

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 84th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2003
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2324

5 By: Representative Borhauer
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REQUIRE HIGH SCHOOLS TO TEACH A COURSE
10 IN CONSUMER AND FAMILY LIFE SCIENCE TO ALL HIGH
11 SCHOOL STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 TO REQUIRE HIGH SCHOOLS TO TEACH A
15 COURSE IN CONSUMER AND FAMILY LIFE
16 SCIENCE TO ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 16, Subchapter 1 is amended
22 to add an additional section to read as follows:

23 6-16-133. Consumer Science.

24 (a)(1) Beginning with the 2004-2005 school year, no less than one (1)
25 full semester of consumer and family life science shall be taught to each
26 student before graduation from a public high school.

27 (2) The course in consumer and family life science shall include
28 instruction regarding families, parenting, nutrition and basic life skills.

29 (b)(1) Each public school superintendent in this state shall certify
30 to the Department of Education no later than June 1, 2005, and annually
31 thereafter, whether the school is in compliance with this section.

32 (2) The Director of the Department of Education shall report to
33 the co-chairs of the Legislative Council no later than July 1 of each year
34 the identity of the schools that have:

35 (A) Reported compliance with this section;

36 (B) Reported noncompliance; and



(C) Failed to report.

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