
HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2024 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Education to Original House Bill No. 244
by Representative Hughes

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 20, after "reading" and before "difficulties" insert "or mathematics"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 2, line 1, after "literacy" delete the remainder of the line, and delete line 2 in its
5 entirety and insert "or mathematics assessment approved by the state Department of
6 Education."

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 2, line 7, after "a" and before "literacy or" insert "department-approved"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 2, line 19, after "Evaluate" and before "providers" insert "and publish a list of
11 approved"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 5

13 On page 2, line 21, after "payments." delete the remainder of the line, and at the beginning
14 of line 22, delete "establish" and insert the following:

15 "(4) Establish"

16 AMENDMENT NO. 6

17 On page 2, line 24, after "performance on" and before "literacy" delete "approved" and insert
18 "department-approved"

19 AMENDMENT NO. 7

20 On page 2, at the end of line 25, after "state" delete "assessment." and insert "assessment and
21 the results of a parental satisfaction survey."

22 AMENDMENT NO. 8

23 On page 3, line 7, after "reading" and before "deficiency" insert "or mathematics"

24 AMENDMENT NO. 9

25 On page 3, line 13, after "year." and before "Program" insert "A participating student may
26 receive tutoring services in both reading and mathematics, but the total for all services shall
27 not exceed one thousand five hundred dollars."

28 AMENDMENT NO. 10

29 On page 3, line 16, after "use" and before "including" delete the comma "," and insert
30 "chosen from a list developed by the department,"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 11

2 On page 3, at the beginning of line 22, delete "(c)" and insert "(c)(i)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 12

4 On page 3, line 23, after "who" delete the remainder of the line and delete lines 24 through
5 27 in their entirety and insert the following:

6 "meets one of the following criteria:

7 (aa) He holds a valid teaching certificate in elementary education, reading,
8 or mathematics or holds an associate or baccalaureate degree.

9 (bb) He is employed as a paraprofessional by a public school governing
10 authority.

11 (cc) He is a student pursuing a degree at a postsecondary education
12 institution.

13 (ii) In addition to the requirements provided in Item (i) of this Subparagraph,
14 a person providing tutoring services in reading shall have successfully completed a
15 department-approved science of reading training."

16 AMENDMENT NO. 13

17 On page 4, at the beginning of line 17, after "(5)" and before "relative" delete "A report" and
18 insert "Information"

19 AMENDMENT NO. 14

20 On page 4, at the end of line 18, after "reading" and before "mathematics" delete "or" and
21 insert "and"

22 AMENDMENT NO. 15

23 On page 4, delete line 19 in its entirety and insert "abilities as provided in Paragraph (D)(3)
24 of this Section."