

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA
APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ON PRE-K - 12
EDUCATION
Senator Burgess, Chair
Senator Pizzo, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, March 11, 2025
TIME: 8:30—10:30 a.m.
PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Burgess, Chair; Senator Pizzo, Vice Chair; Senators Bradley, Calatayud, Fine, Gaetz, Jones, Osgood, Simon, and Yarborough

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	CS/SB 102 Education Pre-K - 12 / Gaetz (Similar H 127)	Exceptional Student Education; Requiring the Department of Education to develop and implement, by a specified date, a workforce credential program for students with an autism spectrum disorder or students on a modified curriculum; requiring the department to produce an annual report during a specified timeframe, etc. ED 02/18/2025 Fav/CS AED 03/11/2025 Favorable FP	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
2	SB 166 Simon	Administrative Efficiency in Public Schools; Exempting district school boards from requirements for adopting certain rules; deleting a requirement for a district school board to employ an internal auditor in certain circumstances; requiring innovation schools of technology to comply with specified provisions relating to instructional multiyear contracts, in addition to annual contracts, for instructional personnel in addition to annual contracts; revising requirements relating to district school board attendance policies for Voluntary Prekindergarten Education Programs; revising requirements for assessments needed for a student to earn a high school diploma; providing requirements for advanced degrees which may be used to set salary schedules for instructional personnel and school administrators hired after a specified date; revising eligibility requirements for individuals to participate in the Teacher Apprenticeship Program, etc. ED 03/03/2025 Favorable AED 03/11/2025 Favorable FP	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0

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3	CS/SB 296 Education Pre-K - 12 / Bradley (Identical H 261, Compare H 343)	Middle School and High School Start Times; Deleting a requirement that middle schools and high schools start by specified times beginning in a certain year; requiring district school boards to consider certain benefits relating to school start times when adopting middle school and high school start times, etc. ED 03/03/2025 Fav/CS AED 03/11/2025 Favorable FP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 1

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