

**MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA ITEM:** **April 2014**  
**GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS UPDATE**

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**DEPARTMENT GOAL NO. 4:**  
  
The Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education will improve departmental efficiency and operational effectiveness.

**SUMMARY:**  
  
The following material contains a summary of the bills relating to education for the 2014 legislative session.

**PRESENTER(S):**  
  
Mark Allan Van Zandt, General Counsel, will participate in the presentation and discussion of this agenda item.

## Department of Elementary and Secondary Education Governmental Affairs Report – April 2014

BILL	SPONSOR	DESCRIPTION	BILL STATUS
<b>HOUSE BILLS</b>			
HB1052	Barnes	Requires the department of social services to develop incentive programs to encourage health care facilities to co-locate on the property of certain public elementary and secondary schools.	2-10-14-do pass as substitute from Government Oversight & Accountability (H)
HB1061	Otto	Changes the laws regarding the attendance of a pupil from an unaccredited school district. Requires school attendance the year prior to transfer.	1-16-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1062	Grisamore	Changes the laws regarding services for individuals with disabilities. Creates work group relating to work experiences.	4-1-14 voted do pass as substitute
HB1064	Grisamore	Removes references to the phrases "mentally retarded" and "mental retardation" from statute and replaces them with the phrases "intellectually disabled" and "intellectual disability", respectively.	3-27-14 referred to Seniors, Families, & Pensions (S)
HB1066	Grisamore	Authorizes the establishment of an educational savings account (Missouri empowerment account) as an option for the education of a student with a specified disability.	1-14-14 not heard in Children, Families, & Disabilities (H)
HB1084	McCaherty	Allows for special education transportation hardship transfers.	2-4-14 not heard in Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1088	Lauer	Adds making a terrorist threat to the list of offenses that school administrators must report.	4-3-14 meeting set House Rules
HB1108	Rowland	Allows a school district to use a calendar based on hours of attendance, rather than hours and days of attendance, if the minimum number of hours is at least 1,073.	1-9-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1109	Rowland	Requires a school board member who has been charged with a sexual offense involving a minor to be suspended from attending board meetings until the charge has been adjudicated.	2-12-14 public hearing completed (H)
HB1111	Rowland	Excuses school districts from spending funds for professional development and fund placement requirements in years in which the basic funding formula apportionment is underfunded or the transportation categorical funding is less than a 75% reimbursement rate or the year after any withholdings for the basic formula apportionment.	3-12-14 voted do pass from Elem, & Sec. Education (H)
HB1128	Lant	Changes the laws regarding school district employees contracting with school districts for goods and services.	2-12-14 public hearing completed (H)
HB1137	LaFaver	Changes the laws regarding the licensure of certain child-care facilities.	1-9-14 referred to Children, Families & Disabilities (H)
HB1139	Cookson	Revises school calendar to be a calendar of 1085 hours of planned attendance, with no requirement as to the number of days. Defines a standard summer school term as no less than 144 hours with six weeks of no more than four days per week.	4-2-14 voted do pass as substitute, Elem. & Sec. Ed (H)
HB1157	Lair	Requires the state board of education to adopt a rule on student data accessibility, transparency, and accountability in the statewide longitudinal data system.	2-12-14 public hearing completed (H)

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HB1158	Lair	Prohibits the state board of education and DESE from mandating curriculum textbooks, or other material used in public schools.	2-12-14 public hearing completed (H)
HB1162	Sommer	Grants physical education credit for participation in certain school-sanctioned sports or activities and allows students to take other courses instead.	2-5-14 public hearing completed (H)
HB1170	Butler	Establishes the Missouri Parent/Teacher Involvement Act.	2-19-14 public hearing completed (H)
HB1176	Butler	Authorizes an income tax credit for contributions to a public school foundation.	1-9-14 referred to House-Ways and Means
HB1189	Wood	Requires DESE to adopt a policy on high school graduation that allows certain agriculture or career and technical education courses to satisfy certain subject-specific graduation requirements.	3-31-14 first read (S)
HB1227	Hinson	Modifies provisions relating to student transfers, school accreditation, and charter schools.	1-16-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1228	Gatschenberger	Requires school board members to complete orientation and training prior to taking office and imposes an additional eight-hour annual continuing education training requirement.	1-16-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1246	Hinson	Modifies provisions relating to student transfers, school accreditation, and charter schools.	1-16-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1247	Wood	Requires DHE to develop a procedure for dual credit course tuition and fee reimbursement for students in the A+ scholarship program.	3-12-14 voted do pass as substitute Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1248	Wood	Establishes tenure rules for certificated staff hired on or after July 1, 2015.	1-16-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1249	Wood	Prohibits school officials and employees from giving preference to themselves or family members for certain business transactions unless procedures are followed for public notice and competitive bidding.	1-16-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1250	Wood	Establishes guidelines for statewide student assessments.	3-10-14 reported do pass as substitute House-Rules
HB1279	English	Expands the A+ scholarship to include any high school graduate, public or private, regardless of whether their school is designated as an A+ school.	1-16-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1281	English	Allows a school district to authorize its schools to observe a moment of silence in individual classrooms.	3-13-14 referred to House Rules
HB1285	English	Specifies that Veterans Day shall be a school holiday.	3-4-14 voted do pass as substitute from House Veterans
HB1294	McNeil	Allows for school transfers within school districts when certain requirements are met and establishes a School Improvement Grant Program.	1-16-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1303	Haahr	Establishes the Missouri Student Religious Liberties Act.	4-3-14 set on House calendar

<b>BILL</b>	<b>SPONSOR</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>BILL STATUS</b>
HB1331	Barnes	Provides that it is unlawful for any person to divulge educational records with personally-identifiable information of any Missouri elementary or secondary student to any other person or entity, with exceptions.	1-22-14 referred to House Downsizing State Govt.
HB1347	Haahr	Allows home school students to participate in Missouri State High School Activities Association activities for the public school district in which they reside.	4-2-14 voted do pass Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1355	Fitzpatrick	Allows third or fourth class counties to opt out of state regulations regarding the licensing of child-care facilities and allows such counties to adopt their own regulations.	2-6-14 public hearing complete
HB1357	Barnes	Requires each school district to ensure that every student develops a personal plan of study prior to the end of the student's sixth grade year.	1-28-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1380	Peters	Removes the words "mental retardation" and "mentally retarded" from the statutes, except for references to a clinical diagnosis.	4-1-14 first read (S)
HB1418	Parkinson	Dissolves the board of education of any school district that has lost its accreditation and specifies that new board members shall be elected within 45 days of the loss of accreditation.	1-22-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1419	Parkinson	Requires the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education to withhold state funds from an unaccredited school district in order to pay student tuition directly to receiving schools in Saint Charles county.	1-22-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1420	Parkinson	Modifies provisions relating to the transfer of students from a school district that has lost its accreditation to neighboring accredited school districts.	1-22-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1425	Montecillo	Requires DESE to develop a process that rewards districts that provide full-day kindergarten for MSIP purposes.	3-12-14 voted do pass as substitute from Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1452	Montecillo	Requires DESE to develop a process that rewards districts that provide full-day kindergarten for MSIP purposes and modifies kindergarten requirements for Kansas City and St. Louis public schools.	1-29-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1472	Brattin	Requires schools teaching the theory of evolution by natural selection to have a policy on parental notification and a mechanism for opting out of such instruction.	3-12-14 voted do pass from Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1474	Brattin	Authorizes any school district to designate a teacher or administrator as a school protection officer who may carry concealed firearms after he or she has met specified minimum training requirement.	4-3-14 meeting set House Rules
HB1487	Bahr	Allows students at two-year or four-year colleges or universities to seek tuition reimbursement for college remedial courses under certain circumstances.	2-18-14 public hearing completed (H)
HB1490	Bahr	Prohibits the State Board of Education from adopting and implementing the standards for public schools developed by the Common Core Standards Initiative.	4-3-14 set on House calendar
HB1509	McNeil	Creates the High Performance Energy Efficient Schools Transparency Act which requires each school district to earn and maintain an Energy Star efficiency rating on each of the district's buildings.	1-29-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)

<b>BILL</b>	<b>SPONSOR</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>BILL STATUS</b>
HB1519	Gardner	Increases the tax on cigarettes by one and one-half cents per pack to provide funding for early childhood education.	1-29-14 referred to House Ways & Means
HB1529	Newman	Changes the laws regarding sex education in schools and establishes the Compassionate Assistance for Rape Emergencies Act, the Birth Control Protection Act, and a women's health services program.	2-18-14 do not pass House Children, Families & Disabilities
HB1534	Spencer	Enacts provisions relating to teacher tenure and compensation.	2-3-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1536	Spencer	Establishes the Student Accountability Act that requires a student score proficient or higher on a state assessment in order to receive a high school academic diploma.	3-12-14 voted do pass as substitute from Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1537	Spencer	Prohibits schools and DESE from collecting any personally identifiable student data without explicit parental consent.	2-3-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1549	Montecillo	Establishes term limits for State Board of Education members.	1-29-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1551	Fitzpatrick	Establishes the "Equal Access to Interscholastic Activities Act" allowing home school student participation in interscholastic activities.	1-29-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1558	Flanigan	Allows the Carthage school district to transfer money between funds to build safety-related capital projects during the 2014-15 school year.	1-29-14 referred to House Budget
HB1571	Sommer	Modifies the school funding formula by adding an additional weight for gifted education.	2-5-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1579	Barnes	Establishes the Equal Opportunity Scholarship Program and contains various provisions relating to school accreditation.	2-5-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1584	LaFaver	Establishes an exception to school transfer provisions for certain schools that have been classified as unaccredited.	2-5-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1587	Koenig	Requires the State Board of Education and other public school entities to encourage students to explore scientific questions and to assist teaching of scientific theories of biological or chemical evolution.	2-5-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1595	Sommer	Requires continuing education training for school board members, with additional training required for members serving districts with provisional accreditation.	2-5-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1599	McNeil	Requires the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education to establish a grant program for unaccredited and provisionally accredited districts that commit to extended school time.	2-13-14 public hearing completed (H)
HB1614	Burlison	Adds dyslexia to the special needs definition for purposes of Bryce's Law.	4-3-14 meeting set for House Rules
HB1619	Curtis	Provides that the aggregate amount of tuition charged by a receiving school district during a school year shall not exceed ten thousand dollars, per pupil, when a student transfers from an unaccredited district.	2-5-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)

<b>BILL</b>	<b>SPONSOR</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>BILL STATUS</b>
HB1639	Funderburk	Modifies provisions relating to initial ABCTE teaching certificates by removing elementary education as an area for ABCTE certification.	4-2-14 voted do pass as substitute
HB1650	Fraker	Waives high school efficiency exam fees for applicants fifty years of age or older.	4-2-14 public hearing completed
HB1657	Swan	Modifies provisions relating to teacher compensation.	2-5-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1689	Swan	Allows a school district to receive state aid for children ages three and four participating in certain early childhood education programs.	3-12-14 voted do pass as substitute from Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1691	Barnes	Modifies provisions relating to the reporting of sexual abuse in schools and removes school district authority to investigate allegations made against employees in the spanking context.	2-11-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1701	Ellington	Requires the establishment of a process by which a student in an unaccredited district who is enrolled in a public school that is not A+ designated can receive reimbursement under the A+ Schools Program.	2-11-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1706	Curtis	Establishes as a requirement for high school graduation four units of credit in mathematics and four units of credit in science.	2-11-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1708	Bahr	Prohibits the State Board of Education, the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, and school districts from implementing the Common Core State Standards.	2-12-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1714	McManus	Allows school districts and charter schools to receive state aid for children ages three to five who are eligible for free and reduced lunch and are participating in a district-operated pre-kindergarten program.	2-12-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1731	Swan	Establishes the Parent and Community School Information Act that requires a simplified letter-grade report card for each public school building and each charter school.	2-12-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1732	Swan	Requires school districts to develop a system for identifying students who are at risk of not being ready for college-level work or entry-level career positions.	2-12-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1746	Walton Gray	Establishes a Council for Community Education within the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.	2-12-14 referred to SC on Urban Issues (H)
HB1762	Walton Gray	Allows any public school to offer dating abuse information in its health curriculum in grades seven through twelve.	2-12-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1763	Walton Gray	Establishes a community schools grant program in St. Louis city, St. Louis County, Jackson County, and Kansas City.	4-8-14 meeting set SC on Urban Issues (H)
HB1767	Bahr	Requires school districts to develop or revise policies on early high school graduation.	2-18-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1780	Swan	Adds virtual courses to the postsecondary courses that can be offered to high school students participating in dual enrollment classes.	3-26-14 public hearing completed
HB1783	Morgan	Requires children in the City of St. Louis and Kansas City school districts to enroll in a school by the age of five.	2-18-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)

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HB1786	Kelly	Modifies provisions relating to the reporting of sexual abuse in schools.	2-18-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1818	Dohrman	Requires election of members of the State Board of Education to be based on residence in state congressional districts.	2-18-14 referred to Government Oversight & Accountability (H)
HB1820	Morgan	Changes the laws regarding bullying in schools.	2-18-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1822	Cierpont	Modifies provisions relating to elementary and secondary education, creates the "Passport Scholarship Program", and establishes a statewide achievement school district.	3-5-12 public hearing completed
HB1823	Berry	Allows students to enroll in another school district or charter school for purposes of attending virtual courses or programs.	3-12-14 voted do pass from Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1843	Cookson	Raises teacher minimum salary for the 2015-16 school year, subject to appropriation.	3-5-14 public hearing completed
HB1847	Sommer	Requires school boards in unaccredited and provisionally accredited districts to enter into a contract with the state board of education to commit to certain interventions.	2-25-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1856	Kelly	Requires the State Board of Education to classify the public schools as either unaccredited, provisionally accredited, accredited, or accredited with distinction.	2-25-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1868	Stream	Modifies provisions relating to elementary and secondary education.	3-5-14 public hearing completed
HB1869	Stream	Contains provisions relating to charter schools.	3-12-14 voted do pass as substitute from Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1871	Dunn	Establishes the Missouri Early Childhood Education Act which allows children four and five years of age to attend early childhood programs under certain circumstances.	2-25-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1873	Guernsey	Establishes the Missouri Student Data Protection Act.	4-3-14 meeting set House Rules
HB1894	Frederick	Requires unaccredited and provisionally accredited school districts to give charter schools the first option in buying or leasing vacant or unused school buildings within the district.	4-2-14 public hearing completed
HB1895	Englund	Modifies the percentage for reimbursement for schools offering virtual coursework.	3-26-14 public hearing completed
HB1904	Smith	Changes the laws regarding school course materials and instruction relating to human sexuality and sexually transmitted diseases.	4-1-14 voted do pass as substitute
HB1905	Bahr	Prohibits the payment of professional membership dues of any school administrator or superintendent from the incidental fund or teachers fund of a school district and places limits on superintendent salaries.	2-26-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1907	Smith	Limits the rate of tuition that a receiving school district can charge when receiving students from unaccredited districts.	2-26-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)

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HB1911	Montecillo	Requires course materials relating to sexual education to contain information regarding sexual predators, online predators, and the consequences of inappropriate text messaging.	2-20-14 second read
HB1919	Guernsey	Modifies provisions relating to high school equivalency examinations.	3-4-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1920	Bahr	Phases out hold-harmless with respect to state aid for schools.	3-4-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1922	Walton Gray	Allows public schools to incorporate water and swim safety into existing physical education curriculum for students in grades three through twelve.	3-4-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB1949	Thomson	Sets out guidelines for teacher training institutions and establishes the Missouri Advisory Board for Educator Preparation	3-26-14 referred to House Rules
HB1957	Schupp	Allows school districts and charter schools to receive state aid for children ages three to five who are eligible for free and reduced lunch and are participating in a district-operated pre-kindergarten program.	2-24-14 second read
HB1958	Schupp	Allows school districts to receive state aid for children ages three to five participating in a district-operated pre-kindergarten program.	2-24-14 second read
HB2026	May	Establishes the "Family Education Leave Act."	4-2-14 public hearing competed
HB2033	Solon	Establishes the "Education Protection Act."	2-27-14 second read
HB2037	Lauer	Implements intervention procedures for schools with annual performance report scores consistent with provisionally accredited or unaccredited status.	3-26-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB2042	Rowden	Provides instruction in computer programming shall be treated as mathematics coursework for credit granting purposes at public schools.	3-12-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB2089	Hummel	Mandates Braille reading and writing instruction as part of a student's individualized education plan when an assessment demonstrates the need for such instruction.	3-6-14 second read
HB2091	Jones	Prohibits the implementation of common core educational standards in Missouri.	3-6-14 second read
HB2113	Bahr	Prohibits DESE from requiring the administration of any statewide assessment by electronic means during school years 2014-15, 2015-16, and 2016-17.	3-11-14 second read
HB2123	Wright	Allows parents or guardians to choose a provider to render clinical nursing services for certain students with IEP's as long as the cost to the school district remains neutral.	3-12-14 second read
HB2134	Neely	Requires the board of any school district to receive legal services, when necessary, from the State Attorney General.	3-26-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
HB2167	Curtis	Requires school districts and charter schools to identify students needing remedial coursework and implement a virtual school program to assist the identified students.	3-25-14 second read
HB2170	Curtis	Establishes the "8 in 6 Program" within the department of elementary and secondary education.	3-25-14 second read
HB2181	Korman	Modifies provisions relating to per pupil costs of educational services for children whose school placement is arranged by or approved by the department of mental health, social services, or order.	3-26-14 second read

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HB2187	Flanigan	Requires publication of school administrator salary information in the online state bluebook and on the Missouri Accountability Portal.	3-27-14-second read
HB2194	McNeil	Contains provisions sunseting the transfer program for unaccredited schools and sets up interventions for underperforming school districts and schools.	3-27-14-second read
HB2199	Wright	Specifies the health and educational facilities authority may provide technical and advisory assistance to school districts regarding best practices for indebtedness issuances.	3-31-14-second read
HB2211	Curtis	Establishes a state "community education council" and a "community action council" in St. Louis city and St. Louis county.	3-31-14-second read
HB2217	Mitten	Establishes an accreditation system that includes individual school building accreditation and establishes a transfer process for students in districts with both accredited and unaccredited school building.	4-1-14-second read
HB2223	Peters	Requires DESE, in collaboration with the Department of Mental Health, to develop a comprehensive school based mental health program.	4-1-14-second read
HB2229	Cookson	Requires struggling schools to consider whether to continue school-supported sports.	4-1-14-second read
HB2231	Allen	Changes the laws regarding payment methods by health insurers for early intervention services under the First Steps program.	4-1-14-second read
HB2232	Allen	Changes the laws regarding bullying in schools and establishes specific components that a district must include in its antibullying policy.	4-1-14-second read
HB2233	Allen	Changes the laws regarding bullying in schools and establishes specific components that a district must include in its antibullying policy.	4-1-14-second read
HB2242	Kelley	Specifies that public school students shall not be subject to penalties or discipline for simulating a weapon while playing if it does not cause bodily harm, disrupt learning, or constitute a serious.	4-1-14-second read
HB2257	LaFaver	Establishes virtual schools of choice.	4-2-14-second read
HB2265	Sommer	Contains provisions relating to struggling schools.	4-2-14-second read
HB2295	May	Reaccredits all school districts effective August 28, 2014 and creates a task force to develop new standards for school district evaluation.	4-2-14-second read
HB2299	Curtis	Requires any county that contains an unaccredited school district to devote ten percent of its annual revenue to a grant program to deliver services to such school district.	4-2-14-second read
HCR19	Gannon	Recognizes March 2014 as "Missouri Whole Child Month."	3-31-14 referred to House Rules
HJR42	Neth	Proposes a constitutional amendment authorizing an increase in the level of school district bonded indebtedness.	2-5-14 public hearing completed
HJR56	Richardson	Proposes a constitutional amendment ensuring that parents have a fundamental right to control and direct the care, education, and upbringing of their minor children.	3-27-14 referred to Seniors, Families, & Pensions (S)
HJR65	Gardner	Proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow money from the lottery proceeds fund to be appropriated to public early childhood institutions.	2-18-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)

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HJR66	Spencer	Proposes a constitutional amendment requiring members of the State Board of Education to be elected from each congressional district.	2-12-14 referred to Government Oversight & Accountability (H)
HJR74	Dohrman	Proposes a constitutional amendment that would require members of the State Board of Education to be elected. Currently, members are appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate.	2-12-14 referred to Gov. Oversight & Accountability (H)
<b>SENATE BILLS</b>			
SB 521	Emery	Modifies provisions relating to elementary and secondary education including: letter grading for school attendance centers, changes to teacher tenure and teacher evaluations, and authorizes a performance salary schedule.	3-5-14 hearing conducted in Senate Education
SB485	Rupp	Combined with SB 493	2-20-14 Superseded
SB493	Pearce	Modifies provisions relating to school accreditation and student transfers, creates a statewide achievement school district, and mandates building-level accreditation for provisionally accredited and unaccredited districts. Mandates four levels of accreditation and establishes cut scores for each level. Mandates that each district develop a policy on transfers and requires students to establish a 12-month residency prior to transfer.	3-26-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
SB495	Schmitt	Combined with SB 493	2-20-14 Superseded
SB514	Lamping	Prohibits the State Board of Education, the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, and school districts from implementing the Common Core State Standards.	4-2-14 hearing conducted Senate Education
SB515	Chappelle-Nadal	Allows the Senate to remove the Commissioner of Education by a vote of two-thirds of its members.	1-9-14 referred to Education (S)
SB516	Chappelle-Nadal	Combined with SB 493	2-20-14 Superseded
SB517	Chappelle-Nadal	Provides that charter school sponsors are responsible for all expenditures associated with the closure of a charter school they sponsor.	1-9-14 referred to Education (S)
SB522	Emery	Allows students to enroll in another school district or charter school for purposes of attending virtual courses or programs.	2-25-14 hearing cancelled Senate Education
SB523	Emery	Prohibits school districts from requiring a student to use an identification device that uses radio frequency identification technology to transmit certain information.	4-3-14 meeting set Downsizing State Government (H)
SB534	Sifton	Combined with SB 493	2-20-14 Superseded
SB535	Sifton	Requires the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education to designate accredited school districts to which an unaccredited district must provide transportation for transfer students.	1-15-14 referred to Education (S)
SB538	Keaveny	Allows school districts and charter schools to receive state aid for children ages three to five who are eligible for free and reduced lunch and are participating in the district's or charter school's pre-kindergarten program.	3-26-14 voted do pass Senate Education

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SB539	Keaveny	Allows school districts and charter schools to receive state aid for children ages three to five participating in the district's or charter school's pre-kindergarten program.	3-5-14 hearing conducted (S)
SB545	Lamping	Combined with SB 493	2-20-14 Superseded
SB547	Chappelle-Nadal	Requires any school board that sponsors a charter school to use an estimate of the district's current year weighted average daily attendance.	1-15-14 referred to Education (S)
SB560	Sifton	Changes the requirements for school anti-bullying policies.	1-15-14 referred to Education (S)
SB562	Chappelle-Nadal	Allows school districts and charter schools to establish and implement an age-appropriate curriculum to educate students about domestic violence and teen dating violence prevention.	1-15-14 referred to Education (S)
SB566	Sifton	Restricts the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education from including certain data from neglected children and delinquent children in the aggregate data of a school district.	4-2-14 voted do pass-Senate Education
SB595	Walsh	Combined with SB 493	2-20-14 Superseded
SB603	Holsman	Allows school districts to designate school protection officers who may carry and use pepper spray in schools after undergoing training.	1-16-14 referred to Education (S)
SB616	Nasheed	Combined with SB 493	2-20-14 superseded
SB624	LeVota	Combined with SB 493	2-20-14 Superseded
SB626	LeVota	Allows local school boards to adopt a year-round educational program.	1-23-14 referred to Education (S)
SB637	Rupp	Modifies provisions relating to charter schools. Deletes mandate for DESE to provide policy guidance. Moves deadline for submission of proposed charters to January 31.	1-23-14 referred to Education (S)
SB657	Kraus	Prohibits the Administrative Hearing Commission from employing certain individuals for the conducting of special education due process hearings.	1-23-14 referred to Financial/Gov. Org. (S)
SB701	Lager	Allows school districts to share a superintendent who possesses a valid Missouri's superintendent's license.	3-26-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
SB719	Kehoe	Modifies the laws relating to school purchases.	4-2-14 referred to Elem. & Sec. Education (H)
SB720	Justus	Adds new requirements for state-funded child care providers.	4-3-14 set on Senate calendar
SB726	Chappelle-Nadal	Relating to term limits for state board of education members.	2-6-14 referred to Financial/Gov. Org. and Elections (S)
SB729	Romine	Relating to a tax credit for donations to innovation campuses.	4-2-14 perfected (S)
SB730	Nasheed	Requires the State Board of Education to adopt a classification system to accredit individual school buildings in the St. Louis and Kansas City school districts.	2-6-14 referred to Education (S)
SB756	Schaefer	Adds a weight for gifted education to the elementary and secondary education funding formula.	2-6-14 referred to Education (S)

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SB759	Sifton	Establishes the Missouri Parent/Teacher Involvement Program to provide grants to schools to contribute to the academic and social success of pupils.	4-1-14 voted do pass as substitute
SB760	Chappelle-Nadal	Removes the authority of the State Board of Education to accredit the state's public schools and creates the Missouri Board of School Accreditation.	2-13-14 referred to Committee on Progress and Development (S)
SB765	Chappelle-Nadal	Modifies provisions relating to transient students.	2-13-14 referred to Education (S)
SB782	Romine	Allows an individual with certification from the American Board for Certification of Teacher Excellence to obtain teacher certification in elementary education.	4-2-14 first read (H)
SB795	Lager	Repeals the prohibition on a quality rating system for early childhood education that is not established through Missouri statute.	4-3-14 set on Senate calendar
SB798	Emery	Modifies provisions relating to elementary and secondary education standards and assessments.	4-2-14 hearing conducted
SB815	Pearce	Modifies the duties of the State Board of Education and requires the board to promulgate rules regarding student data accessibility.	4-2-14 not heard in Education (S)
SB819	Wallingford	Enacts multiple provisions to protect the privacy of individuals from government intrusion including student and teacher data.	4-3-14 set on Senate calendar
SB825	Chappelle-Nadal	Modifies the calculation of local effort and free and reduced lunch pupil count used in the elementary and secondary education funding formula.	2-20-14 referred to Education (S)
SB827	Keaveny	Prohibits the use of corporal punishment and the use of spanking to discipline students in public and private schools.	2-20-14 referred to Progress & Development (S)
SB838	Emery	Creates the Equal Opportunity Scholarship Program to grant scholarships to students from unaccredited school districts for certain educational costs.	2-27-14 referred to Education (S)
SB845	Chappelle-Nadal	Relating to driver education and training.	2-27-14 referred to Transportation (S)
SB856	Emery	Relating to school accreditation.	2-27-14 referred to Education (S)
SB907	Richard	Allows the Carthage School District to transfer unrestricted funds from the incidental to the capital projects funds to complete student safety-related projects	3-31-14 second read (H)
SB931	Nieves	Requires that members of the State Board of Education be elected instead of appointed	3-13-14 referred to Education (S)
SB932	Nieves	Modifies how the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education provides the high school equivalency examination.	3-13-14 referred to Education (S)
SB947	Dixon	Relating to a sales tax for early childhood education program.	3-13-14 referred to Education (S)
SB984	Sifton	Modifies provisions relating to the management of dyslexia in elementary and secondary schools.	3-26-14 referred to Education (S)

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SB989	Lamping	Modifies provisions relating to school facilities.	3-26-14 referred to Education (S)
SB993	Dempsey	Modifies provisions relating to elementary and secondary education.	3-26-14 referred to Education (S)
SCR24	LeVota	Encourages the State Board of Education to take certain actions to address struggling school districts.	1-30-14 second read
SJR32	Chappelle-Nadal	Allows the Senate to remove the Commissioner of Education by a vote of two-thirds of its members.	1-16-14 referred to Education (S)
SJR54	Lamping	Requires the General Assembly to study and revise the statutory method of funding public elementary and secondary education every ten years.	3-26-14 referred to Senate Rules
SJR55	Nieves	Requires that members of the State Board of Education be elected instead of appointed	3-26-14 referred to Education (S)