

## **District School Board of Pasco County**

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## <u>M E M O R A N D U M</u>

TO: Honorable School Board Members

- **FROM:** Kendra Goodman, CPPB, Purchasing Agent
- **SUBJECT:** Statement of Work: CORE Education & Consulting Services (formerly The Princeton Review), Student Progress Monitoring Tool

On September 5, 2006, official action was taken to approve a contract and resulting Statement of Work (SOW) with The Princeton Review, now CORE Education & Consulting Services (CORE). The contract for a student progress monitoring tool was a result of Invitation to Negotiate 06-091-AZ. CORE provides online formative benchmark assessments to monitor student achievement through its proprietary system. Subsequent SOWs were Board-approved, with the third-year SOW (attached) due to expire on July 31, 2009.

A SOW covering the term August 1, 2009 – July 31, 2010 is attached for your review. Please refer to the attached memo from Dr. Peggy Jones, Director of Research & Evaluation Services for detailed information regarding the deliverables to the District encompassed by this SOW. The cost of the program, \$176,250, will be paid with Title II funds

We request Board approval of the SOW and request permission to place a purchase order to CORE so that they may begin work immediately on the outlined deliverables. Please feel free to contact Dr. Jones or me at your earliest convenience if you have any questions or concerns.

KDG/az Attachments