

SENATE BILL No. 213

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 schedule for implementation of these programs.

Effective: July 1, 2000.

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January 10, 2000, read first time and referred to Committee on Education.

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Second Regular Session 111th General Assembly (2000)

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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, AS AMENDED BY P.L.1-1999,
2 SECTION 48, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2000]: Sec. 4. (a) A governing body ~~may~~ **shall** do the
4 following:

- 5 (1) Develop and periodically update a local plan to provide
- 6 appropriate educational experiences to high ability students in the
- 7 school corporation in ~~kindergarten~~ **grade 3** through grade 12. The
- 8 plan must include the following components:
- 9 (A) The establishment of a broad-based planning committee
- 10 that meets periodically to review the LEA plan for high ability
- 11 students. The committee must have representatives from
- 12 diverse groups representing the school and community.
- 13 (B) Student assessment.
- 14 (C) Professional development.
- 15 (D) Development and implementation of a local program for
- 16 high ability students.
- 17 (E) Evaluation of the local program for high ability students.



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~~ **grade 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, 2000] (a) **This SECTION**
10 **applies to a school corporation that on July 1, 2000, 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 2002-2003 school year.**

20 (2) **A local program for students in grades 6 through 8 must**
21 **be provided by the beginning of the 2004-2005 school year.**

22 (3) **A local program for students in grades 9 through 12 must**
23 **be provided by the beginning of the 2006-2007 school year.**

24 (c) **This SECTION expires July 1, 2007.**

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