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HB 30	Talarico, James(D) Whitmire, John(D)	Relating to educational requirements for certain incarcerated students	Bill History: 05-22-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)
HB 193	Rose, Toni(D) Blanco, Cesar (F)(D)	Relating to the destruction of juvenile court records of victims of sex trafficking.	Bill History: 05-26-21 S Set on the Local Calendar
HB 211	Thierry, Shawn(D)	Relating to sales and use taxes on e-cigarette vapor products to benefit the child health plan program.	Bill History: 05-10-21 S Received in the Senate
HB 378	Reynolds, Ron(D)	Relating to eliminating certain state-required end-of-course assessment instruments not required by federal law.	Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
HB 382	Pacheco, Leo(D)	Relating to eliminating the requirement to use public school assessment instruments as a criterion for promotion or graduation.	Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
HB 390	Thompson, Senfronia(D) Huffman, Joan(R)	Relating to requirements for human trafficking awareness and prevention in commercial lodging establishments.	Bill History: 09-01-21 G Earliest effective date
HB 462	Shaheen, Matt(R)	Relating to the prosecution of the offense of trafficking of persons.	

		Bill History:	05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 465	Shaheen, Matt(R) Huffman, Joan(R)		Relating to changing the eligibility for release on parole of certain inmates serving sentences for trafficking offenses involving one or more child victims.
		Bill History:	05-26-21 S Set on the Local Calendar
 HB 486	Wu, Gene(D)		Relating to the age of criminal responsibility and to certain substantive and procedural matters related to that age.
		Bill History:	03-22-21 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 487	Wu, Gene(D)		Relating to the age of a child at which a juvenile court may exercise jurisdiction over the child and to the minimum age of criminal responsibility.
		Companions:	SB 85 Miles, Borris (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Jurisprudence
		Bill History:	05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 771	Allison, Steve(R)		Relating to the inclusion of instruction about bullying and cyberbullying in the required curriculum for public school students.
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 967	Dutton, Harold(D)		Relating to the age of criminal responsibility and to certain substantive and procedural matters related to that age.
		Bill History:	04-19-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 1015	Toth, Steve(R)		Relating to an education microgrant pilot program for certain children with special needs and other educational disadvantages.
		Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1446	Ashby, Trent(R)		Relating to the expansion of broadband services to certain areas.
		Companions:	SB 506 Nichols, Robert (Identical) 3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation

		Bill History:	03-05-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs
 HB 1594	Allen, Alma(D)		Relating to policies on the recess period in public schools.
		Bill History:	03-08-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1603	Huberty, Dan(R) Seliger, Kel(R)		Relating to the use of individual graduation committees and other alternative methods to satisfy certain public high school graduation requirements.
		Companions:	SB 177 Seliger, Kel (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
		Bill History:	05-24-21 H House concurred in Senate amendments (Vote: Y:145/N: 0)
 HB 1726	Allison, Steve(R)		Relating to reporting the number of incidents of bullying and cyberbullying in a school district and open-enrollment charter school through the Public Education Information Management System.
		Companions:	SB 407 Menendez, Jose (Identical) 3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
		Bill History:	05-12-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education
 SB 1	Nelson, Jane(R) Bonnen, Greg(R)		General Appropriations Bill.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 H Conference c\Committee report distributed
 SB 10	Bettencourt, Paul(R) Paddie, Chris(R)		Relating to the use by a county or municipality of public money for lobbying activities.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 SB 177	Seliger, Kel(R)		Relating to the use of individual graduation committees and other alternative methods to satisfy certain public high school graduation requirements.
		Companions:	HB 1603 Huberty, Dan (Identical) 5-24-21 H House concurred in Senate amendments (Vote: Y:145/N: 0)


		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 194	Powell, Beverly(D)		Relating to indicators of achievement under the public school accountability system.
		Companions:	HB 773 VanDeaver, Gary (Identical) 5-18-21 G Sent to the Governor
		Bill History:	04-22-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
 SB 200	Nelson, Jane(R)		Relating to the exclusion of Internet access service from sales and use taxes.
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance
 SB 216	Johnson, Nathan(D)		Relating to the regulation of, and taxes imposed on the sale or use of, cigarettes, tobacco products, and e-cigarettes.
		Companions:	HB 1255 Allison, Steve (Identical) 3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means HB 1523 Thierry, Shawn (Identical) 3- 8-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance
 SB 248	Johnson, Nathan(D) Thierry, Shawn(D)		Relating to the regulation of cigarettes, tobacco products, and e-cigarettes and the administration of taxes imposed on the sale or use of certain of those products.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 SB 506	Nichols, Robert(R)		Relating to the expansion of broadband services to certain areas.
		Companions:	HB 1446 Ashby, Trent (Identical) 3- 5-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs
		Bill History:	03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation

Accountability/Assessment


 HB 353	Dutton, Harold(D)	Relating to the consideration of certain student differentials based on sex under the public school accountability system.
Companions:		SB 393 Miles, Borris (Identical) 4-27-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
Bill History:		04-09-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education
 HB 370	Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara(D)	Relating to the implementation of certain rules regarding public school accountability adopted by the commissioner of education or the Texas Education Agency.
Bill History:		04-28-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Education
 HB 378	Reynolds, Ron(D)	Relating to eliminating certain state-required end-of-course assessment instruments not required by federal law.
Bill History:		02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 382	Pacheco, Leo(D)	Relating to eliminating the requirement to use public school assessment instruments as a criterion for promotion or graduation.
Bill History:		02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 742	Burns, DeWayne(R)	Relating to procedures for the alternative assessment of certain public school students that receive special education services and alternative accountability plans for certain campuses.
Bill History:		04-27-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Education
 HB 764	Krause, Matt(R)	Relating to the academic assessment of public school students.
Bill History:		05-10-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education
 HB 773	VanDeaver, Gary(R) Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to indicators of achievement under the public school accountability system.
Companions:		SB 194 Powell, Beverly (Identical)

4-22-21 S Committee action pending
Senate Education


Bill History: 05-18-21 G Sent to the Governor

 **HB 807** Hinojosa, Gina(D) Relating to evaluation under the state accountability system of school district campuses that enroll certain students who receive special education services.


Bill History: 03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 **HB 812** Shaheen, Matt(R) Relating to the use of interim testing and adaptive, growth-based assessment instruments for certain required assessments of public school students.


Bill History: 03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 **HB 1100** Bailes, Ernest(R) Relating to indicators of achievement under the public school accountability system.


Bill History: 03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 **HB 1192** Hinojosa, Gina(D) Relating to the administration of public school assessment instruments and the temporary suspension of certain accountability determinations for a school district.

Bill History: 03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education


 **HB 1302** Guillen, Ryan(D) Relating to indicators of achievement under the public school accountability system.








Bill History: 05-17-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education




 **HB 1309** Guillen, Ryan(D) Relating to indicators of achievement under the public school accountability system.







Companions: [SB 382](#) Powell, Beverly (Identical)
3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education





Bill History: 03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 **HB 1740** Huberty, Dan(R) Relating to the administration to public school students in certain grades of state-administered assessment instruments.




		Bill History:	03-10-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education						
 HB 1867	Gonzalez, Mary(D)		Relating to the creation of the Texas Commission on Assessment and Accountability.						
		Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education						
 HB 2800	Dean, Jay(R)		Relating to the limitation on administration and use of certain assessment instruments in public schools.						
		Companions:	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>HB 2734</td> <td>Tinderholt, Tony</td> <td>(Identical)</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>3-17-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	HB 2734	Tinderholt, Tony	(Identical)		3-17-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education	
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	3-17-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education								
		Bill History:	04-30-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Education						
 HB 2802	Dean, Jay(R)		Relating to the administration of public school assessment instruments and the temporary suspension of certain accountability determinations for public schools.						
		Bill History:	05-14-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education						
 HB 3089	Hull, Lacey (F)(R)		Relating to meetings of school districts' local school health advisory councils.						
		Bill History:	05-03-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Education						
 HB 3290	Gonzalez, Mary(D)		Relating to public school accountability.						
		Bill History:	03-19-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education						
 HB 3668	VanDeaver, Gary(R)		Relating to eliminating certain state-required assessment instruments and certain end-of-course assessment instruments not required by federal law.						
		Bill History:	04-29-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education						
 HB 3731	Dutton, Harold(D)		Relating to public school accountability ratings, including interventions and sanctions administered to a school district or campus assigned a needs improvement rating.						

	Companions:	SB 1645	Taylor, Larry	(Identical) 3-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
	Bill History:	05-10-21 H Failed to pass (Vote: N: 82/Y: 59)		
 HB 4091	Talarico, James(D)	Relating to a student experience study for public school students.		
	Bill History:	03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education		
 HB 4096	Howard, Donna(D)	Relating to the development of a model data-sharing agreement for sharing student information between public schools, public and private postsecondary educational institutions, and certain community organizations.		
	Bill History:	05-11-21 H Withdrawn from the Local Calendar		
 HB 4198	Slaton, Bryan (F)(R)	Relating to a school district policy to exempt district students from the administration of certain assessment instruments and from certain promotion and graduation requirements.		
	Bill History:	04-23-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education		
 SB 142	Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to requiring the state auditor and the State Board of Education to conduct a review of certain assessment instruments administered to public school students.		
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education		
 SB 194	Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to indicators of achievement under the public school accountability system.		
	Companions:	HB 773	VanDeaver, Gary	(Identical) 5-18-21 G Sent to the Governor
	Bill History:	04-22-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education		
 SB 260	Menendez, Jose(D)	Relating to the administration of assessment instruments in public schools and eliminating the requirement to use public school assessment instruments as a criterion for promotion.		
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education		








 SB 382	Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to indicators of achievement under the public school accountability system.
Companions:		<p>HB 1309 Guillen, Ryan (Identical) 3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education</p>
Bill History:		03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 393	Miles, Borris(D)	Relating to the consideration of certain student differentials based on sex under the public school accountability system.
Companions:		<p>HB 353 Dutton, Harold (Identical) 4- 9-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education</p>
Bill History:		04-27-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
 SB 559	Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to teacher certification examinations in bilingual target language proficiency and to certification requirements for teachers in bilingual education.
Bill History:		03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 1171	Taylor, Larry(R) Huberty, Dan(R)	Relating to the electronic administration of assessment instruments in public schools and to certain measures to support Internet connectivity for purposes of those assessment instruments.
Companions:		<p>HB 3261 Huberty, Dan (Identical) 5-22-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 29/N: 1)</p>
Bill History:		05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 SB 1228	Taylor, Larry(R)	Relating to military readiness for purposes of the college, career, or military readiness outcomes bonus under the Foundation School Program.
Companions:		<p>HB 1147 Huberty, Dan (Identical) 5-20-21 G Sent to the Governor</p>
Bill History:		03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 1317	Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to the training and responsibilities of certain educational entities that have certain responsibilities regarding public school oversight.







		Bill History:	03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 1318	Lucio, Eddie(D)		Relating to the authority of the commissioner of education to conduct special accreditation investigations.
		Bill History:	03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 1365	Bettencourt, Paul(R) Huberty, Dan(R)		Relating to public school organization, accountability, and fiscal management.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 SB 1645	Taylor, Larry(R)		Relating to public school accountability ratings, including interventions and sanctions administered to a school district or campus assigned a needs improvement rating.
		Companions:	HB 3731 Dutton, Harold (Identical) 5-10-21 H Failed to pass (Vote: N: 82/Y: 59)
		Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 2094	Taylor, Larry(R) Dutton, Harold(D)		Relating to the commissioner of education's authority regarding the assessment of public school students and providing accelerated instruction for students who fail.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar






Charter Schools

 HB 97	Hinojosa, Gina(D)		Relating to the admission policy of an open-enrollment charter school.
		Bill History:	05-11-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education
 HB 108	Hinojosa, Gina(D)		Relating to the suspension and expulsion of a student attending an open-enrollment charter school.
		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 301	Collier, Nicole(D)		Relating to a certain requirement for an open-enrollment charter school's initial application or expansion amendment.


		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 305	Collier, Nicole(D)		Relating to the composition of the student body of an open-enrollment charter school.
		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 438	Goodwin, Vikki(D)		Relating to the requirements for a request for the revision of a charter for an open-enrollment charter school.
		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 450	Gonzalez, Mary(D)		Relating to the establishment of a new open-enrollment charter school or campus and to the expansion of an open-enrollment charter school.
		Bill History:	04-23-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
 HB 618	Dutton, Harold(D)		Relating to the participation of open-enrollment charter schools in the Jobs and Education for Texans (JET) Grant Program.
		Companions:	SB 346 Paxton, Angela (Identical) 5-24-21 G Earliest effective date
		Bill History:	05-03-21 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 346
 HB 684	Gonzalez, Mary(D)		Relating to the regulation of open-enrollment charter schools and requiring a study comparing and evaluating certain characteristics of open-enrollment charter schools and school districts.
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 794	Pacheco, Leo(D)		Relating to the applicability of educator certification requirements and certain educator rights to charter schools.
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 893	Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara(D)		Relating to a financial assistance program for open-enrollment charter school facilities.
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education







 HB 944	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to requiring State Board of Education approval for the expansion of an open-enrollment charter school.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1017	Bernal, Diego(D)	Relating to a study of the impact and feasibility of adopting average daily membership when determining the entitlement of a school district or open-enrollment charter school.
	Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1018	Fierro, Art(D)	Relating to open meetings of the governing body of a charter holder and the governing body of an open-enrollment charter school.
	Companions:	SB 411 West, Royce (Identical) 4-15-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
	Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1022	Murphy, Jim(R)	Relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation of real property leased to and used by certain schools.
	Companions:	SB 670 Springer, Drew (F) (Identical) 3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance
	Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means
 HB 1188	Dutton, Harold(D)	Relating to requiring certain open-enrollment charter schools to comply with historically underutilized business provisions.
	Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1248	Ramos, Ana-Maria(D)	Relating to requiring the posting of certain information on an open-enrollment charter school's Internet website regarding the school's governing body.
	Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1249	Ramos, Ana-Maria(D)	Relating to the public accessibility of open-enrollment charter school annual financial statements.







		Bill History:	04-23-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
 HB 1320	Rosenthal, Jon(D)		Relating to the applicability to open-enrollment charter schools of certain law regarding travel expenses.
		Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1348	Deshotel, Joe(D)		Relating to the applicability of certain laws to open-enrollment charter schools.
		Companions:	SB 487 Hughes, Bryan (Identical) 5-24-21 H Bill pronounced dead by procedural action
		Bill History:	05-06-21 H Bill pronounced dead by procedural action
 HB 1370	Guerra, Bobby(D)		Relating to a notification requirement concerning the availability of nurses on the campus of a public school, including an open-enrollment charter school.
		Bill History:	03-05-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1746	Bailes, Ernest(R)		Relating to the management and operation of open-enrollment charter schools, including certain contracts involving management and operation.
		Bill History:	03-10-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1748	Bailes, Ernest(R)		Relating to the expansion of an open-enrollment charter school.
		Bill History:	03-10-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 3279	Dutton, Harold(D)		Relating to the approval of open-enrollment charter schools and the applicability of certain state and local laws to open-enrollment charter schools.
		Companions:	SB 28 Bettencourt, Paul (Identical) 5-11-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
		Bill History:	03-19-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education







 HB 3805	Howard, Donna(D)	Relating to the costs of expansion of open-enrollment charter schools.
	Bill History:	03-23-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HJR 57	Murphy, Jim(R)	Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation real property leased to certain schools.
	Companions:	SJR 38 Springer, Drew (F) (Identical) 3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance
	Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means
 SB 411	West, Royce(D)	Relating to open meetings of the governing body of a charter holder and the governing body of an open-enrollment charter school.
	Companions:	HB 1018 Fierro, Art (Identical) 3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
	Bill History:	04-15-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
 SB 487	Hughes, Bryan(R) Deshotel, Joe(D)	Relating to the applicability of certain laws to open-enrollment charter schools.
	Companions:	HB 1348 Deshotel, Joe (Identical) 5- 6-21 H Bill pronounced dead by procedural action
	Bill History:	05-24-21 H Bill pronounced dead by procedural action
 SB 1487	Hughes, Bryan(R)	Relating to the use of peace officers as attendance officers for school districts and open-enrollment charter schools.
	Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education







Curriculum

 HB 57	Talarico, James(D)	Relating to civics instruction in public schools.
	Companions:	SB 229 Johnson, Nathan (Identical)

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		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education												
 HB 129	Gonzalez, Mary(D) Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Relating to requiring a digital citizenship curriculum.												
		Bill History:	05-24-21 S Reported from committee as substituted Senate Education												
 HB 153	Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara(D)		Relating to the inclusion of instruction regarding culturally inclusive curriculum reflecting the cultural, linguistic and religious diversity of society.												
		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education												
 HB 244	Gonzalez, Mary(D)		Relating to the establishment of a grant program for promoting computer science certification and professional development in coding, technology applications, and computer science for public school teachers.												
		Bill History:	05-17-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education												
 HB 424	King, Ken(R)		Relating to a continuing review and revision of the essential knowledge and skills of the public school foundation curriculum and proclamations for the production of instructional materials.												
		Bill History:	05-17-21 S Received in the Senate												
 HB 434	Bell, Keith(R)		Relating to the curriculum requirements for public high school students.												
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	4- 8-21 H Removed from hearing 04/13/21, House Public Education														
SB 473	Schwertner, Charles	(Identical)													
	3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education														
		Bill History:	03-09-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education												
 HB 437	Goodwin, Vikki(D)		Relating to personal financial literacy courses for high school students in public schools.												

		Bill History:	03-30-21 H Not heard in committee House Public Education						
 HB 445	Allison, Steve(R)		Relating to instruction in positive character traits in public schools.						
		Bill History:	03-16-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education						
 HB 771	Allison, Steve(R)		Relating to the inclusion of instruction about bullying and cyberbullying in the required curriculum for public school students.						
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education						
 HB 999	Bernal, Diego(D) Menendez, Jose(D)		Relating to individual graduation committee qualification requirements for certain students.						
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		Bill History:	05-20-21 G Sent to the Governor						
 HB 1504	Morales, Christina(D) Alvarado, Carol(D)		Relating to ethnic studies instruction in public schools.						
		Bill History:	05-24-21 S Reported favorably from committee on Senate Education						
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		Bill History: 05-24-21 H House concurred in Senate amendments (Vote: Y:145/N: 0)
 HB 1673	Bucy, John(D)	Relating to the inclusion of information about the process of voting as part of the social studies curriculum requirements for public high school students.
		Bill History: 03-09-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1744	Guerra, Bobby(D)	Relating to measures to prepare students to teach bilingual education, English as a second language, or Spanish.
		Bill History: 05-17-21 S Received in the Senate
 HB 1776	Bell, Keith(R)	Relating to the inclusion of an elective course on the founding principles of the United States in the curriculum for public high school students and the posting of the founding documents of the United States in public school bu
		Companions: SB 1776 Campbell, Donna (Identical) 5-25-21 S Set on the Senate Items Eligible Calendar
		Bill History: 05-10-21 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 1776
 HB 1823	Zwiener, Erin(D)	Relating to the instruction about bullying and harassment in the required health curriculum for public school students.
		Bill History: 03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1870	Rogers, Glenn (F)(R)	Relating to inclusion of a course on the United States Constitution and the Texas Constitution in the curriculum requirements for public high school students.
		Bill History: 03-15-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 3332	Lozano, Jose(R)	Relating to a study on the gap in student grade point averages resulting from the accessibility of dual credit courses to public high school students.
		Bill History: 04-13-21 H Not heard in committee House Public Education

 HB 3465	Morales Shaw, Penny (F)(D)	Relating to college readiness for purposes of the college, career, or military readiness outcomes bonus under the Foundation School Program.												
Bill History:		03-22-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education												
 HB 3575	Guerra, Bobby(D)	Relating to personal financial literacy and career skills courses for high school students in public schools.												
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 HB 3979	Toth, Steve(R) Creighton, Brandon(R)	Relating to civics instruction public school students and instruction policies in public schools.												
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 SB 174	Miles, Borris(D)	Relating to the inclusion of American principles, including social injustice and civil rights concepts, in the public school curriculum and instructional materials and in training materials and resources for use by school districts												
Bill History:		03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education												
 SB 177	Seliger, Kel(R)	Relating to the use of individual graduation committees and other alternative methods to satisfy certain public high school graduation requirements.												


Companions: [HB 1603](#) Huberty, Dan (Identical)
5-24-21 H House concurred in Senate amendments (Vote: Y:145/N: 0)

Bill History: 03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

 [SB 229](#) Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to civics instruction in public schools.


Companions: [HB 57](#) Talarico, James (Identical)
2-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

Bill History: 03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education


 [SB 473](#) Schwertner, Charles(R) Relating to the curriculum requirements for public high school students.

Companions: [HB 434](#) Bell, Keith (Identical)
3- 9-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
[HB 1994](#) Thierry, Shawn (Identical)
4- 8-21 H Removed from hearing 04/13/21, House Public Education

Bill History: 03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education


 [SB 559](#) Lucio, Eddie(D) Relating to teacher certification examinations in bilingual target language proficiency and to certification requirements for teachers in bilingual education.

Bill History: 03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education






 [SB 560](#) Lucio, Eddie(D)
Guerra, Bobby(D) Relating to developing a strategic plan for the improvement and expansion of high-quality bilingual education.

Companions: [HB 2258](#) Guerra, Bobby (Identical)
5-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar


Bill History: 05-24-21 H Passed (Vote: Y:112/N: 31)

 [SB 1227](#) Taylor, Larry(R)
Metcalfe, Will(R) Relating to the granting of undergraduate course credit at public institutions of higher education for certain scores on examinations administered through the College-Level Examination Program.







Bill History: 05-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar








 SB 1321	Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to the state plan for career and technology education.												
	Bill History:	03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education												
 SB 1378	Gutierrez, Roland (F)(D)	Relating to the permissible uses of the bilingual education allotment provided under the foundation school program.												
	Bill History:	03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education												
 SB 1389	West, Royce(D)	Relating to remote learning programs provided by school districts and the calculation of average daily attendance in public schools.												
	Bill History:	03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education												
 SB 1445	Seliger, Kel(R)	Relating to a parental option to request the return to or retention at a certain grade level for a public school student whose education was disrupted by the coronavirus disease pandemic.												
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Funding







 HB 59	Murr, Andrew(R)	Relating to the elimination of school district maintenance and operations ad valorem taxes and the creation of a joint interim committee on the elimination of those taxes.
	Bill History:	05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar

 HB 163	Bernal, Diego(D)	Relating to the compensatory education allotment for homeless students.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 334	Gates, Gary(R)	Relating to funding for career and technology programs in public schools.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 444	Allison, Steve(R)	Relating to an appropriation of money from the economic stabilization fund to the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations
 HB 538	Patterson, Jared(R)	Relating to the removal of restrictions on funding and payment of costs for certain full-time online educational programs.
	Bill History:	03-30-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
 HB 586	Cole, Sheryl(D)	Relating to the creation of a state financing program administered by the Texas Public Finance Authority to assist school districts with certain expenses.
	Bill History:	05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 594	Krause, Matt(R)	Relating to a limit on the rate of growth of certain appropriations.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations
 HB 617	Dutton, Harold(D)	Relating to an allotment under the public school finance system for certain students whose parent or legal guardian has been incarcerated.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 958	Oliverson, Tom(R)	Relating to the allocation and deposit of certain surplus state revenue to the property tax relief fund for use in reducing school district maintenance and operations ad valorem taxes.
	Bill History:	04-27-21 H Committee action pending House Appropriations

 HB 1010	Turner, John(D)	Relating to adjustment of the average daily attendance for school districts providing additional half-day instruction for certain students.
Companions:		SB 1798 West, Royce (Identical) 3-26-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1022	Murphy, Jim(R)	Relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation of real property leased to and used by certain schools.
Companions:		SB 670 Springer, Drew (F) (Identical) 3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means
 HB 1032	Thierry, Shawn(D) Alvarado, Carol(D)	Relating to certain public school workforce training programs funded by the skills development fund and to authorizing school districts to provide funding using money received under the Foundation School Program.
Bill History:		05-24-21 S Reported favorably from committee on Senate Education
 HB 1077	Landgraf, Brooks(R)	Relating to certain adjustments to the taxable value of property of certain school districts and the reduction of Foundation School Program funds received by certain school districts.
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1246	Hinojosa, Gina(D)	Relating to the use of average enrollment for purposes of the public school finance system.
Companions:		SB 728 Lucio, Eddie (Identical) 3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1411	Gates, Gary(R)	Relating to funding under the transportation allotment for transportation related to career and technology education and the use of transportation allotment funds by school districts to provide prepaid fuel cards to certain

		Bill History:	05-04-21 H Not heard in committee House Public Education												
 HB 1468	Bell, Keith(R) Taylor, Larry(R)		Relating to curriculum and eligibility requirements for the provision of local remote learning to qualify for state funding and calculation of average daily attendance.												
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 HB 1883	Meyer, Morgan(R)		Relating to a limitation on the amount of school property tax revenue that is subject to recapture under the public school finance system.												
		Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education												
 HB 2021	Bonnen, Greg(R)		Relating to state budget execution authority for certain federal funds.												
		Bill History:	05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar												
 HB 2074	Shaheen, Matt(R)		Relating to reducing school district maintenance and operations ad valorem taxes through the use of certain surplus state revenue.												
		Bill History:	03-15-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations												
 HB 2351	Noble, Candy(R)		Relating to the methods to achieve a college, career, or military outcomes bonus under the Foundation School Program.												
		Bill History:	03-15-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education												
 HB 3445	Huberty, Dan(R)		Relating to requiring the use of a public school's excess funds for certain purposes.												

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 HB 3456	White, James(R) Eckhardt, Sarah (F)(D)		Relating to inclusion of funds received by certain educational institutions or programs in foundation school program funds for purposes of certain budget reductions.												
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 HB 3707	Huberty, Dan(R)		Relating to the creation of a commission to recommend improvements to funding for special education in public schools.												
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 HJR 16	Bernal, Diego(D)		Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to limit the total amount of ad valorem taxes that a school district may impose on the residence homestead of an individual.												
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means												
 HJR 27	White, James(R)		Proposing a constitutional amendment to reduce the allocation of certain general revenue to the economic stabilization fund and to use that revenue for certain science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) scholarships.												
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations												
 HJR 35	Raymond, Richard(D)		Proposing a constitutional amendment to dedicate net state lottery revenue to support educational programs that benefit classroom teaching in public schools.												

		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations												
 HJR 89	Allison, Steve(R)		Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for a credit against the ad valorem taxes imposed by a school district on property owned by a business entity that donates money to the district to												
		Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means												
 SB 1	Nelson, Jane(R) Bonnen, Greg(R)		General Appropriations Bill.												
		Bill History:	05-19-21 H Conference committee set for 3:00 P.M., E1.036												
 SB 258	Menendez, Jose(D)		Relating to a remote education and distance learning allotment under the Foundation School Program.												
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education												
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Bill History: 04-08-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education

 SB 1969

Nelson, Jane(R)

Relating to state fiscal matters related to public education.

Bill History: 03-31-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

 SJR 65

Powell, Beverly(D)

Proposing a constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to provide for a credit against the ad valorem taxes imposed by a school district on the residence homesteads of certain educators.

Bill History: 03-26-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

Health

 HB 3

Burrows, Dustin(R)
Birdwell, Brian(R)

Relating to state and local government responses to a pandemic disaster.

Bill History: 05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for

 HB 28

Neave, Victoria(D)

Relating to social work services in public schools.

Companions:

HB 226	Bernal, Diego	(Identical)
	2-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education	
SB 253	Menendez, Jose	(Identical)
	3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education	

Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 HB 55

Swanson, Valoree(R)

Relating to the carrying and possession of a concealed handgun by a school marshal.








Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety








 HB 62







Talarico, James(D)




Relating to the use of disciplinary alternatives to suspension by a school district and the creation of the restorative justice coordinating council






Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education


 HB 68	Toth, Steve(R)	Relating to the definition of abuse of a child.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health
 HB 181	Thierry, Shawn(D)	Relating to the employment of full-time registered nurses at public schools.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 185	Meza, Terry(D)	Relating to creating the criminal offense of failure to safely store a firearm.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety
 HB 204	Thierry, Shawn(D)	Relating to requiring school districts and open-enrollment charter schools to provide a landline telephone or panic button in every classroom.
	Bill History:	05-06-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education
 HB 209	Thierry, Shawn(D)	Relating to a franchise tax credit for entities that establish a grocery store or healthy corner store in a food desert.
	Companions:	SB 358 Miles, Borris (Identical) 3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance
	Bill History:	03-22-21 H Committee action pending House Ways and Means
 HB 211	Thierry, Shawn(D)	Relating to sales and use taxes on e-cigarette vapor products to benefit the child health plan program.
	Bill History:	05-10-21 S Received in the Senate
 HB 226	Bernal, Diego(D)	Relating to social work services in public schools.
	Companions:	HB 28 Neave, Victoria (Identical) 2-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education SB 253 Menendez, Jose (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 HB 240	Thompson, Senfronia(D)	Relating to the requirement and study of insurance coverage for serious emotional disturbance of a child.
Companions:		SB 51 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce
Bill History:		05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 260	Thompson, Senfronia(D)	Relating to an exemption from civil liability for certain professionals for the disclosure of certain mental health information.
Bill History:		02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health
 HB 287	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to the employment of certified school counselors to comply with the ratio requirement of counselors to public school students.
Bill History:		02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 303	Collier, Nicole(D)	Relating to testing for lead contamination in public school drinking water.
Bill History:		02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 319	Patterson, Jared(R)	Relating to the eligibility for participation in University Interscholastic League activities of public school students who reside in an inpatient mental health facility.
Bill History:		02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 332	Talarico, James(D) Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to expanding the compensatory education allotment to allow funds to be used to implement social-emotional learning programs.
Companions:		SB 2004 Lucio, Eddie (Identical) 3-31-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
Bill History:		05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
 HB 500	Wu, Gene(D)	Relating to the prosecution of and punishment for the criminal offense of failure to report certain sexual offenses committed against a child.

		Companions:	SB 568 Huffman, Joan (Identical) 5-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar
		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence
 HB 551	Thompson, Senfronia(D)		Relating to reports on the prevalence of eating disorders and eating disorder-related deaths in this state.
		Companions:	SB 184 Johnson, Nathan (Identical) 5-20-21 G Sent to the Governor
		Bill History:	05-03-21 H Recommended for Local and Consent Calendar
 HB 578	Turner, John(D)		Relating to the health literacy advisory committee and health literacy in the state health plan.
		Companions:	SB 124 Johnson, Nathan (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services
		Bill History:	05-17-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services
 HB 605	Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara(D)		Relating to the adoption of a healthy and safe school water plan by public schools.
		Companions:	SB 2053 Menendez, Jose (Identical) 3-31-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
		Bill History:	05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 640	Raymond, Richard(D)		Relating to public and private school searches of students with parental consent and certain disciplinary measures and other procedures that may arise from such a search.
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 691	Metcalf, Will(R)		Relating to school district compliance with certain school safety measures.
		Bill History:	03-09-21 H Not heard in committee House Public Education
 HB 693	Moody, Joe(D)		Relating to the prosecution of the offense of making a firearm accessible to a child.


		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety
 HB 699	Rosenthal, Jon(D) Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Relating to public school attendance and promotion requirements for students diagnosed with or undergoing related treatment for severe or life-threatening illnesses.
		Bill History:	05-24-21 G Sent to the Governor
 HB 745	Guerra, Bobby(D)		Relating to the establishment of telehealth programs by public schools.
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 759	Harless, Sam(R)		Relating to the operation of threat assessment teams in public schools and the establishment of a student threat assessment database.
		Bill History:	03-16-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
 HB 771	Allison, Steve(R)		Relating to the inclusion of instruction about bullying and cyberbullying in the required curriculum for public school students.
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 785	Allen, Alma(D) Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Relating to behavior improvement plans and behavioral intervention plans for certain public school students and notification and documentation requirements regarding certain behavior management techniques.
		Bill History:	05-22-21 G Sent to the Governor
 HB 945	Romero, Ramon(D)		Relating to the period of eligibility of certain persons for supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits.
		Bill History:	04-13-21 H Committee action pending House Human Services
 HB 946	Burns, DeWayne(R)		Relating to the authority of a county to restrict sex offenders from child safety zones in the unincorporated area of the county.
		Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House County Affairs

 HB 967	Dutton, Harold(D)	Relating to the age of criminal responsibility and to certain substantive and procedural matters related to that age.
Bill History:		04-19-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 972	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to healthy relationships education in public schools.
Bill History:		03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 985	Burns, DeWayne(R)	Relating to the inclusion of information relating to human trafficking prevention in the curriculum of driver education and driving safety courses.
Bill History:		04-26-21 S Received in the Senate
 HB 1009	Minjarez, Ina(D)	Relating to reporting the serious bodily injury of a child.
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services
 HB 1014	Bucy, John(D) Hinojosa, Chuy(D)	Relating to the inclusion of suicide prevention information on certain student identification cards issued by a public or private school or postsecondary educational institution.
Bill History:		05-20-21 S Removed from hearing 05/21/21 - Senate Education
 HB 1016	Ordaz Perez, Claudia (F)(D)	Relating to active shooter drills conducted by public schools.
Companions:		SB 168 Blanco, Cesar (F) (Identical) 5-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar
Bill History:		05-03-21 H Recommended for Local and Consent Calendar
 HB 1055	Morales, Christina(D)	Relating to the employment of health care professionals at public schools.
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1080	Patterson, Jared(R) Nelson, Jane(R)	Relating to the eligibility for participation in University Interscholastic League activities of certain public school students who receive outpatient mental health services.
Bill History:		05-24-21 G Sent to the Governor

 **HB 1114** Thierry, Shawn(D) Relating to providing mental health services and mental health education to public school students at school-based health centers.


Companions: [SB 325](#) West, Royce (Identical)
5- 6-21 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for

Bill History: 03-25-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Education


 **HB 1194** Wu, Gene(D) Relating to requiring a school district or open-enrollment charter school to report data regarding restraints administered to, complaints filed against, citations issued to, and arrests made of students.

Companions: [SB 936](#) West, Royce (Identical)
3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 04-28-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education


 **HB 1201** Wu, Gene(D) Relating to alternative settings for behavior management in public schools, including the development of restorative discipline practices as part of a school district's discipline.

Bill History: 03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education




 **HB 1255** Allison, Steve(R) Relating to the regulation of, and taxes imposed on the sale or use of, cigarettes, tobacco products, and e-cigarettes.


Companions: [HB 1523](#) Thierry, Shawn (Identical)
3- 8-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means
[SB 216](#) Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

Bill History: 03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means








 **HB 1523** Thierry, Shawn(D) Relating to the regulation of, and taxes imposed on the sale or use of, cigarettes, tobacco products, and e-cigarettes.



Companions: [HB 1255](#) Allison, Steve (Identical)
3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means







		<p>SB 216 Johnson, Nathan (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance</p>
		<p>Bill History: 03-08-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means</p>
 HB 1594	Allen, Alma(D)	<p>Relating to policies on the recess period in public schools.</p>
		<p>Bill History: 03-08-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education</p>
 HB 1713	Dominguez, Alex(D)	<p>Relating to the employment of certain mental health professionals at a public school campus.</p>
		<p>Bill History: 03-10-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education</p>
 HB 1726	Allison, Steve(R)	<p>Relating to reporting the number of incidents of bullying and cyberbullying in a school district and open-enrollment charter school through the Public Education Information Management System.</p>
		<p>Companions: SB 407 Menendez, Jose (Identical) 3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education</p>
		<p>Bill History: 05-12-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education</p>
 HB 1754	Hernandez, Ana(D) Hinojosa, Chuy(D)	<p>Relating to the inclusion of suicide prevention information on certain student identification cards issued by a public school.</p>
		<p>Bill History: 05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for</p>
 HB 1768	Anchia, Rafael(D)	<p>Relating to the prosecution of certain offenses involving the carrying of weapons at amusement parks or locations associated with schools or other educational institutions.</p>
		<p>Bill History: 03-10-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety</p>
 HB 1788	Hefner, Cole(R) Hughes, Bryan(R)	<p>Relating to immunity from liability of public and private schools and security personnel employed by those schools for certain actions of security personnel.</p>
		<p>Companions: SB 534 Hughes, Bryan (Identical)</p>

			4-22-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
		Bill History:	05-22-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 18/N: 13)
 HB 1823	Zwiener, Erin(D)		Relating to the instruction about bullying and harassment in the required health curriculum for public school students.
		Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1859	Cortez, Philip(D)		Relating to a study on the interoperability needs and technology readiness of behavioral health service providers in this state.
		Companions:	SB 640 Menendez, Jose (Identical) 5-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar
		Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health
 HB 1862	Hefner, Cole(R)		Relating to the authority of a county to restrict sex offenders from child safety zones in the unincorporated area of the county.
		Companions:	SB 441 Hughes, Bryan (Identical) 3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice
		Bill History:	04-08-21 H Committee action pending House County Affairs
 HB 1872	Gates, Gary(R)		Relating to the use of certain disease detection devices in public schools.
		Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1918	Turner, Chris(D)		Relating to the creation of a criminal offense for failing to secure certain children in a rear-facing child passenger safety seat system.
		Bill History:	03-15-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Transportation
 HB 2003	Sanford, Scott(R)		Relating to including fetal development instruction as part of the health curriculum used in public schools in certain grade levels.
		Bill History:	03-15-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 HB 2287	Thompson, Senfronia(D) Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to data collection by and consultation with the Collaborative Task Force on Public School Mental Health Services regarding the task force's duties and requiring the Texas Education Agency to report on mental health.
Companions:		SB 920 Powell, Beverly (Identical) 3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
Bill History:		05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
 HB 2679	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to human sexuality education in public schools.
Bill History:		03-17-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 2887	Talarico, James(D)	Relating to health and physical education requirements in public schools.
Bill History:		03-18-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 2975	Hull, Lacey (F)(R)	Relating to prohibiting the physical restraint of certain public school students by peace officers and school security personnel under certain circumstances.
Bill History:		05-17-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education
 HB 3058	Guerra, Bobby(D)	Relating to health education requirements in public schools.
Bill History:		03-19-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 3450	White, James(R)	Relating to the justified use of force by a school employee or volunteer against a student.
Bill History:		05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 3597	Metcalf, Will(R) Paxton, Angela(R)	Relating to policies, procedures, and measures for school safety in public schools.
Bill History:		05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
 HB 3703	Hernandez, Ana(D)	Relating to public school policy regarding the prevention of heat stress.
Bill History:		03-22-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 HB 3725	Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara(D)	Relating to the enforcement of the prohibition on passing a school bus using images from a school bus monitoring system.
	Bill History:	03-22-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Transportation
 HB 3726	Toth, Steve(R)	Relating to immunization requirements for admission to public schools.
	Bill History:	03-22-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health
 HB 3728	Button, Angie Chen(R)	Relating to a school psychologist licensed under the Occupations Code.
	Bill History:	05-05-21 H Vote failed in committee on House Public Health
 HB 3819	Klick, Stephanie(R) Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to a public school district policy providing that a school nurse may administer prescription asthma medicine to a student.
	Bill History:	05-24-21 S Reported from committee as substituted Senate Education
 HB 3842	Coleman, Garnet(D)	Relating to the prohibited sale of flavored cigarettes, e-cigarettes, and tobacco products and administrative penalties for the prohibited sales.
	Companions:	SB 836 Alvarado, Carol (Identical) 3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
	Bill History:	03-23-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health
 HB 3872	Dutton, Harold(D)	Relating to local school health advisory councils and health education provided by school districts, including requirements regarding human sexuality instruction.
	Companions:	SB 442 Hughes, Bryan (Identical) 5-21-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Health
	Bill History:	04-28-21 H Not heard in committee House Public Health
 HB 3879	Allen, Alma(D)	Relating to corporal punishment in public schools.
	Bill History:	03-24-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education


 HB 4064	Meza, Terry(D)	Relating to policies and procedures for addressing bullying and harassment in public schools.
	Bill History:	05-04-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
 HB 4079	Talarico, James(D)	Relating to a mental health professional to school law enforcement official ratio for public schools and the use of the school safety allotment to employ mental health professionals.
	Bill History:	03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 4083	Talarico, James(D)	Relating to the assignment of certain behavioral health professionals to a public school campus.
	Bill History:	03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 4139	Coleman, Garnet(D)	Relating to the Office for Health Equity.
	Bill History:	05-05-21 S Received in the Senate
 HB 4257	Morales Shaw, Penny (F)(D)	Relating to the trauma-informed care policy for school districts and open-enrollment charter schools.
	Bill History:	05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 SB 42	Zaffirini, Judith(D)	Relating to the use of a wireless communication device while operating a motor vehicle.
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
 SB 51	Zaffirini, Judith(D)	Relating to the requirement and study of insurance coverage for serious emotional disturbance of a child.
	Companions:	HB 240 Thompson, Senfronia (Identical) 5-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce
 SB 52	Zaffirini, Judith(D)	Relating to age-appropriate normalcy activities for children in the managing conservatorship of the state.
	Companions:	HB 2058 Klick, Stephanie (Identical) 5-21-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 31/N: 0)

		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services						
 SB 60	Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for certain firearm safety supplies, including educational materials.						
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance						
 SB 78	Miles, Borris(D)		Relating to a notification requirement if a public school, including an open-enrollment charter school, does not have a nurse, school counselor, or librarian assigned to the school during all instructional hours.						
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 124	Johnson, Nathan(D)		Relating to the health literacy advisory committee and health literacy in the state health plan.						
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		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services						
 SB 168	Blanco, Cesar (F)(D) Ordaz Perez, Claudia (F)(D)		Relating to active shooter drills conducted by public schools.						
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		Bill History:	05-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar						
 SB 184	Johnson, Nathan(D) Thompson, Senfronia(D)		Relating to reports on the prevalence of eating disorders and eating disorder-related deaths in this state.						
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		Bill History:	05-20-21 G Sent to the Governor						
 SB 216	Johnson, Nathan(D)		Relating to the regulation of, and taxes imposed on the sale or use of, cigarettes, tobacco products, and e-cigarettes.						


Companions: [HB 1255](#) Allison, Steve (Identical)
3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means

[HB 1523](#) Thierry, Shawn (Identical)
3- 8-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means


Bill History: 03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

 [SB 238](#) Powell, Beverly(D) Relating to the use of the school safety allotment for a school district's pandemic preparation and response.

Bill History: 03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

 [SB 248](#) Johnson, Nathan(D)
Thierry, Shawn(D) Relating to the regulation of cigarettes, tobacco products, and e-cigarettes and the administration of taxes imposed on the sale or use of certain of those products.


Bill History: 05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar

 [SB 253](#) Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to social work services in public schools.


Companions: [HB 28](#) Neave, Victoria (Identical)
2-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

[HB 226](#) Bernal, Diego (Identical)
2-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education







Bill History: 03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education







 [SB 279](#) Hinojosa, Chuy(D)
Bucy, John(D) Relating to the inclusion of suicide prevention information on certain student identification cards issued by a public school or public institution of higher education.








Bill History: 05-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar


 [SB 325](#) West, Royce(D) Relating to providing mental health services and mental health education to public school students at school-based health centers.

Companions: [HB 1114](#) Thierry, Shawn (Identical)
3-25-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Education

		Bill History:	05-06-21 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for
 SB 396	Lucio, Eddie(D)		Relating to the establishment of school district policies regarding the marketing and commercial advertising of food products on school district property.
		Bill History:	04-15-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
 SB 405	Menendez, Jose(D)		Relating to the inclusion of a mental health course in the required curriculum for public high school students.
		Bill History:	03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 407	Menendez, Jose(D)		Relating to reporting the number of incidents of bullying and cyberbullying in a school district and open-enrollment charter school through the Public Education Information Management System.
		Companions:	HB 1726 Allison, Steve (Identical) 5-12-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education
		Bill History:	03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 440	Blanco, Cesar (F)(D)		Relating to the prohibited distribution of flavored cigarettes, e-cigarettes, and tobacco products.
		Bill History:	03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
 SB 442	Hughes, Bryan(R) Dutton, Harold(D)		Relating to local school health advisory councils and health education provided by school districts, including requirements regarding human sexuality instruction.
		Companions:	HB 3872 Dutton, Harold (Identical) 4-28-21 H Not heard in committee House Public Health
		Bill History:	05-21-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Health
 SB 514	Hall, Bob(R)		Relating to the carrying of concealed handguns by handgun license holders on the campus of a school district or open-enrollment charter school.
		Bill History:	03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs


 SB 520	Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to funding for school districts to provide inclusive and accessible playgrounds.
Companions:		HB 24 Dominguez, Alex (Identical) 5-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
Bill History:		03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 741	Birdwell, Brian(R) Sanford, Scott(R)	Relating to the carrying or storage of a handgun by a school marshal.
Bill History:		05-24-21 H Passed to third reading
 SB 836	Alvarado, Carol(D)	Relating to the prohibited sale of flavored cigarettes, e-cigarettes, and tobacco products and administrative penalties for the prohibited sales.
Companions:		HB 3842 Coleman, Garnet (Identical) 3-23-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health
Bill History:		03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
 SB 980	Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to a suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention program for certain public elementary school campuses.
Companions:		HB 2954 Thompson, Senfronia (Identical) 5-24-21 S Voted favorably from committee as substituted Senate Education
Bill History:		04-20-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
 SB 1083	Campbell, Donna(R)	Relating to parental approval for a student's participation in human sexuality instruction in public schools.
Bill History:		05-24-21 H Referred to House Committee on House Public Education
Bill History:		05-18-21 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for
 SB 1319	Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to the applicability of requirements regarding the suspension of a student from a school district of innovation.

		Bill History:	03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 1487	Hughes, Bryan(R)		Relating to the use of peace officers as attendance officers for school districts and open-enrollment charter schools.						
		Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 1595	Lucio, Eddie(D)		Relating to the use of corporal punishment in public schools.						
		Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 1596	Lucio, Eddie(D)		Relating to the membership of a school district's threat assessment and safe and supportive school team and committee and the school safety allotment under the public school finance system.						
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		Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 1598	Lucio, Eddie(D)		Relating to the regional inventory of mental health resources for public schools and the statewide plan for student mental health.						
		Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 1669	Hall, Bob(R)		Relating to prohibited discrimination regarding vaccination status and mandates for receiving or participating in the administration of vaccines.						
		Bill History:	05-10-21 S Committee action pending Senate State Affairs						
 SB 1670	Hall, Bob(R)		Relating to immunization requirements for admission to public schools.						
		Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 1712	Springer, Drew (F)(R)		Relating to sales and use taxes on e-cigarettes and nicotine products.						
		Bill History:	03-26-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance						

 **SB 2050** Menendez, Jose(D)
Allison, Steve(R) Relating to the prevention of and the reporting of incidents of bullying committed by public school students.


Bill History: 05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar

Immunizations


 **HB 325** Howard, Donna(D) Relating to the immunization data included in and excluded from the immunization registry.

Companions: **SB 468** Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health


 **HB 516** Beckley, Michelle(D) Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of public school students.

Bill History: 03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 **HB 591** Turner, Chris(D) Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of public school students.


Companions: **SB 138** Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services







Bill History: 03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 **HB 2968** Cason, Jeff (F)(R) Relating to informed consent to immunizations for children.







Companions: **SB 1310** Hall, Bob (Identical)
3-31-21 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services








Bill History: 03-18-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health








 **HB 3222** Leach, Jeff(R) Relating to claiming an exemption from required immunizations for school students.





		Bill History:	03-19-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health						
 HB 4272	Klick, Stephanie(R) Kolkhorst, Lois(R)		Relating to requirements for information contained in the immunization registry.						
		Bill History:	05-21-21 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar						
 SB 138	Johnson, Nathan(D)		Relating to the vaccination against bacterial meningitis of public school students.						
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		3- 1-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health							
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services						
 SB 239	Powell, Beverly(D) Collier, Nicole(D)		Relating to the provision of educational materials regarding disease prevention during a disaster.						
		Bill History:	05-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar						
 SB 636	Seliger, Kel(R)		Relating to requirements for and the transparency of epidemiological reports and certain immunization exemption information and reports.						
		Bill History:	04-14-21 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services						
 SB 1310	Hall, Bob(R)		Relating to informed consent to immunizations for children.						
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		Bill History:	03-31-21 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services						
 SB 1353	Miles, Borris(D) Guerra, Bobby(D)		Relating to the biennial legislative report on immunizations issued by the Department of State Health Services.						
		Bill History:	05-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar						

Juvenile Justice Reform



 HB 30	Talarico, James(D) Whitmire, John(D)	Relating to educational requirements for certain incarcerated students						
Bill History:		05-22-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)						
 HB 486	Wu, Gene(D)	Relating to the age of criminal responsibility and to certain substantive and procedural matters related to that age.						
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HB 1273	Crockett, Jasmine (F)	(Identical)						
	3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues							
Bill History:		03-22-21 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues						
 HB 487	Wu, Gene(D)	Relating to the age of a child at which a juvenile court may exercise jurisdiction over the child and to the minimum age of criminal responsibility.						
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	3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Jurisprudence							
Bill History:		05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar						
 HB 488	Wu, Gene(D)	Relating to requirements for a juvenile's appearance in a judicial proceeding.						
Bill History:		03-30-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues						
 HB 822	Burns, DeWayne(R)	Relating to requiring the expulsion of a public school student who engages in certain conduct that constitutes the felony offense of terroristic threat.						
Bill History:		03-29-21 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues						
 HB 826	Dutton, Harold(D)	Relating to an affirmative defense available to certain students enrolled in grade level nine or above who engage in prohibited sexual contact with another student at or above that grade level.						
Bill History:		03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues						








 HB 961	Burns, DeWayne(R)	Relating to the authority to issue a citation for certain Class C misdemeanors committed by certain children on school property.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 1273	Crockett, Jasmine (F)(D)	Relating to the age of criminal responsibility and to certain substantive and procedural matters related to that age.
	Companions:	HB 486 Wu, Gene (Identical) 3-22-21 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
	Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 1275	Crockett, Jasmine (F)(D)	Relating to a prohibition on prosecuting or referring to juvenile court certain persons for certain conduct constituting the offense of prostitution and to the provision of services to those persons.
	Companions:	HB 162 Thierry, Shawn (Identical) 5-17-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Jurisprudence
	Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 1401	Johnson, Ann (F)(D) Huffman, Joan(R)	Relating to methods to send applications and orders for sealing juvenile records.
	Bill History:	05-24-21 G Sent to the Governor
 HB 1999	Canales, Terry(D)	Relating to a specialty mental health court program for juveniles.
	Bill History:	03-24-21 H Removed from hearing 03/29/21 - House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 2278	Bernal, Diego(D)	Relating to the expulsion of public school students for engaging in conduct that constitutes serious offenses.
	Bill History:	04-22-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 2669	Guillen, Ryan(D) Zaffirini, Judith(D)	Relating to the confidentiality of a child's criminal records related to certain misdemeanor offenses.
	Bill History:	05-22-21 G Sent to the Governor








 HB 3165	Meyer, Morgan(R) Whitmire, John(D)	Relating to an affirmative defense to an allegation of truant conduct.
Bill History:		05-22-21 G Sent to the Governor
 HB 3450	White, James(R)	Relating to the justified use of force by a school employee or volunteer against a student.
Bill History:		05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 3660	White, James(R) Perry, Charles(R)	Relating to youth diversion programs for children accused of certain fine-only offenses and related criminal justice matters.
Companions:		SB 512 Perry, Charles (Identical) 4- 8-21 S Committee action pending Senate Criminal Justice
Bill History:		05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
 HB 4106	Allen, Alma(D)	Relating to a public school student's transition from an alternative education program to a regular classroom and the admission of certain students with a criminal or disciplinary history.
Bill History:		03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 4158	Turner, John(D) Kolkhorst, Lois(R)	Relating to the dissemination of confidential information contained in the juvenile justice information system.
Companions:		SB 1154 Kolkhorst, Lois (Identical) 3-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services
Bill History:		05-22-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)
 HB 4355	Krause, Matt(R)	Relating to providing children committed to the Texas Juvenile Justice Department and prisoners serving a sentence in a county jail with certain documents on discharge or release.
Bill History:		05-14-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice
 HB 4371	Allen, Alma(D)	Relating to juvenile justice reform, including the age of a child at which a juvenile court may exercise jurisdiction over the child and the age of criminal responsibility.







		Bill History:	04-29-21 H Vote failed in committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 4544	Swanson, Valoree(R) Whitmire, John(D)		Relating to the issuance of personal identification certificates to youths committed to the Texas Juvenile Justice Department.
		Bill History:	05-24-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)
 SB 512	Perry, Charles(R)		Relating to youth diversion programs for children accused of certain fine-only offenses and related criminal justice matters.
		Companions:	HB 3660 White, James (Identical) 5-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
		Bill History:	04-08-21 S Committee action pending Senate Criminal Justice
 SB 741	Birdwell, Brian(R) Sanford, Scott(R)		Relating to the carrying or storage of a handgun by a school marshal.
		Bill History:	05-24-21 H Passed to third reading
 SB 1319	Lucio, Eddie(D)		Relating to the applicability of requirements regarding the suspension of a student from a school district of innovation.
		Bill History:	03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education



Misc. Legislation







 HB 57	Talarico, James(D)		Relating to civics instruction in public schools.
		Companions:	SB 229 Johnson, Nathan (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 58	Fierro, Art(D)		Relating to the eligibility of certain persons younger than 18 years of age to preregister to vote.
		Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections









 HB 85	Toth, Steve(R)	Relating to a study conducted by the Legislative Budget Board on the impact of federal educational mandates on school districts.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations
 HB 220	Bernal, Diego(D)	Relating to establishing resource campuses to improve a public school campus not performing satisfactorily.
	Bill History:	04-30-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education
 HB 333	Talarico, James(D)	Relating to establishing a Texas Service Corps to provide student loan relief, job training, and work experience, in exchange for providing community service in underserved areas.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House International Relations/Economic Dev
 HB 363	VanDeaver, Gary(R) Perry, Charles(R)	Relating to restricting the use of personally identifiable student information by an operator of a website, online service, online application, or mobile application used for a school purpose.
	Companions:	SB 1526 Perry, Charles (Identical) 4-22-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
	Bill History:	05-22-21 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for
 HB 422	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to speech protections for student publications in public schools.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 547	Frank, James(R) Paxton, Angela(R)	Relating to authorizing equal opportunity for access by home-schooled students to University Interscholastic League sponsored activities.
	Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Items Eligible Calendar
 HB 589	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to the use of public school counselors' work time.
	Companions:	SB 179 Lucio, Eddie (Identical) 5-24-21 H Passed (Vote: Y:102/N: 41)
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education







 HB 612	Pacheco, Leo(D)	Relating to the scheduling of the first and last days of school for students by school districts.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 644	Raymond, Richard(D)	Relating to consideration by the board of trustees of a school district of parental complaints regarding student or parent participation in an extracurricular activity.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 680	Hernandez, Ana(D)	Relating to the secretary of state providing voter registration application forms to high schools.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
 HB 690	Metcalf, Will(R) Zaffirini, Judith(D)	Relating to training requirements for a member of the board of trustees of an independent school district.
	Bill History:	05-22-21 G Sent to the Governor
 HB 724	Guerra, Bobby(D)	Relating to voter registration application forms in high schools.
	Companions:	<p>HB 1031 Howard, Donna (Identical) 3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections</p> <p>SB 287 West, Royce (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs</p>
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
 HB 749	Middleton, Mayes(R)	Relating to the use by a political subdivision of public funds for lobbying activities.
	Companions:	SB 234 Hall, Bob (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
	Bill History:	03-25-21 H Committee action pending House State Affairs
 HB 800	Rosenthal, Jon(D)	Relating to the assignment of a public school student to an uncertified teacher.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 HB 1031	Howard, Donna(D)	Relating to voter registration application forms in high schools.
Companions:		<p>HB 724 Guerra, Bobby (Identical) 3- 1-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections</p> <p>SB 287 West, Royce (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs</p>
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
 HB 1176	Crockett, Jasmine (F)(D)	Relating to allowing a person who will be 18 years of age on the date of the general election for state and county officers to vote in the preceding primary elections.
Companions:		<p>SB 55 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs</p>
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
 HB 1206	Guillen, Ryan(D)	Relating to permissible uses of the instructional materials and technology allotment.
Companions:		<p>SB 241 Powell, Beverly (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education</p>
Bill History:		05-14-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education
 HB 1303	Guillen, Ryan(D)	Relating to an academic distinction designation for high student achievement under the public school accountability system.
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1304	Guillen, Ryan(D)	Relating to a public school student earning a performance acknowledgment on the student's transcript.
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1417	Harless, Sam(R)	Relating to the content of a public school campus improvement plan.








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 HB 1528	Gates, Gary(R)	Relating to the posting of certain information regarding programs of study offered under a school district's career and technology education program.	Bill History: 03-08-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1542	Gates, Gary(R)	Relating to the reporting of certain information on career and technology education in public schools.	Bill History: 03-08-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1797	Allison, Steve(R)	Relating to ad valorem and franchise tax credits for donations to school districts to create or support career and technical education programs or courses.	Bill History: 03-10-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means
 HB 1836	Holland, Justin(R)	Relating to the pledge of allegiance to the state flag.	Bill History: 03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs
 HB 2120	Bell, Keith(R) Perry, Charles(R)	Relating to school district hearings regarding complaints.	Bill History: 05-26-21 S Set on the Local Calendar
 HB 2230	Bucy, John(D)	Relating to a study on incorporating fine arts into the foundation curriculum for public schools.	Bill History: 05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 2261	Wu, Gene(D)	Relating to the authority of a municipal management district to provide public education facilities and public education-related supplemental services.	Bill History: 05-06-21 H Bill pronounced dead by procedural action
 HB 3687	Capriglione, Giovanni(R)	Relating to the disclosure of lobbying contract information by political subdivisions.	




		Bill History:	03-25-21 H Committee action pending House State Affairs						
 HB 3861	Howard, Donna(D)		Relating to the establishment of a task force to study the effect of delayed school start times on students.						
		Bill History:	03-24-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education						
 HB 4042	Hefner, Cole(R)		Relating to requiring public school students to participate in interscholastic athletic activities based on biological sex.						
		Bill History:	04-20-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education						
 HB 4088	Talarico, James(D)		Relating to human sexuality education in public schools.						
		Bill History:	03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education						
 HB 4120	Deshotel, Joe(D)		Relating to the efficient use and generation of electricity by public schools.						
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 HB 4465	Dutton, Harold(D) Taylor, Larry(R)		Relating to grants available to school districts and open-enrollment charter schools to provide services to students after a disaster in the state of Texas.						
		Bill History:	05-24-21 S Reported from committee as substituted Senate Education						
 HJR 69	Crockett, Jasmine (F)(D)		Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing certain persons under the age of 18 to vote in a primary election.						
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 SB 10	Bettencourt, Paul(R) Paddie, Chris(R)	Relating to the use by a county or municipality of public money for lobbying activities.						
	Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar						
 SB 27	Taylor, Larry(R)	Relating to the state virtual school network.						
	Bill History:	05-04-21 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for						
 SB 29	Perry, Charles(R) Dutton, Harold(D)	Relating to requiring public school students to participate in interscholastic athletic activities based on biological sex.						
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 SB 61	Zaffirini, Judith(D)	Relating to the creation and duties of the unfunded mandates inter-agency work group.						
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance						
 SB 105	Menendez, Jose(D)	Relating to the salary paid to classroom teachers employed by public schools.						
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 123	Johnson, Nathan(D) Turner, John(D)	Relating to the inclusion of social and emotional skills in character trait instruction provided by public schools.						
	Bill History:	05-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar						
 SB 178	Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to the employment of certified school counselors by school districts.						
	Bill History:	03-18-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education						


 SB 179	Lucio, Eddie(D) Huberty, Dan(R)	Relating to the use of public school counselors' work time.
Companions:		HB 589 Gonzalez, Mary (Identical) 3- 1-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
Bill History:		05-24-21 H Passed (Vote: Y:102/N: 41)
 SB 215	Bettencourt, Paul(R)	Relating to the creation of the office of inspector general at the Texas Education Agency to investigate the administration of public education.
Bill History:		05-20-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
 SB 229	Johnson, Nathan(D)	Relating to civics instruction in public schools.
Companions:		HB 57 Talarico, James (Identical) 2-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
Bill History:		03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 234	Hall, Bob(R)	Relating to the use by a political subdivision of public funds for lobbying activities.
Companions:		HB 749 Middleton, Mayes (Identical) 3-25-21 H Committee action pending House State Affairs
Bill History:		03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
 SB 241	Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to permissible uses of the instructional materials and technology allotment.
Companions:		HB 1206 Guillen, Ryan (Identical) 5-14-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education
Bill History:		03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 272	West, Royce(D)	Relating to requiring the board of trustees of each school district to create a nonvoting student trustee position on the board.
Bill History:		05-04-21 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for

 SB 287	West, Royce(D)	Relating to voter registration application forms in high schools.
Companions:		<div data-bbox="738 273 1364 367"> HB 724 Guerra, Bobby (Identical) 3- 1-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections </div> <div data-bbox="738 367 1364 493"> HB 1031 Howard, Donna (Identical) 3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections </div>
Bill History:		03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
 SB 289	Seliger, Kel(R) VanDeaver, Gary(R)	Relating to excused absences from public school for certain students to obtain a driver's license or learner license.
Bill History:		05-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar
 SB 560	Lucio, Eddie(D) Guerra, Bobby(D)	Relating to developing a strategic plan for the improvement and expansion of high-quality bilingual education.
Companions:		<div data-bbox="738 913 1364 987"> HB 2258 Guerra, Bobby (Identical) 5-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar </div>
Bill History:		05-24-21 H Passed (Vote: Y:112/N: 31)
 SB 587	Springer, Drew (F)(R)	Relating to the career and technology education allotment under the Foundation School Program.
Companions:		<div data-bbox="738 1165 1364 1302"> HB 3128 VanDeaver, Gary (Identical) 3-19-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education </div>
Bill History:		03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 661	Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to the establishment of the Building Better Futures Program to support educational and occupational skills training opportunities and support services.
Bill History:		03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Higher Education
 SB 681	Blanco, Cesar (F)(D)	Relating to requiring school districts to adopt a policy regarding the idling of the engine of a school bus.
Bill History:		03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education



 SB 728	Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to the use of average enrollment for purposes of the public school finance system.						
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Bill History:		03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce						
 SB 1351	Miles, Borris(D) Allen, Alma(D)	Relating to the donation of food by public school campuses.						
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Bill History:		05-26-21 H Set on the Local Calendar						
 SB 1356	Hughes, Bryan(R) Dutton, Harold(D)	Relating to a program to facilitate public school tutoring by certain teachers.						
Bill History:		05-25-21 S Set on the Senate Items Eligible Calendar						
 SB 1362	Bettencourt, Paul(R)	Relating to prohibiting public schools from leasing, owning, or having a business interest in certain entities and real property associated with those entities.						
Bill History:		03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 1363	Bettencourt, Paul(R)	Relating to governmental entities that may partner with a school district to operate a district campus.						





		Bill History:	03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 1487	Hughes, Bryan(R)		Relating to the use of peace officers as attendance officers for school districts and open-enrollment charter schools.
		Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 1716	Taylor, Larry(R) Bonnen, Greg(R)		Relating to a supplemental special education services and instructional materials program for certain public school students receiving special education services.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 SJR 12	Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing certain persons under the age of 18 to vote in a primary election.
		Companions:	HJR 69 Crockett, Jasmine (F) (Identical) 3-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Parent Involvement



 SB 1445	Seliger, Kel(R)		Relating to a parental option to request the return to or retention at a certain grade level for a public school student whose education was disrupted by the coronavirus disease pandemic.
		Bill History:	03-24-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Pre-K/Early Education

 HB 41	Talarico, James(D)		Relating to class size limits and student/teacher ratios for prekindergarten classes provided by or on behalf of public schools
		Bill History:	05-17-21 S Received in the Senate
 HB 725	Patterson, Jared(R) Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Relating to the eligibility of certain children who are or were in foster care for free prekindergarten programs in public schools.

		Bill History:	05-22-21 G Sent to the Governor
 HB 1621	Guillen, Ryan(D)		Relating to providing free full-day prekindergarten for certain children.
		Bill History:	03-09-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1792	Button, Angie Chen(R) Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Relating to the evaluation of child-care providers participating in the Texas Rising Star Program.
	Companions:	SB 694	Zaffirini, Judith (Identical) 3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services
		Bill History:	05-24-21 G Sent to the Governor
 SB 37	Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Relating to providing free full-day prekindergarten for certain children.
	Companions:	HB 2231	Bucy, John (Identical) 3-15-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
 SB 2081	Menendez, Jose(D) Talarico, James(D)		Relating to the average ratio of students and teachers in a prekindergarten class.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar

Special Pops./At Risk

 HB 24	Dominguez, Alex(D)		Relating to funding for school districts to provide inclusive and accessible playgrounds.
	Companions:	SB 520	Lucio, Eddie (Identical) 3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
		Bill History:	05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar
 HB 28	Neave, Victoria(D)		Relating to social work services in public schools.

Companions: [HB 226](#) Bernal, Diego (Identical)
2-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

[SB 253](#) Menendez, Jose (Identical)
3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 51](#) Talarico, James(D)

Relating to establishing an Office of Early Childhood to coordinate, consolidate and integrate early childhood programs

Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 144](#) Gonzalez, Mary(D)

Relating to supplemental information required for inclusion with a written statement of an individualized education program developed for certain public school students who received special education services during the 2019-2020.

Companions: [SB 89](#) Menendez, Jose (Identical)
5-24-21 G Sent to the Governor

Bill History: 05-13-21 S Received in the Senate

 [HB 163](#) Bernal, Diego(D)

Relating to the compensatory education allotment for homeless students.

Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 168](#) Gonzalez, Mary(D)

Relating to the regulation of child-care facilities and registered family homes providing services to children with disabilities or special needs.

Bill History: 03-16-21 H Committee action pending House Human Services

 [HB 181](#) Thierry, Shawn(D)







Relating to the employment of full-time registered nurses at public schools.

Bill History: 02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education








 [HB 193](#) Rose, Toni(D)
Blanco, Cesar (F)(D)








Relating to the destruction of juvenile court records of victims of sex trafficking.







Bill History: 05-26-21 S Set on the Local Calendar





 HB 226	Bernal, Diego(D)	Relating to social work services in public schools.
Companions:		HB 28 Neave, Victoria (Identical) 2-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education SB 253 Menendez, Jose (Identical) 3- 3-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
Bill History:		02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 287	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to the employment of certified school counselors to comply with the ratio requirement of counselors to public school students.
Bill History:		02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 411	Johnson, Julie(D)	Relating to the terminology used to refer to an individualized education program team.
Companions:		SB 1108 Powell, Beverly (Identical) 3-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Jurisprudence
Bill History:		04-12-21 S Received in the Senate
 HB 564	Lopez, Ray(D)	Relating to trauma-informed care for children in the conservatorship of the Department of Family and Protective Services, trauma-informed care training for certain department employees.
Bill History:		03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services
 HB 575	Johnson, Jarvis(D)	Relating to the Department of Family and Protective Services enrolling certain foster children in the Preparation for Adult Living Program.
Bill History:		03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services
 HB 589	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to the use of public school counselors' work time.
Companions:		SB 179 Lucio, Eddie (Identical) 5-24-21 H Passed (Vote: Y:102/N: 41)
Bill History:		03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 HB 700	Johnson, Jarvis(D) Zaffirini, Judith(D)	Relating to the eligibility of foster children to receive college credit for completing the Preparation for Adult Living Program.
		Bill History: 05-24-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)
 HB 742	Burns, DeWayne(R)	Relating to procedures for the alternative assessment of certain public school students that receive special education services and alternative accountability plans for certain campuses.
		Bill History: 04-27-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House Public Education
 HB 785	Allen, Alma(D) Zaffirini, Judith(D)	Relating to behavior improvement plans and behavioral intervention plans for certain public school students and notification and documentation requirements regarding certain behavior management techniques.
		Bill History: 05-22-21 G Sent to the Governor
 HB 807	Hinojosa, Gina(D)	Relating to evaluation under the state accountability system of school district campuses that enroll certain students who receive special education services.
		Bill History: 03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 823	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to the inclusion of chronically absent students as students at risk of dropping out of school and the collection and reporting of data regarding those students.
		Bill History: 03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 828	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to requiring disability studies as part of the enrichment curriculum for public schools.
		Bill History: 03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 855	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to a joint study and report by the Texas Education Agency and the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding the transition of public school students with disabilities to higher education.
		Bill History: 03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education




 HB 877	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to the appointment of an educational representative for certain students with disabilities.
Companions:		SB 2105 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical) 4-13-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education
Bill History:		03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1015	Toth, Steve(R)	Relating to an education microgrant pilot program for certain children with special needs and other educational disadvantages.
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1163	Gonzalez, Mary(D)	Relating to prohibiting the use of certain restraints on students enrolled in public schools who receive special education services.
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1194	Wu, Gene(D)	Relating to requiring a school district or open-enrollment charter school to report data regarding restraints administered to, complaints filed against, citations issued to, and arrests made of students.
Companions:		SB 936 West, Royce (Identical) 3-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
Bill History:		04-28-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education
 HB 1201	Wu, Gene(D)	Relating to alternative settings for behavior management in public schools, including the development of restorative discipline practices as part of a school district's discipline.
Bill History:		03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1252	Moody, Joe(D) Hall, Bob(R)	Relating to the limitation period for filing a complaint and requesting a special education impartial due process hearing.
Bill History:		05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
 HB 1597	Johnson, Jarvis(D)	Relating to transitional living services provided to foster youth transitioning to independent living.

		Bill History:	03-08-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services
 HB 1602	Gonzalez, Mary(D)		Relating to information regarding career and employment skills development required to be included with a written statement of an individualized education program developed for certain public school students.
		Bill History:	03-09-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1709	Neave, Victoria(D)		Relating to status offenses committed by a child, including the repeal of the status offense of a child voluntarily running away from home.
		Companions:	SB 404 Johnson, Nathan (Identical) 3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice
		Bill History:	05-17-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Jurisprudence
 HB 3315	Crockett, Jasmine (F)(D)		Relating to the creation of a pretrial intervention program for certain youth offenders.
		Bill History:	05-14-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice
 HB 4324	Crockett, Jasmine (F)(D)		Relating to preventing discrimination in foster care.
		Bill History:	03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services
 HB 4545	Dutton, Harold(D) Taylor, Larry(R)		Relating to the purchase of certain-instruction-related materials, the establishment of a strong foundations grant program, providing accelerated instruction for students who fail.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
 HCR 27	Guillen, Ryan(D)		Designating the first full week in April as Gifted and Talented Students Week for a 10-year period beginning in 2021.
		Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 SB 54	Zaffirini, Judith(D)		Relating to a study and report by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding best practices for assisting students with autism spectrum disorder.

		Bill History:	05-21-21 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar						
 SB 78	Miles, Borris(D)		Relating to a notification requirement if a public school, including an open-enrollment charter school, does not have a nurse, school counselor, or librarian assigned to the school during all instructional hours.						
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 88	Menendez, Jose(D)		Relating to a special education liaison program and the provision of certain special education services at public school districts.						
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 89	Menendez, Jose(D) Gonzalez, Mary(D)		Relating to supplemental information required for inclusion with a written statement of an individualized education program developed for certain public school students who received special education services.						
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 SB 96	Menendez, Jose(D)		Relating to the provision of on-campus mental health services by a school district and reimbursement under Medicaid for certain services provided to eligible students.						
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 179	Lucio, Eddie(D) Huberty, Dan(R)		Relating to the use of public school counselors' work time.						
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		Bill History:	05-24-21 H Passed (Vote: Y:102/N: 41)						
 SB 193	Powell, Beverly(D)		Relating to an audit by the Texas Education Agency of public school professional development training requirements.						
		Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						

 SB 259	Menendez, Jose(D)	Relating to the establishment of a grant program to provide additional resources for public school students with disabilities.						
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 414	Lucio, Eddie(D)	Relating to the justified use of force by a school employee or volunteer against a student.						
	Bill History:	03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 1716	Taylor, Larry(R) Bonnen, Greg(R)	Relating to a supplemental special education services and instructional materials program for certain public school students receiving special education services.						
	Bill History:	05-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar						
 SB 2023	Powell, Beverly(D)	Relating to providing high-quality tutoring services to public school students, including the creation of the Texas Tutor Corps program, the establishment of a COVID-19 learning loss.						
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	Bill History:	05-19-21 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for						

State Board of Education

 HB 300	Hunter, Todd(R)	Relating to the composition of the districts for the election of members of the State Board of Education.
	Bill History:	03-11-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Redistricting
 HB 613	Hinojosa, Gina(D)	Relating to the election of the commissioner of education.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1612	Davis, Yvonne(D)	Relating to the composition of districts for the election of members of the State Board of Education.

Bill History: 03-09-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Redistricting

 HB 3880

Dutton, Harold(D)
Paxton, Angela(R)

Relating to a student's eligibility for special education services provided by a school district.

Companions: SB 1694 Paxton, Angela (Identical)
3-26-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for

Trafficking

 HB 162

Thierry, Shawn(D)

Relating to a prohibition on prosecuting or referring to juvenile court certain persons for certain conduct constituting the offense of prostitution and to the provision of services to those persons.

Companions: HB 1275 Crockett, Jasmine (F) (Identical)
3- 4-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

Bill History: 05-17-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Jurisprudence

 HB 379

Smith, Reggie(R)

Relating to changing the eligibility for parole of certain inmates serving a sentence for the offense of online solicitation of a minor.

Bill History: 04-19-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice

 HB 390

Thompson, Senfronia(D)
Huffman, Joan(R)

Relating to requirements for human trafficking awareness and prevention in commercial lodging establishments.

Companions: SB 316 Huffman, Joan (Identical)
3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Jurisprudence









Bill History: 09-01-21 G Earliest effective date




 HB 462

Shaheen, Matt(R)




Relating to the prosecution of the offense of trafficking of persons.


Bill History: 05-13-21 H Set on the House Calendar

 HB 465	Shaheen, Matt(R) Huffman, Joan(R)	Relating to changing the eligibility for release on parole of certain inmates serving sentences for trafficking offenses involving one or more child victims.
	Bill History:	05-26-21 S Set on the Local Calendar
 HB 717	Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara(D)	Relating to the corroboration of certain testimony in the prosecution of a trafficking of persons offense.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence
 HB 1700	Gates, Gary(R)	Relating to certain procedures in suits affecting the parent-child relationship filed by the Department of Family and Protective Services.
	Bill History:	03-09-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
 HB 1775	Tinderholt, Tony(R)	Relating to increased penalties for the offense of trafficking of persons that involves a child victim or the death of any victim.
	Bill History:	03-10-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence
 HB 2633	Johnson, Ann (F)(D) Huffman, Joan(R)	Relating to resources provided to human trafficking victims and the establishment of the trafficked persons grant program.
	Bill History:	05-26-21 S Set on the Local Calendar
 HB 3718	Parker, Tan(R)	Relating to the requirement that certain entities post human trafficking signs.
	Bill History:	05-10-21 H Reported from committee as substituted Licensing and Administrative Procedures
 HB 4135	Collier, Nicole(D)	Relating to the prosecution of the criminal offense of sexual assault.
	Companions:	SB 945 Eckhardt, Sarah (F) (Identical) 4-20-21 S Committee action pending Senate Criminal Justice
	Bill History:	03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence
 HB 4413	Crockett, Jasmine (F)(D)	Relating to changing the definition of compelling prostitution to mean child sexual exploitation.


		Bill History:	03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence
 HB 4528	Guillen, Ryan(D)		Relating to the punishment for the offense of trafficking of persons.
		Bill History:	04-29-21 H Voted favorably from committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence
 SB 1831	Taylor, Larry(R) Thompson, Senfronia(D)		Relating to the increase of penalties for those who engage in the crime of solicitation or trafficking on school premises.
		Bill History:	05-25-21 S Set on the Senate Items Eligible Calendar
 SB 2158	Campbell, Donna(R) Frank, James(R)		Relating to authorizing the Texas Education Agency to provide identification kits for certain children.
		Bill History:	05-24-21 H Passed to third reading

Vouchers / School Choice

 HB 1015	Toth, Steve(R)		Relating to an education microgrant pilot program for certain children with special needs and other educational disadvantages.
		Bill History:	03-04-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 3528	Sanford, Scott(R)		Relating to the grade levels at which students may enroll in courses provided through the state virtual school network.
		Bill History:	04-15-21 H Committee action pending House Public Education
 HB 4537	Middleton, Mayes(R)		Relating to the establishment of the Family Educational Relief Program and an insurance premium tax credit for contributions made for purposes of that program.
		Companions:	SB 1968 Bettencourt, Paul (Identical) 5-17-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
		Bill History:	03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 SB 1698 Paxton, Angela(R) Relating to a franchise or insurance premium tax credit for contributions made to certain educational assistance organizations.

Bill History: 03-26-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

 SB 1968 Bettencourt, Paul(R) Relating to the establishment of the Family Educational Relief Program and an insurance premium tax credit for contributions made for purposes of that program.

Companions: [HB 4537](#) Middleton, Mayes (Identical)
3-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education


Bill History: 05-17-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for

Texas Digital Connectivity


 HB 4 Price, Four(R)
Buckingham, Dawn(R) Relating to telemedicine, telehealth, and technology-related health care services.

Companions: [HB 974](#) Price, Four (Identical)
3- 1-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health
[SB 412](#) Buckingham, Dawn (Identical)
3-23-21 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services








Bill History: 05-24-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)




 HB 5 Ashby, Trent(R)
Nichols, Robert(R) Relating to the expansion of broadband services to certain areas.


Bill History: 05-06-21 S Senate appointed conference committee
Nichols, West, Perry, Hinojosa and Hancock

 HB 244 Gonzalez, Mary(D) Relating to the establishment of a grant program for promoting computer science certification and professional development in coding, technology applications, and computer science for public school teachers.

Bill History: 05-17-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

 HB 258	Bernal, Diego(D)	Relating to certain contracting requirements for the provision of broadband Internet access service to governmental entities.
	Bill History:	02-25-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs
 HB 425	King, Ken(R)	Relating to the use of the universal service fund for the provision of broadband service in underserved rural areas.
	Bill History:	04-13-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House State Affairs
 HB 745	Guerra, Bobby(D)	Relating to the establishment of telehealth programs by public schools.
	Bill History:	03-01-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 1446	Ashby, Trent(R)	Relating to the expansion of broadband services to certain areas.
	Companions:	SB 506 Nichols, Robert (Identical) 3- 9-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation
	Bill History:	03-05-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs
 HB 1505	Paddie, Chris(R) Hancock, Kelly(R)	Relating to attachments for broadband service on utility poles owned by an electric cooperative.
	Companions:	SB 1283 Hancock, Kelly (Identical) 3-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation
	Bill History:	05-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for
 HB 1511	Button, Angie Chen(R)	Relating to the creation of the connectivity office within the office of the governor.
	Bill History:	03-08-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs
	Bill History:	05-24-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)
 HB 2531	Anderson, Doc(R)	Relating to an accommodation process authorizing the use of state highway rights-of-way by broadband-only providers.

		Companions:	SB 507 Nichols, Robert (Identical) 5-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar
		Bill History:	04-01-21 H Not heard in committee House State Affairs
 HB 2682	Gonzalez, Mary(D)		Relating to digital citizenship instruction in public schools.
		Bill History:	03-17-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 2907	Raymond, Richard(D)		Relating to the reporting of broadband speeds by Internet service providers to the governor's broadband development council.
		Bill History:	03-23-21 H Removed from hearing 03/25/21 - House State Affairs
 HB 3198	Meza, Terry(D)		Relating to the diagnosis, maintenance, and repair of digital electronic equipment.
		Bill History:	03-19-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Business and Industry
 HB 3261	Huberty, Dan(R) Taylor, Larry(R)		Relating to the electronic administration of assessment instruments in public schools and to certain measures to support Internet connectivity for purposes of those assessment instruments.
		Companions:	SB 1171 Taylor, Larry (Identical) 5-25-21 H Set on the House Calendar
		Bill History:	05-22-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 29/N: 1)
 HB 3406	Raymond, Richard(D)		Relating to the creation of a mobile Internet access hotspot grant program to provide grants to facilitate distance learning for public school students.
		Bill History:	03-22-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education
 HB 3499	Frank, James(R)		Relating to the provision of telehealth services by health professionals located outside of this state.
		Companions:	SB 992 Hancock, Kelly (Identical) 3-30-21 S Committee action pending Senate Business and Commerce
		Bill History:	03-22-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health


 **HB 3591** Jetton, Jacey (F)(R) Relating to the creation of a high-speed Internet access grant program to facilitate instruction and learning for public school students.

Bill History: 05-03-21 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Education


 **HB 3853** Anderson, Doc(R)
Perry, Charles(R) Relating to middle mile broadband service provided by an electric utility.

Companions: [SB 1650](#) Perry, Charles (Identical)
5-11-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House State Affairs


Bill History: 05-22-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)

 **HB 3889** Morales Shaw, Penny (F)(D)
Powell, Beverly(D) Relating to the cost for certain public school students of a broadband Internet access program offered by the Texas Education Agency.


Bill History: 05-21-21 S Committee action pending Senate Education

 **HB 4375** Rodriguez, Eddie(D) Relating to the expansion of broadband services to certain areas.


Bill History: 03-29-21 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs

 **SB 5** Nichols, Robert(R) Relating to the expansion of broadband services to certain areas.


Bill History: 04-07-21 H Referred to House Committee on House State Affairs

 **SB 154** Perry, Charles(R) Relating to the creation of the broadband office within the Public Utility Commission of Texas and the establishment of a broadband service investment grant program.






Bill History: 03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation








 **SB 200** Nelson, Jane(R) Relating to the exclusion of Internet access service from sales and use taxes.

Bill History: 03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

 **SB 241** Powell, Beverly(D) Relating to permissible uses of the instructional materials and technology allotment.

Companions: [HB 1206](#) Guillen, Ryan (Identical)

		5-14-21 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education						
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 258	Menendez, Jose(D)	Relating to a remote education and distance learning allotment under the Foundation School Program.						
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 259	Menendez, Jose(D)	Relating to the establishment of a grant program to provide additional resources for public school students with disabilities.						
	Bill History:	03-03-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education						
 SB 434	Blanco, Cesar (F)(D)	Relating to the provision and delivery of certain health, mental health, and educational services in this state, including the delivery of those services using telecommunications or information technology.						
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	Bill History:	03-09-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce						
 SB 506	Nichols, Robert(R)	Relating to the expansion of broadband services to certain areas.						
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 SB 618	Gutierrez, Roland (F)(D)	<p>Relating to the creation of the Texas Telecommunications Infrastructure Board.</p> <p>Bill History: 03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce</p>
 SB 622	Gutierrez, Roland (F)(D)	<p>Relating to the new technology implementation grant program.</p> <p>Bill History: 03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Natural Resources/Economic Development</p>
 SB 686	Lucio, Eddie(D)	<p>Relating to the creation and funding of the Texas student connectivity account.</p> <p>Bill History: 03-11-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce</p>
 SB 1283	Hancock, Kelly(R)	<p>Relating to attachments for broadband service on utility poles owned by an electric cooperative.</p> <p>Companions: HB 1505 Paddie, Chris (Identical) 5-25-21 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for</p> <p>Bill History: 03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation</p>
 SB 1389	West, Royce(D)	<p>Relating to remote learning programs provided by school districts and the calculation of average daily attendance in public schools.</p> <p>Bill History: 03-18-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education</p>
 SB 1650	Perry, Charles(R) Anderson, Doc(R)	<p>Relating to middle mile broadband service provided by an electric utility.</p> <p>Companions: HB 3853 Anderson, Doc (Identical) 5-22-21 S Passed (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)</p> <p>Bill History: 05-11-21 H Reported favorably from committee on House State Affairs</p>
 SB 1799	West, Royce(D)	<p>Relating to the creation of a broadband Internet connectivity and broadband access grant program to facilitate instruction and learning for public school students.</p> <p>Bill History: 03-26-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation</p>

 SJR 64

Gutierrez, Roland (F)(D)

Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the issuance of general obligation bonds to support the development of public telecommunications.

Bill History:

03-26-21 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce