

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

**APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON PRE-K - 12
EDUCATION**

Senator Simmons, Chair
Senator Young, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, April 18, 2017
TIME: 1:30—3:30 p.m.
PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Simmons, Chair; Senator Young, Vice Chair; Senators Broxson, Farmer, Grimsley, Lee, Montford, and Rouson

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 468 Stargel (Similar CS/H 757)	Voluntary Prekindergarten Education; Requiring the Just Read, Florida! Office to provide teachers, reading coaches, and principals in prekindergarten through grade 3 with specified training; requiring voluntary prekindergarten providers to provide parents with pre- and post- assessment results within a specified timeframe, etc. ED 04/03/2017 Favorable AED 04/18/2017 Fav/CS AP RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
2	SB 808 Mayfield (Similar CS/H 591)	Maximum Class Size; Revising requirements for charter school compliance with maximum class size requirements; calculating a school district's class size categorical allocation reduction at the school average when maximum class size requirements are not met; revising requirements for compliance with maximum class size requirements for a school participating in the Principal Autonomy Pilot Project Program, etc. ED 03/21/2017 Favorable AED 04/18/2017 Favorable AP RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
3	CS/SB 868 Education / Baxley (Compare CS/H 833, S 692, S 1252)	Educational Options and Services; Providing that a client of the Division of Blind Services is considered an employee of the state for workers' compensation coverage; revising student eligibility requirements for the Florida Virtual School and virtual instruction programs; requiring an institution that seeks initial approval after a specified date to offer a graduate-level teacher preparation program to offer students certain options, etc. ED 03/27/2017 Workshop-Discussed ED 04/03/2017 Fav/CS AED 04/18/2017 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education
 Tuesday, April 18, 2017, 1:30—3:30 p.m.

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
4	CS/SB 984 Education / Bean (Similar CS/H 1131)	Shared Use of Public School Playground Facilities; Requiring the Department of Education to provide specified assistance to school districts; providing for funding as established in the General Appropriations Act; requiring funding priority to be given to high-need communities; creating the Shared Use Task Force within the department, etc. ED 04/03/2017 Fav/CS AED 04/18/2017 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
5	SB 1302 Gibson (Similar CS/H 1109)	Private School Student Participation in Extracurricular Activities; Revising the eligibility requirements for certain private school students to participate in interscholastic or intrascholastic sports at specified public schools, etc. ED 03/27/2017 Workshop-Discussed ED 04/03/2017 Favorable AED 04/18/2017 Fav/CS AP RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
6	CS/SB 1368 Education / Perry (Compare CS/H 127, H 655, S 1128)	Exceptional Students; Authorizing a parent to request and be granted permission for a student's absence from school for treatment of autism spectrum disorder by a licensed health care practitioner; prohibiting certain school districts from declining to provide or contract for certain students' educational instruction, etc. ED 04/03/2017 Fav/CS AED 04/18/2017 Favorable AP RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
7	CS/SB 1468 Education / Galvano (Compare H 1365, H 5003, S 824, S 2502, S 2516)	Education; Requiring the Auditor General to conduct annual audits of the Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind; creating the Early Childhood Music Education Incentive Pilot Program within the Department of Education for a specified period, etc. ED 04/03/2017 Fav/CS AED 04/18/2017 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

Appropriations Subcommittee on Pre-K - 12 Education
Tuesday, April 18, 2017, 1:30—3:30 p.m.

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
8	CS/SB 1552 Education / Simmons (Compare H 5003, CS/H 7069, S 1410)	Florida Best and Brightest Teacher and Principal Scholar Award Program; Creating the Florida Best and Brightest Teacher and Principal Scholar Award Program to be administered by the Department of Education; providing timelines and requirements for program implementation; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt rules, etc. ED 04/03/2017 Fav/CS AED 04/18/2017 Fav/CS AP RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
9	CS/SB 1598 Education / Brandes (Compare CS/H 1111, CS/CS/H 1331, S 1474)	Education; Authorizing the Department of Corrections to contract with charter schools to provide education services to the Correctional Education Program; creating the Schools of Excellence Program; providing additional authority and responsibilities to the principal of a School of Excellence; authorizing certain high school educational facilities to be located on a public or private postsecondary institution campus under certain circumstances, etc. ED 04/03/2017 Fav/CS AED 04/18/2017 Fav/CS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
Other Related Meeting Documents			
