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Brief Description: Relating to an education master plan.

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Finds that research suggests that creating a more integrated, seamless education system involves a host of complex issues, including standards, testing, educator preparation, college admissions policies, governance, and funding streams. Over the past decade, a number of states have begun to move away from dealing with such issues on a piecemeal basis in favor of a more comprehensive approach. Commonly referred to as P-16 or P-20, these comprehensive state programs reflect the central vision of a coherent, flexible continuum of public education that stretches from preschool through the baccalaureate degree or beyond.