

1 State of Arkansas
2 93rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2021
4

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1770

5 By: Representative McCullough
6

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT CERTAIN INFORMATION BE
9 INCLUDED ON STUDENT IDENTIFICATION CARDS OR
10 IDENTIFICATION BADGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
11

Subtitle

12 TO REQUIRE THAT CERTAIN INFORMATION BE
13 INCLUDED ON STUDENT IDENTIFICATION CARDS
14 OR IDENTIFICATION BADGES.
15
16
17
18

19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
20

21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 18, Subchapter 1, is amended
22 to add an additional section to read as follows:

23 6-18-113. Student identification badges – Required information.

24 (a)(1) Beginning with the 2021-2022 school year, if a public school or
25 an open-enrollment public charter school issues identification cards or
26 identification badges to enrolled public school students in grades six
27 through twelve (6-12), the identification card or identification badge shall
28 contain the following information without limitation:

29 (A) A national domestic violence hotline;

30 (B) A national sexual assault hotline; and

31 (C) A national suicide prevention hotline.

32 (2) A public school or open-enrollment public charter school may
33 include on an identification card or identification badge instructions for
34 contacting a text-based state or national organization that provides free
35 support to individuals in crisis twenty-four (24) hours a day and seven (7)
36 days a week.



1 (b) The information required under subdivision (a)(1) of this section
2 may be included by printing the information on, or by affixing a sticker that
3 contains the information to, the identification card or identification badge.
4

5 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 60, Subchapter 1, is amended
6 to add an additional section to read as follows:

7 6-60-113. Student identification badges – Required information.

8 (a)(1) Beginning with the 2021-2022 school year, if a state-supported
9 two-year or four-year institution of higher education issues identification
10 cards or identification badges to enrolled students, the identification card
11 or identification badge shall contain the following information without
12 limitation:

- 13 (A) A national domestic violence hotline;
- 14 (B) A national sexual assault hotline; and
- 15 (C) A national suicide prevention hotline.

16 (2) A state-supported two-year or four-year institution of
17 higher education may include on an identification card or identification
18 badge instructions for contacting a text-based state or national organization
19 that provides free support to individuals in crisis twenty-four (24) hours a
20 day and seven (7) days a week.

21 (b) The information required under subdivision (a)(1) of this section
22 may be included by printing the information on, or by affixing a sticker that
23 contains the information to, the identification card or identification badge.
24
25
26
27
28
29
30
31
32
33
34
35
36