

Bill	Title	Summary	Current SDEA Position	Status
<a href="#">HB 1025</a>	delete or revise certain outdated language relating to education.	Annual code clean-up bill for the Department of Education. Fixes outdated language. The bill makes no major policy changes.	No Position	Signed by Governor
<a href="#">HB 1030</a>	revise and clarify certain provisions regarding the required minimum distribution methods of the South Dakota Retirement System.	Add statutory language consistent with IRC §401(a)(9), including provisions that comply with the CARES and SECURE Acts.	No Position	Signed by Governor
<a href="#">HB 1031</a>	revise certain provisions relating to the South Dakota Retirement System.	Updates the use of certain terminology that is inconsistent with its use in the Internal Revenue Code or is obsolete references in statute.	No Position	Signed by Governor
<a href="#">HB 1032</a>	revise the minimum cost of living adjustment and revise terminology of the South Dakota Retirement System.	The bill will expand the economic conditions under which SDRS can remain fully funded and sustainable without the necessity of corrective action recommendations of more disruptive and substantive benefit reductions.	No Position	Signed by Governor
<a href="#">HB 1033</a>	update certain provisions relating to the South Dakota Retirement System, to revise certain provisions relating to reemployment after retirement with the South Dakota Retirement System, and to declare an emergency.	This keeps SDRS in compliance with IRS requirements and reduce unexpected future increases in SDRS liabilities.	No Position	Signed by Governor
<a href="#">HB 1044</a>	transfer the Office of Indian Education to the Department of Education.	Governor Noem moved the Office of Indian Education from the Department of Education to the Office of Indian Affairs. The bill moves the office back to the Department of Education at the request of the Indian Advisory Board.	Support	41s Legislative Day
<a href="#">HB 1046</a>	limit liability for certain exposures to COVID-19.	Creates liability protections for business and government entities for Covid-19 exposures unless there is intentional exposures or gross negligence.	Oppose	Signed by Governor
<a href="#">HB 1066</a>	authorize the transfer of wind energy tax revenue from a school district general fund.	This bill allows the districts to make this transfer if the average teacher compensation has not fallen below does not fall below 2017 fiscal year. The transfer of wind energy tax revenue must be made within the ten- year timeframe for each new wind farm. The maximum amount a school district may transfer on an annual basis is the amount of wind energy tax revenue that is able to be retained by the district and not counted as local effort. Wind energy tax revenue transferred to the capital outlay fund under the authority of this section must remain separately	No Position	Senate Education Hearing 2/23/2021

		identified and may not thereafter be returned to the general fund.		
<u>HB 1076</u>	require that birth certificates reflect biological sex.	This bill would prohibit transgender individuals to make any changes to their birth certificates to reflect their	Oppose	41st Legislative Day
<u>HB 1082</u>	revise certain state aid to education definitions for the 2021-2022 school year.	This bill is in response to COVID-19. Districts that receive additional support for ELL students will be able to calculate these dollars by using the higher number of the number of students who test below a 4.0 on the WIDA test in 2020 and 2021. Without this legislation some schools may not receive support for ELL students without the data.	Support	Signed by Governor
<u>HB 1083</u>	grant authority to the secretary of education to waive accountability requirements in certain situations.	This bill allows the Secretary of Education to waive all provisions that have been approved by the US Department of education in South Dakota's ESSA waiver	Support	Signed by Governor
<u>HB 1097</u>	provide for philosophical exceptions to required vaccinations.	This would allow parents to NOT vaccinate their children to attend public schools. Only current exceptions are religious and health.	Oppose	41st Legislative Day
<u>HB 1108</u>	permit the playing of an honor song or Lakota Flag Song at certain graduation ceremonies.	In its current form, the bill would require a school district to play the LAKOTA honor song if requested by a student.	Watch	House State Affairs
<u>HB 1118</u>	suspend the required reduction in state aid resulting from school district general fund cash balances.	This bill would allow a school district to exceed the fund balance caps until June 2024.	Oppose	Tabled
<u>HB 1157</u>	establish restrictions governing instructional standards and curricular materials.	This bill would micromanage content standards and limit what schools could teach especially about inclusion and diversity.	Oppose	Withdrawn by Prime Sponsor
<u>HB 1158</u>	prohibit the use of curricular materials that promote racial divisiveness and displace historical understanding with ideology.	This bill would micromanage content standards and limit what schools could teach especially about black history.	Oppose	Withdrawn by Prime Sponsor
<u>HB 1159</u>	prohibit interference with the right to bodily integrity in contagious disease control.	This bill would allow parents to not vaccinate students to attend a public school.	Oppose	41st Legislative Day
<u>HB 1180</u>	establish a nonbeneficiary student scholarship program for certain students attending tribally controlled	This would create a scholarship for students who are not an enrolled tribal member to attend a tribal college in South Dakota.	Support	House State Affairs

	colleges and to make an appropriation therefor.			
<u>HB 1187</u>	require schools to provide instruction on South Dakota's tribal history, culture, and government. - Do Not Post	This bill mandates that all schools teach tribal history, culture, and government.	No Position	House State Affairs
<u>HB 1196</u>	provide free tuition and fees to visually impaired residents for courses not subsidized by the state general fund.	This bill updates the language to allow visually impaired students to receive tuition support for online courses.	Support	State Senate Placed on Consent
<u>HB 1205</u>	repeal certifications by the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards.	This bill would have ended the stipends for teachers who obtained National Board Certification	Oppose	41st Legislative Day
<u>HB 1217</u>	promote continued fairness in women's sports.	This bill is an anti-LGBTQ bill and would limits transgenders students from participating in extracurricular activities.	Oppose	House State Affairs Hearing 2/22/2021
<u>HB 1224</u>	require the display of the state motto in public school classrooms.	This bill mandates the state motto, "Under God, the People Rule" be placed in all South Dakota classrooms.	Oppose	41st Legislative Day
<u>HB 1254</u>	prohibit preferential treatment in higher education employment practices.	This bill would prohibit public universities from using political or ideological opinions in hiring decisions. It also clarifies protections for race, color, creed, religion, sex, ancestry, disability, or national origin.	Support	State House Placed on Consent
<u>HB 1279</u>	make an appropriation for the development of a K-12 civics and history curriculum and to declare an emergency.	This bill appropriates \$900,000 to the Department of Education for the development of resources for South Dakota History, civics, and training. It also provides for grants to schools to invest in history and civics programs. (This funding is also included in SB 64)	Support	House Appropriations Hearing 2/22/2021
<u>HB 1280</u>	make an appropriation for updating the educator certification system within the Department of Education and to declare an emergency.	This provides \$1.5 million to the SD Dept. of Education to update the teacher certification system including updating the database, website, and teacher 411. Goal of the program is to improve turnaround time for the teacher certification process	Support	House Appropriations Hearing 2/22/2021
<u>HB 1283</u>	make an appropriation to update the South Dakota virtual school website, registration, and reporting system and to declare an emergency.	This bill would appropriate \$200,000 to Department of Education to update the virtual school website, registration, and reporting system. This funding is also included in SB 64,	Support	House Appropriations

<u>SB 34</u>	make an appropriation to expand rural access to broadband services and to declare an emergency.	This bill appropriates money from the Governor's Office of Economic Development to expand broadband in South Dakota targeting those rule areas with little or no access to the internet.	Support	Senate Commerce and Energy Hearing 2/25/2021
<u>SB 45</u>	repeal the annual survey of schools regarding cardiopulmonary resuscitation instruction.	This bill would repeal the requirement for schools to complete the annual CPR instruction survey.	No Position	Deferred to 41 <sup>st</sup> day
<u>SB 46</u>	allow for the consideration of certain instruction to count towards the minimum number of hours required in a school term during a declared state of emergency.	This bill allows the Secretary of Education to modify or consider the minimum number of hours required in a school term during a declared state of emergency.	Support	Signed by Governor
<u>SB 49</u>	revise property tax levies for school districts and to revise the state aid to general and special education formulas.  <b><u>State Aid Bill</u></b>	This bill sets the target teacher salary (annual increase) and sets the property tax levies for the state aid formula.	Support	Join Appropriations
<u>SB 64</u>	revise the General Appropriations Act for fiscal year 2021.	This bill amends the budget for the current fiscal year. It included \$11 million in one-time funding for schools to deal with shifting enrollments, \$900,000 for civics education, \$1.5 million to update the teacher certification program, \$200,000 for the virtual school website.	Support	Joint Appropriations Committee
<u>SB 68</u>	provide for the creation and funding of Oceti Sakowin community-based schools.	This creates a charter school focusing on the Oceti Sakowin Essential Understandings. The bill does not limit attendance only to Native American Students. Schools are already to create such a school with a magnet school model.	Oppose	Do Pass Amended Failed
<u>SB 71</u>	designate Juneteenth Day as a working holiday.	This bill would create a working holiday in honor of Juneteenth	Support	House State Affairs
<u>SB 89</u>	add Juneteenth as a state holiday.	This bill would create a state holiday in honor of Juneteenth	Support	41st Legislative Day
<u>SB 90</u>	recognize hair discrimination as an unfair or discriminatory practice.	The bill prohibits discriminatory practice against a person because of race including practices based on traits historically associated with race, including hair texture, hair type, and hairstyles such as braids, locks, and twist.	Support	41st Legislative Day
<u>SB 104</u>	reduce the rate of sales tax on certain food.	This bill would phase out the sales tax on food by 2024.	No Position	41st Legislative Day

<u>SB 128</u>	preclude the assignment of exclusive broadcast rights for certain high school interscholastic activities by an association.	Clarifies who has the rights to broadcast high school activities and prohibits school districts from charging the media to cover an event.	No Position	Do Pass Amended
<u>SB 170</u>	prohibit the conduct of certain physical examinations or screenings on students in a school district without parental consent.	Unnecessary language. Schools are already prohibited from physical examinations without consent from a parent or guardian.	Oppose	Hearing 2/23/2021
<u>SB 171</u>	provide needs-based scholarship funding for South Dakota students, make an appropriation therefor, and declare an emergency.	Creates a needs-based scholarship program for students who attend a South Dakota university or technical college.	Support	Hearing 2/23/2021
<u>SB 175</u>	remove certain eligibility requirements for the partners in education tax credit program.	This expands the eligibility for the Partners in Education Voucher program to students who are already enrolled in a non-public school to be eligible.	Oppose	Senate
<u>SB 177</u>	revise the provisions of parental choice regarding compulsory school attendance and matters ancillary thereto.	This the bill removes all accountability for homeschool students, prohibits school districts from setting limits on homeschool participation in extracurricular activities, lowers the ACT score for homeschool students to receive the Opportunity Scholarships and makes it easier for at-risk students to drop out of school	Oppose	House State Affairs
<u>SB 190</u>	revise provisions regarding unfair or discriminatory practices.	This bill adds, sexual orientation, gender identity, or identification as a Native American Two-Spirit to South Dakota's discrimination laws.	Support	Hearing 2/23/2021
<u>SB 194</u>	appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the legislative, judicial, and executive departments of the state, the expenses of state institutions, interest on the public debt, and for common schools. -	This is the general appropriations bill for FY 2022	Support	Appropriations
<u>SC 803</u>	honoring and commending the educators of South Dakota for their service and dedication in unprecedented times.	This is a commemoration honoring the educators of South Dakota for their work and effort to education the students of South Dakota during the COVID-19 Pandemic	Support	Commemorations
<u>CR 605</u>	Supporting the value of public higher education in South Dakota and encouraging continued efforts to ensure that higher education remains affordable for all South Dakotans.	This is a resolution that reaffirms the state's commitment to higher education in South Dakota	Support	Placed on consent State Senate

