March 18, 2016

MEMORANDUM

TO: City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM: Thomas R. Bice
       State Superintendent of Education

RE: Review and Revision of the Arts Education and Languages Other Than English—Foreign Languages Curricula

The Arts Education and Languages Other Than English—Foreign Languages State Courses of Study Committee is requesting written input from interested educators and members of the public regarding the revision of the arts education and foreign languages curricula for public schools in Alabama. Please notify staff and parents in your schools of this opportunity to express opinions, concerns, and suggestions about the state curricula in these areas.

During the early phases of the review and revision of academic content standards, the committee would like to receive written comments concerning the K-12 arts education and foreign languages programs. Comments should be received by April 26, 2016. They may be sent by mail, fax, or e-mail to:

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I appreciate your cooperation in sharing this information with staff and parents in your school system and look forward to receiving your suggestions.

TRB:MM:AH

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