

Education Bills Passed & Signed

Ordered by Bill Number

HB 0001	Education by Tuck Education: Revises provisions relating to Family Empowerment Scholarship Program, Florida Tax Credit Scholarship Program, part-time enrollment in public schools, transportation of students, graduations requirements, Commissioner of Education duties, & educator certifications. Effective Date: July 1, 2023
HB 0003	Government and Corporate Activism by Rommel Government and Corporate Activism: Revises provisions relating to deposits & investments of state money, retirement system & trust fund assets, & public funds; defined contribution plans; bonds; government contracts; financial institutions; consumer finance; money services businesses; & unfair & deceptive trade practices. Effective Date: July 1, 2023
HB 0019	Individual Education Plans by Tant Individual Education Plans: Requires IEPs for certain students to contain information on legal rights & responsibilities that transfer to students at age 18; requires information to include ways in which student may provide informed consent to allow his or her parent to continue to participate in educational decisions. Effective Date: July 1, 2023
HB 0031	Partisan Elections for Members of District School Boards by Roach Partisan Elections for Members of District School Boards: Proposes amendments to State Constitution to require members of district school board to be elected in partisan election.
SB 0032	Florida Statutes by Mayfield Florida Statutes; Deleting provisions that have expired, have become obsolete, have had their effect, have served their purpose, or have been impliedly repealed or superseded; replacing incorrect cross-references and citations; correcting grammatical, typographical, and like errors; removing inconsistencies, redundancies, and unnecessary repetition in the statutes; and improving the clarity of the statutes and facilitating their correct interpretation, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect July 1, 2023, this act shall take effect on the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted
SB 0042	Florida Statutes by Mayfield Florida Statutes; Amending provisions to conform to section 10 of chapter 2022-16, Laws of Florida, which directs the Division of Law Revision to prepare a reviser's bill to replace references to the term "Next Generation Sunshine State Standards" with the term "state academic standards" wherever the term appears in the Florida Statutes, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect July 1, 2023, this act shall take effect on the 60th day after adjournment sine die of the session of the Legislature in which enacted
SB 0190	Interscholastic Extracurricular Activities by Grall Interscholastic Extracurricular Activities; Authorizing charter school students and Florida Virtual School full-time students to participate in extracurricular activities at a private school under certain circumstances; authorizing charter school students to participate in interscholastic extracurricular activities at a private school under certain circumstances; authorizing charter school students and Florida Virtual School full-time program students to participate in interscholastic extracurricular activities at a private school under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023
SB 0196	Guidance Services on Academic and Career Planning by Jones Guidance Services on Academic and Career Planning; Requiring district school boards to inform

students and parents of certain acceleration, academic, and career planning options; requiring certain information to be included in such notification; requiring that certain information be included in a personalized academic and career plan, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023

HB 0225 Interscholastic Activities by Hawkins

Interscholastic Activities: Authorizing charter school students and Florida Virtual School full-time students to participate in extracurricular activities at a private school under certain circumstances authorizing charter school students and Florida Virtual School full-time program students to participate in interscholastic extracurricular activities at private schools under certain circumstances; authorizing traditional public school students to participate in interscholastic and intrascholastic activities at certain schools; revising the requirements for students to participate in such activities, etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

SB 0238 Public Records/Protection from Discrimination Based on Health Care Choices by Burton

Public Records/Protection from Discrimination Based on Health Care Choices; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by the Department of Legal Affairs or the Department of Health relating to complaints or investigations regarding violations of provisions protecting from discrimination based on health care choices; authorizing the disclosure of such information under certain circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 252 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law

SB 0240 Education by Hutson

Education; Requiring the Office of Reimagining Education and Career Help to develop certain criteria and display public information; providing a tax credit for eligible businesses that employ an apprentice or preapprentice under certain conditions; authorizing specified employers to apply to the Department of Financial Services for reimbursement of workers' compensation premiums paid for students participating in work-based learning opportunities; encouraging the district school board to adopt policies and procedures to consult with certain entities to determine how to expose students to industries, businesses, and careers; providing admissions policies for career centers that offer certain science degree programs; revising requirements for the Florida Pathways to Career Opportunities Grant Program, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$102,000,000 Effective Date: 7/1/2023

SB 0252 Protection from Discrimination Based on Health Care Choices by Burton

Protection from Discrimination Based on Health Care Choices; Prohibiting business entities and governmental entities from requiring a person to provide certain documentation or requiring a COVID-19 test to gain access to, entry upon, or service from such entities or as a condition of contracting, hiring, promotion, or continued employment; prohibiting business and governmental entities from refusing to hire persons, discharging persons, depriving or attempting to deprive persons of employment opportunities, adversely affecting persons with respect to employment, or otherwise discriminating against any person based on knowledge or belief of a person's vaccination or COVID-19 postinfection recovery status or failure to take a COVID-19 test; requiring such entities to provide exemptions and reasonable accommodations for religious and medical reasons, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise provided in this act, and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect June 1, 2023

SB 0256 Employee Organizations Representing Public Employees by Ingoglia

Employee Organizations Representing Public Employees; Requiring a public employee who desires to be a member of an employee organization to sign a membership authorization form beginning on a specified date; requiring an employee organization to revoke a public employee's membership upon receipt of his or her written request for revocation; prohibiting certain employee organizations from having dues and uniform assessments deducted and collected by the employer from certain salaries; revising requirements for applications for initial registrations and renewals of registration of employee organizations; revising prohibitions for employee organizations and certain persons and entities relating to employee organizations, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law

SB 0258	Prohibited Applications on Government-issued Devices by Burgess
	Prohibited Applications on Government-issued Devices; Requiring public employers to take certain actions relating to prohibited applications; prohibiting employees and officers of public employers from downloading or accessing prohibited applications on government-issued devices; providing exceptions; providing a deadline by which specified employees must remove, delete, or uninstall a prohibited application; requiring the Department of Management Services to compile a specified list and establish procedures for a specified waiver, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023
HB 0265	High School Equivalency Diplomas by Plasencia
	High School Equivalency Diplomas: Prohibits district school board from requiring certain students to take course before taking high school equivalency examination unless student failed to earn passing score on specified practice test. Effective Date: July 1, 2023
SB 0290	Public School Student Progression for Students with Disabilities by Jones
	Public School Student Progression for Students with Disabilities; Requiring comprehensive plans for student progression to provide for specified students with disabilities to be retained in prekindergarten at the discretion of a student's parent; authorizing certain prekindergarten students to receive instruction in early literacy skills, rather than intensive reading interventions; requiring certain prekindergarten students to receive such instruction, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023
HB 0301	Emergency Response Mapping Data by Alvarez
	Emergency Response Mapping Data: Creates School Mapping Data Grant Program within DOE; provides requirements for such program. Effective Date: July 1, 2023
HB 0329	Electronic Monitoring of Persons Charged with or Convicted of Offenses Involving Schools or Students by Maggard
	Electronic Monitoring of Persons Charged with or Convicted of Offenses Involving Schools or Students: Requires court to consider electronic monitoring & location restrictions as conditions of pretrial release, probation, or community control for persons charged with certain offenses against schools or students. Effective Date: October 1, 2023
SB 0346	Public Construction by DiCeglie
	Public Construction; Requiring that certain contracts provide the estimated cost to complete each item on a specified list; revising the timeframe within which proceedings must commence to resolve disputes between vendors and local governmental entities; requiring that undisputed portions of payment requests be paid within a specified timeframe; revising the conditions that require a public entity to pay or release amounts subject to certain disputes or claims, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023
HB 0379	Technology in K-12 Public Schools by Yeager
	Technology in K-12 Public Schools: Prohibiting the use of certain platforms on district-owned devices and through Internet access provided by the school district; authorizing teachers and other instructional personnel to designate an area for wireless communications during instructional time; requiring public schools to provide instruction on the social, emotional, and physical effects of social media, etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2023
HB 0389	Menstrual Hygiene Products in Public Schools by Skidmore
	Menstrual Hygiene Products in Public Schools: Authorizing school districts to make menstrual hygiene products available, at no charge, in schools within the district and at certain locations within such schools; specifying requirements for the menstrual hygiene products and the dispensers of such products; requiring participating schools to notify students of the availability and locations of such products; encouraging school districts to partner with specified organizations to supply and maintain such menstrual hygiene products, etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2023
HB 0411	Residency of Local Elected Officials by Steele
	Residency of Local Elected Officials: Prohibiting changes to county commissioner district boundaries during a specified timeframe; prohibiting the consideration of the residential addresses of certain

persons during the district-drawing process for boards of county commissioners, etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 0443 Education by Valdes

Education: Requiring the department to submit a report to specified parties on a periodic schedule beginning on a specified date; revising requirements for certain child care providers to obtain and maintain a designation as a Gold Seal Quality Care provider, etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 0477 Term Limits for District School Board Members by Rizo

Term Limits for District School Board Members: Revises term limits for district school board members. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

SB 0478 Early Childhood Music Education Incentive Program by Perry

Early Childhood Music Education Incentive Program; Renaming the Early Childhood Music Education Incentive Pilot Program as the Early Childhood Music Education Incentive Program; revising criteria for a school district's eligibility to participate in the program; deleting an obsolete provision requiring the University of Florida's College of Education to conduct a specified evaluation, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

HB 0543 Public Safety by Brannan III

Public Safety: Authorizes person to carry concealed weapon or firearm if he or she is licensed to do so or meets specified requirements; requires person who is carrying concealed weapon or firearm without license to carry identification & display upon demand by law enforcement; prohibits person who is carrying concealed weapon or firearm without license from carrying such weapon or firearm in specified locations; authorizes nonresident to carry concealed weapon or firearm in this state if he or she meets same requirements as resident; requires Office of Safe Schools to develop behavioral threat management operational process. APPROPRIATION: \$60,177,846 Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 0551 Required African-American Instruction by Benjamin

Required African-American Instruction: Requires each school district to certify & provide certain evidence to DOE regarding certain instruction; authorizes DOE to seek input from & contract with certain educational organizations for specified purposes; requires each school district to submit implementation plan to Commissioner of Education & post plan on its website; provides requirements for plan; requires commissioner or DOE to provide certain notification; provides timeframe within which school district must submit revisions to its plan; authorizes SBE to take certain actions. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 0633 K-12 Education by Salzman

K-12 Education: Removes specified reduction calculation for certain school district funding for school districts that fail to meet certain class size requirements; provides that certain dependent children of active duty military personnel must be enrolled in certain programs; & authorizes certain students of military personnel to enroll in any school within state. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 0657 Enforcement of School Zone Speed Limits by Koster

Enforcement of School Zone Speed Limits: Authorizes county or municipality to enforce speed limit in school zone through speed detection system; requires DOT to establish specifications; requires notice to public; requires law enforcement agency to administer School Crossing Guard Recruitment & Retention Program; provides for issuance of traffic citations by traffic infraction enforcement officer; provides notification requirements & procedures; provides photographs or video & evidence of speed are admissible in proceedings; requires reports; requires law enforcement agency to maintain log & perform tests of speed detection systems; provides penalty for speed limit violation in school zone; prohibits points from being imposed against driver license; prohibits infractions from being used to set insurance rates. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

SB 0662 Student Online Personal Information Protection by Bradley

Student Online Personal Information Protection; Citing this act as the "Student Online Personal Information Protection Act"; prohibiting operators from knowingly engaging in specified activities relating

to students' covered information; providing circumstances under which an operator may disclose students' covered information; providing construction; providing for enforcement under the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; providing that the Department of Legal Affairs is the sole entity authorized to bring specified actions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023

SB 0676 Level 2 Background Screenings by Grall

Level 2 Background Screenings; Requiring persons with an affiliation to certain qualified entities to undergo security background investigations; authorizing the head of a qualified entity to grant a person with an affiliation an exemption from disqualification under certain circumstances; authorizing certain qualified entities to participate in the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse beginning on a specified date; expanding the agencies and entities which may use the Criminal Justice Information Program; requiring the agency to make certain determinations regarding the eligibility of certain noninstructional contractors beginning on a specified date, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$4,400,000 Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect July 1, 2024

SB 0710 Financial Literacy Month by Avila

Financial Literacy Month; Recognizing April 2023 and each April thereafter as "Financial Literacy Month" in Florida, etc.

HB 0733 Middle School and High School Start Times by Temple

Middle School and High School Start Times: Provides requirements for middle school & high school start times; provides district school board requirements; requires charter schools to meet requirements relating to middle school & high school start times. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

SB 0766 Enforcement of School Bus Passing Infractions by Burgess

Enforcement of School Bus Passing Infractions; Defining the term "school bus infraction detection system"; authorizing school districts to install and operate school bus infraction detection systems for a specified purpose; requiring school districts that install a school bus infraction detection system to ensure that each such system meets certain requirements; requiring such school districts to enter into interlocal agreements with law enforcement agencies to enforce violations; providing that certain recorded video and images are admissible in certain proceedings, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023

HB 0773 Hernando County School District, Hernando County by Holcomb

Hernando County School District, Hernando County: Repeals School Board of Hernando County resolution which provides for appointed superintendent of schools; provides for elected superintendent of schools; requires referendum. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

SB 0774 Ethics Requirements for Public Officials by Brodeur

Ethics Requirements for Public Officials; Requiring candidates for specified elective offices to file a full and public disclosure at the time of qualifying; requiring commissioners of community redevelopment agencies to complete annual ethics training; requiring specified local officers and members of the Commission on Ethics to file full and public disclosures; deleting a prohibition on including a federal income tax return or copy thereof in a financial disclosure; increasing the maximum civil penalty allowed for certain violations related to statements of financial disclosure, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

HB 0891 Year-round School Pilot Program by Williams

Year-round School Pilot Program: Creates Year-round School Pilot Program for period of 4 school years beginning with specified school year; provides requirements for program. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 1035 K-12 Teachers by Gonzalez Pittman

K-12 Teachers: Authorizing the Office of Inspector General within the Department of Education to investigate allegations and reports of suspected violations of certain persons' rights; establishing the

Dual Enrollment Educator Scholarship Program; establishing the Teacher Apprenticeship Program; providing eligibility requirements for apprentice teachers; revising the validity period for certain temporary certificates, etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 1069 Education by McClain

Education: Defines "sex" for Florida Early Learning-20 Education Code; provides requirements relating to titles & pronouns; revises provisions relating to instruction & materials for specified instruction relating to reproductive health; provides additional requirements for instruction regarding human sexuality; provides district school boards are responsible for materials used in classroom libraries; revises provisions relating to objections of certain materials & process related to such objections; revises school principal, school district & district school board duties & responsibilities relating to certain materials & processes. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 1125 Interstate Education Compacts by Smith

Interstate Education Compacts: Creates Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact for the purpose of authorizing teachers licensed in one member state to become licensed in another member state; provides requirements for such compact; & revises cross-references in Interstate compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 1127 Pub. Rec. and Meetings/Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact by Smith

Pub. Rec. and Meetings/Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact: Provides exemptions from public meetings & records requirements for Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact Commission & its executive committee; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemptions; provides statements of public necessity. Effective Date: on the same date that HB 1125 or similar legislation takes effect

SB 1190 Step into Success Workforce Education and Internship Pilot Program by Garcia (I)

Step into Success Workforce Education and Internship Pilot Program; Creating the "Step into Success Act"; requiring the Department of Children and Families to establish the pilot program; requiring the independent living professionalism and workforce education component of the pilot program to culminate in a specified certificate; providing that completion of that component allows former foster youth to participate in the onsite workforce and training internship component; specifying conditions for participation in the onsite workforce internship component, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023

HB 1259 Education by Canady

Education: Revises charter school eligibility & ineligibility criteria to receive capital outlay funds; revises calculation methodologies for distribution of specified funds to eligible charter schools; provides school district requirements for distribution of capital outlay funds to eligible charter schools; & provides requirements for use of capital outlay funds. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 1521 Facility Requirements Based on Sex by Plakon

Facility Requirements Based on Sex: Provides requirements for exclusive use of restrooms & changing facilities by gender; prohibits willfully entering restroom or changing facility designated for opposite sex & refusing to depart when asked to do so; provides requirements for exclusive use of domestic violence centers by gender; provides requirements for correctional institutions; requires entities that receive state licenses to submit compliance documentation; authorizes AG to bring enforcement actions provides exception for individuals born with certain genetically or biochemically verifiable disorder of sex development. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 1537 Education by Rizo

Education: Requiring school districts to annually review and confirm that specified information is accurate and up to date; creating the Year-round School Pilot Program for a period of 4 school years beginning with a specified school year; requiring the Commission for Independent Education to annually prepare an accountability report by a specified date; providing requirements for searches of students' personal belongings; requiring dual enrollment courses to be age and developmentally appropriate; authorizing students to use a combination of volunteer service hours and paid work hours to meet certain program eligibility requirements; providing an appropriation, etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

SB 1580 Protections of Medical Conscience by Trumbull

Protections of Medical Conscience; Providing that health care providers and health care payors have the right to opt out of participation in or payment for certain health care services on the basis of conscience-based objections; providing requirements for a health care provider's notice and documentation of such objection; providing whistle-blower protections for health care providers and health care payors that take certain actions or disclose certain information relating to the reporting of certain violations; prohibiting boards, or the Department of Health if there is no board, from taking disciplinary action against or denying a license to an individual based solely on specified conduct, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023

HB 1597 Florida Virtual School by Gossett-Seidman

Florida Virtual School: Provides flexibility in administration for specified assessments for FLVS full-time students of military families residing outside this state; provides requirements for such students, FLVS, & DOE. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

SB 2500 Appropriations by Appropriations

Appropriations; Providing moneys for the annual period beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024, and supplemental appropriations for the period ending June 30, 2023, to pay salaries, and other expenses, capital outlay - buildings, and other improvements, and for other specified purposes of the various agencies of state government, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$113,665,523,805 Effective Date: Except as otherwise provided herein, this act shall take effect July 1, 2023, or upon becoming law, whichever occurs later; however, if this act becomes law after July 1, 2023, then it shall operate retroactively to July 1, 2023

SB 2502 Implementing the 2023-2024 General Appropriations Act by Appropriations

Implementing the 2023-2024 General Appropriations Act; Incorporating by reference certain calculations of the Florida Education Finance Program; revising the limitation on enrollment of full-time equivalent virtual students residing outside of school districts; authorizing school districts to adopt specified salary incentives and other strategies under certain circumstances; extending for 1 fiscal year the exemption of certain rules pertaining to the medical use of marijuana from certain rulemaking requirements; requiring certain sheriffs' offices to transfer child protective investigation services to the Department of Children and Families, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect July 1, 2023, or, if this act fails to become a law until after that date, it shall take effect upon becoming a law and shall operate retroactively to July 1, 2023

SB 2504 Collective Bargaining by Appropriations

Collective Bargaining; Providing for the resolution of certain collective bargaining issues at impasse between the State of Florida and the certified representatives of the bargaining units of state employees; providing for all other mandatory collective bargaining issues at impasse which are not addressed by the act or the General Appropriations Act to be resolved consistent with personnel rules and by otherwise maintaining the status quo, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023

HB 5101 Education by PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee

Education: Revises provisions relating to Just Read, Florida! Office, K-12 funding & FEFP, developmental research schools, FLVS, charter schools, & Family Empowerment Scholarship Program; & creates heroes in classroom sign-on bonus. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

SB 7014 Juvenile Justice by Criminal Justice

Juvenile Justice; Requiring that the secretary of the Department of Juvenile Justice oversee the establishment of the Florida Scholars Academy; requiring the academy to provide students with greater access to secondary and postsecondary educational opportunities; specifying that the academy is a component of the delivery of public education within Florida's Early Learning-20 education system; requiring the department to provide early notice to school districts regarding the siting of new juvenile justice detention facilities, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$12,000,000 Effective Date: 7/1/2023

SB 7020 OGSR/Mobile Suspicious Activity Reporting Tool by Education Pre-K - 12

OFSR/Mobile Suspicious Activity Reporting Tool; Expanding exemptions from public records requirements for the identity of a reporting party and any information received through the mobile suspicious activity reporting tool to include such information held by the Department of Education; providing for retroactivity of the exemption; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing statements of public necessity, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

SB 7022

OFSR/Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Commission/Safe-school Officers by Education Pre-K - 12

OFSR/Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Commission/Safe-school Officers; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public meetings requirements for any portion of a meeting of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Safety Commission at which exempt or confidential and exempt information is discussed; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption; amending a provision relating to an exemption from public records requirements for information held by specified entities which could identify a safe-school officer; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2023

SB 7024

Retirement by Governmental Oversight and Accountability

Retirement; Providing that eligible retirees of the Florida Retirement System pension plan must receive a certain monthly retiree health insurance subsidy payment, beginning on a specified date; providing that eligible members of the Florida Retirement System investment plan must receive a certain monthly retiree health insurance subsidy payment; requiring the employer of members of a state-administered retirement plan to contribute a certain percentage of gross compensation each pay period, beginning on a specified date; revising the employer contribution rates for the retiree health insurance subsidy, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law

HB 7025

Pub. Rec./Safe School Officers by Judiciary Committee

Pub. Rec./Safe School Officers: Provides public records exemption for information pertaining to safe-school officer at private school; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemption; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 7039

Student Outcomes by Education Quality Subcommittee

Student Outcomes: Revises provisions relating to instructional materials, programs & strategies, reading interventions & programs, New Worlds Reading Scholarship Accounts, specified FEFP funding, & students with educational deficiencies. APPROPRIATION: \$158,000,000 Effective Date: July 1, 2023

HB 8001

Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Memorial Day by Hunschofsky

Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Memorial Day: Recognizes February 14, 2023, as "Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Memorial Day" in Florida. Effective Date: Not Specified