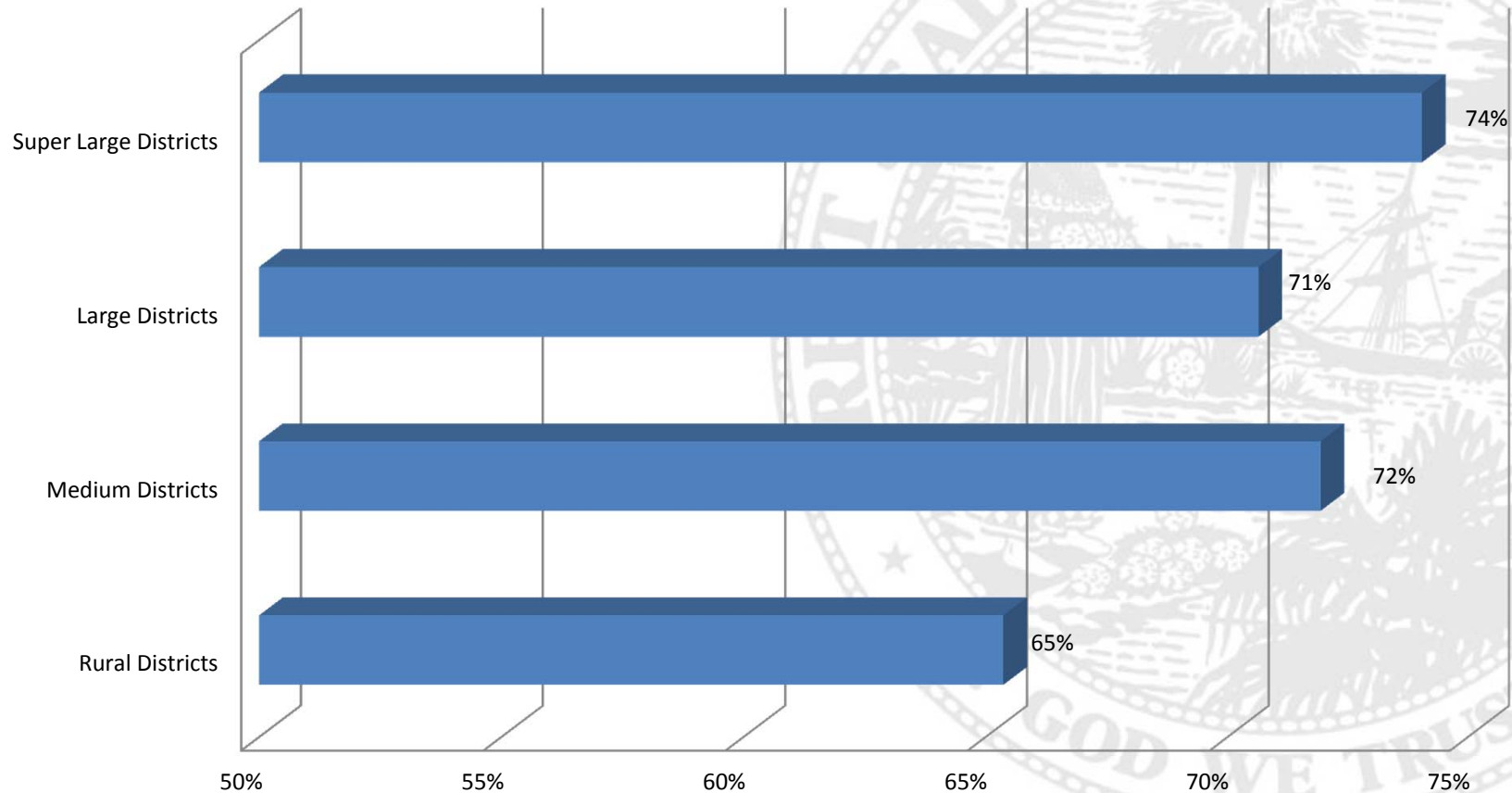
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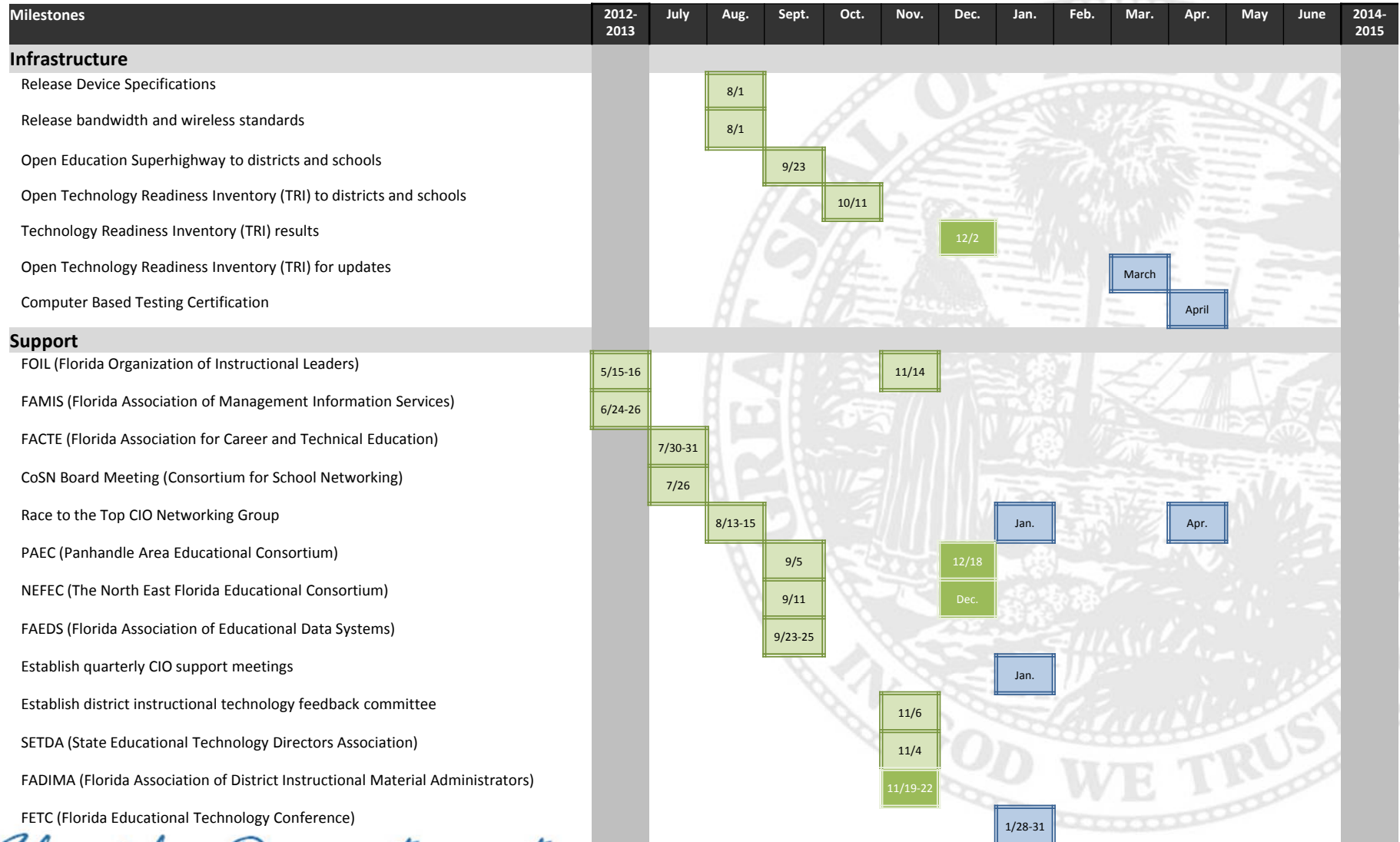


2013 Percent of Wireless Classrooms

Average % of wireless classrooms by district size



Digital Learning Plan



Digital Learning Plan (continued)

Milestones	2012-2013	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	2014-2015
Policy & Administration														
Final year 3 LIIS survey completed by districts							Dec.							
Provide examples of acceptable use policies for district use										Mar.				
Provide examples of BYOD policies for district use										Mar.				
Review of LIIS standards complete													June	
Finance														
Instructional Materials funding plan request sent to districts			8/5											
Issue \$11M District Bandwidth Grant				9/20										
Issue \$6M Rural District Wireless Grant				9/20										
Bandwidth and Rural Wireless Grant report submitted to legislature								1/31						
Instructional Materials funding plan report submitted by DOE to legislature										3/1				
Request \$40M LBR for district grants														2014-2015
Digital Content & Resources														
Participate in multistate convening on repository of K-12 course choice programs			8/4-6											
Florida Digital Instructional Materials Work Group report published (HB 5201, 2012)			Aug.											
Provide matrix with examples of learning models in districts										Mar.				
Devices														
Research bundled device package contracts for districts							Dec.							
Publish bundled device package contracts for districts												Apr.		