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Excellent!!!

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MLB just stuck her head in. We are going to focus on Elementary only, and they could always expand to secondary. And I mentioned the requirement of a plan from districts, and she agrees! ☺

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Thanks for sending this!!! I meant to mention (actually I dreamed about it last night which is scary). Was there talk about including the Comprehensive Reading Plan in the rule language?

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FYI~

Jay Greene's most recent "preliminary" research on Florida's 3rd grade reading policy: http://excelined.org/Docs/EIA2011_Session_8.pdf. Looks pretty good! Students retained outperform those not retained as they progress through the grades.

Hope all is well!

Sincerely,
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