

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.

INTERIM STUDY PROPOSAL 2007-110

State of Arkansas

As Engrossed: H3/21/07

86th General Assembly

**A Bill**

Regular Session, 2007

HOUSE BILL 2803

By: Representative Sumpter

Referred to  
Education Committee- House  
by the House of Representatives  
on 03/29/2007

**For An Act To Be Entitled**

AN ACT TO REQUIRE PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS TO OFFER A ONE-HALF (1/2) COURSE CREDIT PUBLIC SERVICE COURSE FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

**Subtitle**

AN ACT TO REQUIRE PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS TO OFFER A ONE-HALF (1/2) COURSE CREDIT PUBLIC SERVICE COURSE FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

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

*SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 16, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:*

6-16-140. Public service course.

(a) Beginning with the 2007-2008 school year, each public school organized to teach students in grades ten through twelve (10-12) shall offer a public service course.

(b) The public service course shall be approved by the State Board of Education.

(c) A student who successfully completes the course is eligible for

1 one-half (1/2) elective credit that may be applied toward graduation.

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/s/ Sumpter

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