

AGENDA
House Committee on Education
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10:00 AM

Room 138, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Rep. Bill Abernathy, Chair
Rep. Nancy Duffy Blount, Vice Chair
Rep. Mark Martin
Rep. Rick Saunders
Rep. David Rainey
Rep. David Cook

Rep. Eddie Cheatham
Rep. Toni Bradford
Rep. Donna Hutchinson
Rep. Jerry Brown
Rep. Charolette Wagner
Rep. Steven Breedlove
Rep. Dan Greenberg

Rep. Tim Summers
Rep. Les "Skip" Carnine
Rep. Mark Perry
Rep. Linda Tyler
Rep. Robert Dale
Rep. Monty Betts
Rep. Jody Dickinson

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1222	Hyde	AN ACT TO ENSURE CONTINUED ACCOUNTABILITY AND EFFICIENCY FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS INVOLVED IN DESEGREGATION LITIGATION.
HB1342	Flowers	TO STRENGTHEN THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL CHILDREN BY ENSURING SCHOOL FACILITY INSPECTIONS ARE LAWFULLY CONDUCTED AND COMPLIED WITH.
SB107	Faris	TO PROHIBIT APPROVAL OF CERTAIN COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS IN PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.
SB295	J. Jeffress	TO ENSURE CONSISTENT PUBLIC SCHOOL ATTENDANCE LAWS.
HB1091	Sample	TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET IN EXECUTIVE SESSION ON AN APPEAL OF THE SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION OF A STUDENT.
HB1273	Blount	TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM FOR MOBILE LEARNING TECHNOLOGY IN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

PENDING FISCAL IMPACT

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1408	Rainey	TO RESTRICT THE ENROLLMENT OF CHILDREN SIXTEEN (16) YEARS OF AGE AND SEVENTEEN (17) YEARS OF AGE IN ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS.
HB1412	Harrelson	AN ACT TO ALLOW OUT-OF-STATE NONTRADITIONAL LICENSURE APPLICANTS TO BE EMPLOYED AS TEACHER OF RECORD IN ARKANSAS.
HB1425	Dunn	AN ACT TO ENHANCE TEACHER TRAINING FOCUSED ON CHILD PSYCHOLOGY.
HB1428	Hoyt	AN ACT TO REMOVE THE EXCEPTION FOR SCHOOLS IN SMALL COMMUNITIES FROM LAWS PROHIBITING THE SELLING OF SUPPLIES AND FURNISHINGS TO A SCHOOL DISTRICT BY A MEMBER OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
HB1429	Hoyt	AN ACT TO REQUIRE A STATEMENT REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH ETHICAL GUIDELINES BE INCLUDED IN A STATUTORILY REQUIRED AUDIT OF AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION.
HB1450	Reynolds	TO ENHANCE THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN BY REQUIRING CENTRAL REGISTRY CHECKS FOR ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES AND BUS DRIVERS.

DEFERRED BILLS

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Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1006	Abernathy	TO PROVIDE FOR A CONSISTENT RATE OF INCREASE TO THE SALARIES OF CLASSIFIED SCHOOL PERSONNEL.
HB1007	Abernathy	TO ALLOW STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO COMPENSATE NONCLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE AT RETIREMENT.
HB1054	Hobbs	TO MODIFY THE UNIFORM DATE FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE SCHOOL YEAR.
HB1253	Shelby	AN ACT TO PROTECT SCHOOL CHILDREN FROM INFECTIOUS DISEASE; TO REQUIRE IMMUNIZATIONS FOR DIPHTHERIA, TETANUS TOXOIDS, AND ACELLULAR PERTUSSIS IN THE SEVENTH GRADE.