
HOUSE BILL No. 1466

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 20-10.1-5.1-4.

Synopsis: School programs for high ability students. Requires a school corporation to have a local plan and local program for high ability students in grades 3 through 12 and provides a time schedule for implementation of these programs.

Effective: July 1, 1999.

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January 19, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Education.

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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 20-10.1-5.1-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 4. (a) A governing
- 3 body ~~may~~ **shall** do the following:
- 4 (1) Develop and periodically update a local plan to provide
- 5 appropriate educational experiences to high ability students **in**
- 6 ~~kindergarten~~ **grades 3** through ~~grade~~ 12. The plan must include
- 7 the following components:
- 8 (A) Establish a broad-based planning committee that meets
- 9 periodically to review the LEA plan for high ability students.
- 10 The committee must have representatives from diverse groups
- 11 representing the school and community.
- 12 (B) Student assessment.
- 13 (C) Professional development.
- 14 (D) Development and implementation of a local program for
- 15 high ability students.
- 16 (E) Evaluation of the local program for high ability students.



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1 (2) Provide a local program for high ability students in
2 accordance with the plan that the governing body develops under
3 subdivision (1) for the high ability students in the school
4 corporation in ~~kindergarten~~ **grades 3** through ~~grade~~ **12**.

5 **(b) A governing body may develop and periodically update a**
6 **plan as described in subsection (a)(1) and provide a local program**
7 **as described in subsection (a)(2) for high ability students in the**
8 **school corporation in kindergarten through grade 2.**

9 SECTION 2. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999] (a) **This SECTION**
10 **applies to a school corporation that on July 1, 1999, does not have**
11 **a local program for high ability students as required by**
12 **IC 20-10.1-5.1-4(a)(2), as amended by this act.**

13 (b) **Notwithstanding the requirements of IC 20-10.1-5.1-4(a)(2),**
14 **as amended by this act, a school corporation must implement the**
15 **local program for high ability students required by**
16 **IC 20-10.1-5.1-4(a)(2), as amended by this act, according to the**
17 **following schedule:**

18 (1) **A local program for students in grades 3 through 5 must**
19 **be provided by the beginning of the 2001-2002 school year.**

20 (2) **A local program for students in grades 6 through 8 must**
21 **be provided by the beginning of the 2003-2004 school year.**

22 (3) **A local program for students in grades 9 through 12 must**
23 **be provided by the beginning of the 2005-2006 school year.**

24 (c) **This SECTION expires July 1, 2006.**

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