



2017-2018 FREA Legislative Priorities

1. Support legislation designed to provide adequate and equitable funding for every student.
2. Protect the Florida Retirement System (FRS) Trust Fund, especially
 - a. from attempts to divert FRS funds from the purpose prescribed by the Florida Constitution and Statutes
 - b. for management of FRS Trust Fund for the security and profitability of its investments
 - c. for legislation to fully fund the Florida Retirement System
3. Work to maintain the Defined Benefit Retirement Plan (pension) as the default option for all new hires.
4. Maintain the Florida Retirement System Health Insurance Subsidy (HIS) Trust Fund and work to acquire additional increments to maintain parity with the increasing cost of health insurance.
5. Advocate for an annual 3 percent Cost Of Living Adjustment (COLA) for all members of the FRS.
6. Support all legislative efforts to make affordable, quality health care and the ability to plan for long term financial security available for all Americans.