

SENATE BILL No. 528

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 20-30-5-7.

Synopsis: Study of the Holocaust. Requires a school corporation to include a study of the Holocaust in the social studies curriculum for students in grade 6 through grade 8.

Effective: July 1, 2019.

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January 14, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Education and Career Development.



First Regular Session of the 121st General Assembly (2019)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2018 Regular and Special Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 20-30-5-7, AS AMENDED BY P.L.132-2018,
2 SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2019]: Sec. 7. (a) Each school corporation shall include in the
4 school corporation's curriculum the following studies:
5 (1) Language arts, including:
6 (A) English;
7 (B) grammar;
8 (C) composition;
9 (D) speech; and
10 (E) second languages.
11 (2) Mathematics.
12 (3) Social studies and citizenship, including the:
13 (A) constitutions;
14 (B) governmental systems; and
15 (C) histories;
16 of Indiana and the United States, including a study of the
17 Holocaust in each high school United States history course **and**



- 1 **in a course described in this subdivision for students in grade**
2 **6 through grade 8.**
3 (4) Sciences, including, after June 30, 2021, computer science.
4 (5) Fine arts, including music and art.
5 (6) Health education, physical fitness, safety, and the effects of
6 alcohol, tobacco, drugs, and other substances on the human body.
7 (7) Additional studies selected by each governing body, subject
8 to revision by the state board.
9 (b) Each:
10 (1) school corporation;
11 (2) charter school; and
12 (3) accredited nonpublic school;
13 shall offer the study of ethnic and racial groups as a one (1) semester
14 elective course in its high school curriculum at least once every school
15 year.
16 (c) The course described in subsection (b) may be offered by the
17 school corporation, charter school, or accredited nonpublic school
18 through a course access program administered by the department.

