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HB 2109 (Chapter 14): unification; consolidation; notice; ballot language

Changes public notice posting requirements for school district governing boards proposing to unify or proposing to consolidate. Alters ballot language for an election to consolidate school districts.

Effective: August 25, 2020

Click [here](#) for bill history.

HB 2625 (Chapter 25): civics celebration day; civics education

Establishes September 25 as Sandra Day O'Connor Civics Celebration Day and requires the State Board of Education to develop a list of recommended resources relating to civics education that align with the academic standards in social studies.

Effective: August 25, 2020

Click [here](#) for bill history.

HB 2684 (Chapter 26): crisis management team; underperforming districts

An emergency measure that directs the Arizona Department of Education to establish a crisis management team to intervene and recommend necessary changes for any persistently underperforming school district that operates a school that meets designated criteria.

Effective: March 24, 2020

Click [here](#) for bill history.

HB 2910/SB 1693 (Chapter 47): public school closures; coronavirus disease.

An emergency measure that outlines procedures for school funding, statewide assessment requirements, school employee compensation and general educational opportunities in response to the statewide closure of public schools due to the coronavirus disease 2019.

Effective: March 27, 2020

Click [here](#) for bill history.

SB 1036 (Chapter 8): empowerment scholarships; third-party administrator; repeal

Repeals the requirement that the Arizona Department of Education contract with a third-party administrator to assist in the financial administration of Arizona Empowerment Scholarship Accounts.

Effective: August 25, 2020

Click [here](#) for bill history.

SB 1061 (Chapter 64): schools; parental rights; posting

Requires the Arizona Department of Education to establish and post, on its website, a statutory handbook of parental rights and requires each school district and charter school to post a link to the handbook on its website.

Effective: August 25, 2020

Click [here](#) for bill history.

SB 1445 (Chapter 82): suicide prevention training; school employees

Requires school counselor or school social worker training programs to develop or adopt evidence-based instruction on suicide awareness and prevention.

Effective: August 25, 2020

Click [here](#) for bill history.

SB 1446 (Chapter 83): student identification cards; suicide prevention

Requires school districts, charter schools and institutions of higher education to include contact information for suicide prevention resources, local crisis centers or emotional support services on student identification cards.

Effective: August 25, 2020

Click [here](#) for bill history.

SB 1492 (Chapter 85): Arizona teachers academy; program pathways

Expands the Arizona Teachers Academy (Academy) to include students who commit to teach for schools that serve primarily public school students with disabilities. Allows a college owned, operated or chartered by a qualifying Indian tribe to participate in the Academy and receive Arizona Teachers Academy Fund monies.

Effective: August 25, 2020

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