

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
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**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 2109**

TO PROVIDE FUNDING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER EDUCATION FOR  
STUDENTS WHO ARE SIXTEEN, SEVENTEEN, OR EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND  
SUCCESSFULLY PASS A GENERAL EDUCATIONAL DEVELOPMENT TEST UNDER  
THE DIRECTION OF THE DEPARTMENT.

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**Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2109**

Amend House Bill No. 2109 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 10-11 and substitute the following:  
"EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND ENROLLED IN AN ADULT EDUCATION  
PROGRAM UNDER THE DIRECTION OF"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROVIDE FUNDING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF  
CAREER EDUCATION FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE  
SIXTEEN, SEVENTEEN, OR EIGHTEEN YEARS  
OF AGE AND ENROLLED IN AN ADULT  
EDUCATION PROGRAM UNDER THE DIRECTION  
OF THE DEPARTMENT."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the  
following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 20, Subchapter  
1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:  
6-20-108. Funding for students enrolled in an adult



education program.

(a) On July 1, 2012, and annually thereafter on July 1, the Department of Education shall transfer to the Department of Career Education from the Public School Fund an amount equal to one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1,600) for each student:

(1) Who by January 31 of the preceding school year enrolled in an adult education program under § 6-18-201(b); and

(2) For whom the school district has signed the waiver required under § 6-18-201(b).

(b) A student who is counted for funding under this section also shall be counted in the school district's average daily membership through the fourth quarter of the school year.

(c) A student who enrolls in an adult education program on or after February 1 shall not be counted in that school year either:

(1) For the school district's third quarter average daily membership from the date after the student enrolls in the adult education program; or

(2) For the funding under this section.

(d) In a school year that a student is released from the adult education program and reenrolls in public school:

(1) The school district shall count the student in its average daily membership based on the date the student reenrolls; and

(2) The Department of Career Education shall not count the student for funding under this section.

(e) The Department of Career Education shall use the funding provided for under this section to support the adult education programs of the Department of Career Education.

(f) The per-student funding amount under this section shall be increased or decreased at the same proportional rate as the per-student foundation funding amount under § 6-20-2305."

The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_  
By: Representative English  
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Chief Clerk