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## Two Arizona School Districts Select FLVS as Online Learning Provider

**Orlando, FL (June 28, 2016)** – Florida Virtual School (FLVS®), a statewide public school district in the state of Florida and international provider of award-winning education products and services, has been selected by two school districts in Arizona – Dysart Unified School District and Gilbert Public School District No. 41 – to provide online learning curriculum. FLVS curriculum has met a rigorous set of standards and will be used to address the educational needs of students in both districts.

FLVS will be providing Dysart Unified School District with virtual and blended learning curriculum for grades 6-12, as well as professional development and consultation services. Dysart Unified School District is the ninth largest public school district and the fastest growing school system in Arizona, serving more than 25,000 students.

Gilbert Public School District No. 41 will be utilizing the FLVS online learning curriculum to serve students in grades 7-12 attending the Gilbert Public Schools both on campus and at home. FLVS will also be providing professional development and consultation services. Gilbert is the fourth largest district in Arizona and serves more than 37,000 students.

Students from both districts will have access to the FLVS curriculum beginning in the 2016-17 school year.

"FLVS is honored to join forces with Dysart Unified School District and Gilbert Public School District No. 41 to provide award-winning curriculum that will positively impact the learning experience of their students," said Dr. Polly Haldeman, senior director, Business Development and Solutions. "Working together we will be able to meet the unique needs of their students and ensure that teachers and administrators are prepared with best practices and the resources they need to succeed."

The approval process for Dysart included an RFP and a three-stage process of review and the approval process for Gilbert included an RFP and a two-stage process of review.

## **About FLVS**

Florida Virtual School® (FLVS®) is a fully accredited, statewide public school district offering more than 150 courses to Kindergarten-12 students. Its certified teachers use a variety of personalized instructional programs to create individualized educational plans for every student. Since 1997, FLVS students have successfully completed more than 2.4 million semester enrollments. FLVS also provides its courseware and expertise to online and blended learning programs across the nation. Services include content licensing, FLVS Global School, District Virtual Schools, digital learning labs, and professional development. As a not-for-profit, FLVS reinvests revenue into the development of new educational technologies and the creation of the highest-quality courses, benefiting students in Florida and beyond. To learn more, visit www.flvs.net.