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Study Update

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Today's Presentation

- Study Update
- College and Career Readiness
- Comparison of Prior Costing Study Recommendations and the State Funding Matrix
- Review of Adequacy Studies

Study Update: District Survey

- District Survey
 - Sent survey to all districts in mid-July, with the survey closing July 31
 - Sent a reminder to all districts on July 24
 - Received responses from over 200 districts
- BLR staff distributed the survey and sent out reminder
- AAEA helped identify administrators to review the survey and sent a reminder

Study Update: Stakeholder Engagement

- School start dates have been pushed back in a number of districts across the state
- With this in mind, the study team will:
 - Send out a stakeholder survey around August 31
 - Targeting educators, parents, business leaders, and others
 - Hold virtual educator panels across five regions beginning after labor day

Study Update: Next Presentation

- Study team staff will present on several areas at the next meeting, including:
 - 3.0.A.2 - Concentrations of Poverty
 - 3.0.A.3 - Identification of Gaps and Programs to Address
 - 3.0.A.4 - Correlation between Performance and Funding
 - 3.0.C.13 - Funding for Concentrations of Poverty
 - 3.0.B.7 - Class Size Requirements, Student/Teacher Ratios, and Teacher Salaries



Questions?