

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0191

College entrance exam components.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Freeman, Crank, Eyre, Flitner, Newsome, Northrup, Sommers, Stith, Sweeney and Western and Senator(s) Baldwin, Coe, Kost, Von Flatern and Wasserburger

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to education; amending the minimum test
2 requirements of a college entrance exam selected by the
3 state superintendent; and providing for an effective date.

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5 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 21-2-202(a)(xxx) is amended to read:

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9 **21-2-202. Duties of the state superintendent.**

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11 (a) In addition to any other duties assigned by law,
12 the state superintendent shall:

13 (xxx) ~~Effective school year 2017-2018 and each~~
14 ~~school year thereafter,~~ In consultation and coordination

1 with local school districts, by rule and regulation
2 establish a program of administering a standardized college
3 entrance examination and a career readiness examination
4 selected by the state superintendent to all students in the
5 eleventh and twelfth grades throughout the state in
6 accordance with this paragraph. The examinations selected
7 by the state superintendent shall be administered
8 throughout the United States and shall be relied upon by
9 institutions of higher education. The college entrance
10 examination shall at a minimum test in the areas of
11 English, reading, ~~writing~~science and mathematics for all
12 students in grade eleven (11). The career readiness
13 examination shall be optional for all students in grade
14 eleven (11) or twelve (12). The state superintendent shall
15 pay all costs associated with administering the college
16 entrance examination and the career readiness examination
17 and shall schedule a day or days during which examinations
18 shall be provided. The date or dates for statewide
19 administration of the college entrance examination in grade
20 eleven (11) and the career readiness examination shall be
21 established by the state superintendent in a manner that
22 best meets the needs of students and school districts. The
23 state superintendent may enter into agreements with an

1 administrator of the college entrance examination and the
2 career readiness examination and adopt rules as necessary
3 to ensure compliance with any requirements of an
4 administrator, such as a secure environment. Alternate
5 assessments and accommodations shall be offered by the
6 state superintendent in accordance with rule and
7 regulation;

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9 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2020.

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