

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS  
SENATE AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1717  
(Reference to printed bill)

1 Page 3, line 16, after "SHALL" insert "DISTRIBUTE MONIES FROM THE FUND TO  
2 QUALIFYING PROVIDERS FOR REIMBURSEMENTS PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION B OF THIS  
3 SECTION AND"

4 Line 17, after "TO" insert "QUALIFYING PROVIDERS THAT SERVE"

5 Between lines 38 and 39, insert:

6 "3. "QUALIFYING PROVIDER" MEANS A COMMUNITY COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OR  
7 INSTITUTION THAT PROVIDES A QUALIFYING DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSE.

8 Sec. 2. Section 15-1821.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
9 read:

10 15-1821.01. Dual enrollment information

11 On a determination by a community college district governing board  
12 that it is in the best interest of the citizens of a district, the district  
13 governing board may authorize district community colleges to offer college  
14 courses that may be counted toward both high school and college graduation  
15 requirements at the high school during the school day, subject to the  
16 following:

17 1. The community college district governing board and the governing  
18 board of the school district or organization of which the high school is a  
19 part shall enter into an agreement or contract. These intergovernmental  
20 agreements or contracts shall be based on a uniform format that has been  
21 cooperatively developed by the community college districts in this state.  
22 Each of these agreements or contracts shall clearly specify the following:

23 (a) The financial provisions of the agreement or contract and the  
24 format for billing all services under the agreement or contract, including

1 the amount that the community college received in full-time student  
2 equivalent funding pursuant to section 15-1466.01, the portion of the  
3 funding that is distributed to the school district governing board or  
4 charter school and any amount that is subsequently returned to the  
5 community college district by the school district governing board or  
6 charter school.

7 (b) Student tuition and financial aid policies, including whether  
8 scholarships or grants are awarded to students in dual enrollment courses  
9 from the community college.

10 (c) The accountability provisions for each party to the agreement or  
11 contract.

12 (d) The responsibilities and services required of each party to the  
13 agreement or contract.

14 (e) The type of instruction that will be provided under the  
15 agreement or contract, including the titles of the courses to be offered.

16 (f) The quality of the instruction that will be provided under the  
17 agreement or contract.

18 2. Students shall be admitted to the community college under the  
19 policies adopted by each district, except that all students who are  
20 enrolled for college credit shall be high school freshmen, sophomores,  
21 juniors or seniors. All students who are in the course, including those  
22 not electing to enroll for college credit, shall satisfy the prerequisites  
23 for the course as published in the college catalog and shall comply with  
24 college policies regarding student placement in courses.

25 3. The courses shall be previously evaluated and approved through  
26 the curriculum approval process of the district, shall be at a higher level  
27 than taught by the high school and shall be transferable to a university  
28 under the jurisdiction of the Arizona board of regents or be applicable to  
29 an established community college occupational degree or certificate  
30 program. Physical education courses are not available for dual enrollment  
31 purposes.

1           4. College-approved textbooks, syllabuses, course outlines and  
2 grading standards that are applicable to the courses if taught at the  
3 community college shall apply to these courses and to all students in the  
4 courses offered pursuant to this section. The chief executive officer of  
5 each community college shall establish an advisory committee of full-time  
6 faculty who teach in the disciplines offered at the community college to  
7 assist in course selection and implementation in the high schools and to  
8 review and report at least annually to the chief executive officer whether  
9 the course goals and standards are understood, the course guidelines are  
10 followed and the same standards of expectation and assessment are applied  
11 to these courses as though they were being offered at the community  
12 college. The advisory committee of full-time faculty shall meet at least  
13 three times each academic year.

14           5. Each faculty member shall meet the requirements established by  
15 the governing board pursuant to section 15-1444. The chief executive  
16 officer of each community college district shall establish an advisory  
17 committee of full-time faculty who teach in the disciplines offered at the  
18 community college district to assist in the selection, orientation, ongoing  
19 professional development and evaluation of faculty who are teaching college  
20 courses in conjunction with the high schools. The advisory committee of  
21 full-time faculty shall meet at least two times each academic year.

22           6. A school district shall ensure that a pupil is a full-time  
23 student as defined in section 15-901 and is enrolled in and attending a  
24 full-time instructional program at a school in the school district before  
25 that pupil is allowed to enroll in a college course pursuant to this  
26 section, except that high school seniors who satisfy high school graduation  
27 requirements with less than a full-time instructional program are exempt  
28 from this paragraph.

29           7. Notwithstanding paragraph 6 of this section, homeschooled  
30 students may fully participate in dual enrollment, including receipt of  
31 college credit pursuant to this section.

1           8. A CHILD WITH A DISABILITY AS DEFINED IN SECTION 15-761 SHALL HAVE  
2           ACCESS TO ANY SUPPLEMENTARY AID, SERVICE OR ACCOMMODATION PROVIDED IN THE  
3           CHILD'S INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM AS DEFINED IN SECTION 15-731 OR IN  
4           THE STUDENT'S SECTION 504 PLAN AS DEFINED IN SECTION 15-731."

5 Renumber to conform

6 Amend title to conform

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