



# 2019 Legislative Summary

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# Overview

- A total of **1,358** bills and joint resolutions were introduced this Session
- **201** of the **714** House bills moved to the Senate
- **218** of the **644** Senate bills moved to the House



# Overview

- **163** of the **201** House bills passed the Senate
- **130** of the **218** Senate bills passed the House
- A total of **293** bills went to the Governor's desk equating to a passage rate of **22%** for bills this Session



# Overview

- **178** introduced bills directly impacted education with **36** bills mentioning the Commission for Higher Education
- **24** of the **81** House bills impacting education passed both chambers
- **16** of the **97** Senate bills impacting education passed both chambers





# Legislative Tasks

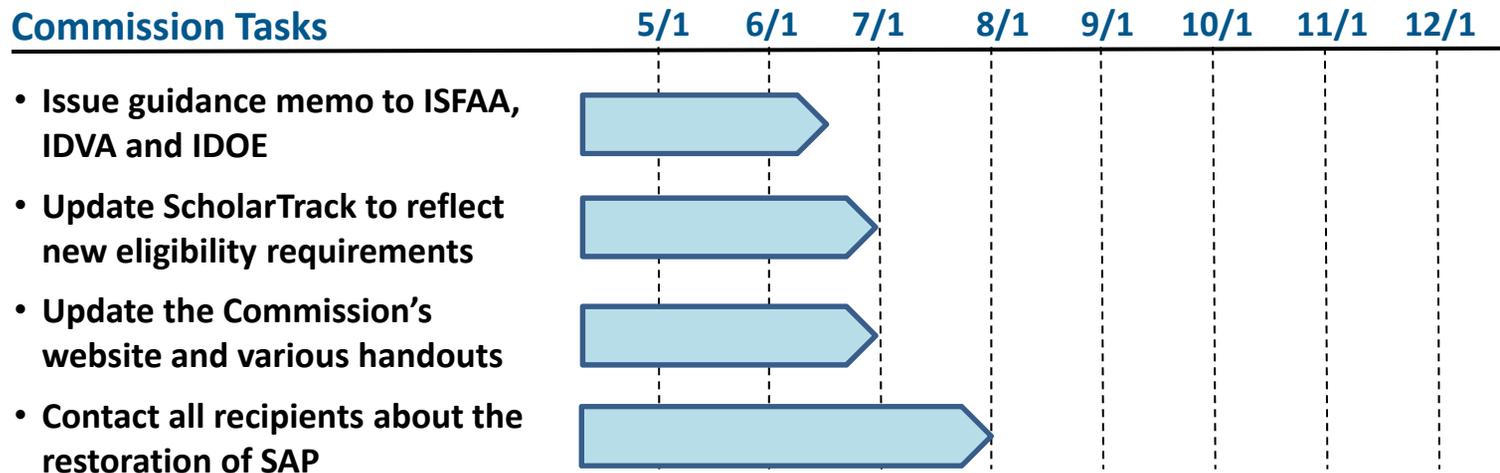


# SB 216: Educational Cost Exemptions

## Requirements

- Places all 12 tuition and fee exemption programs under the eligibility requirements for the Child of Disabled Veterans program
- Restores Satisfactory Academic Progress

## High Level Timeline

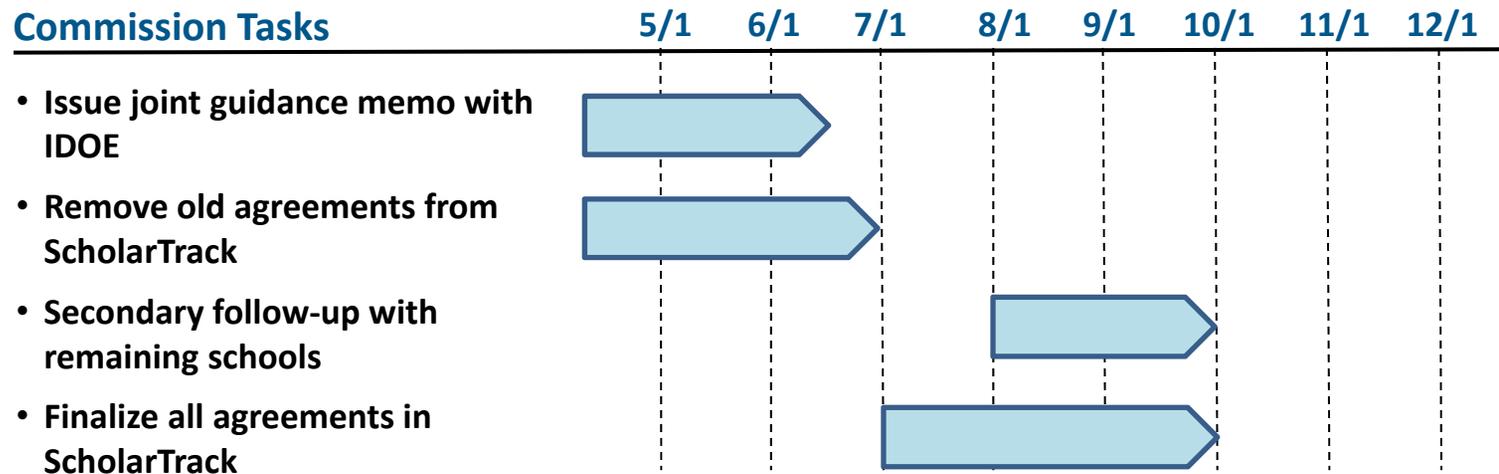


# HB 1245: Various Higher Education Matters

## Requirements

- Requires all high schools to enter into a FAFSA data share agreement with the Commission

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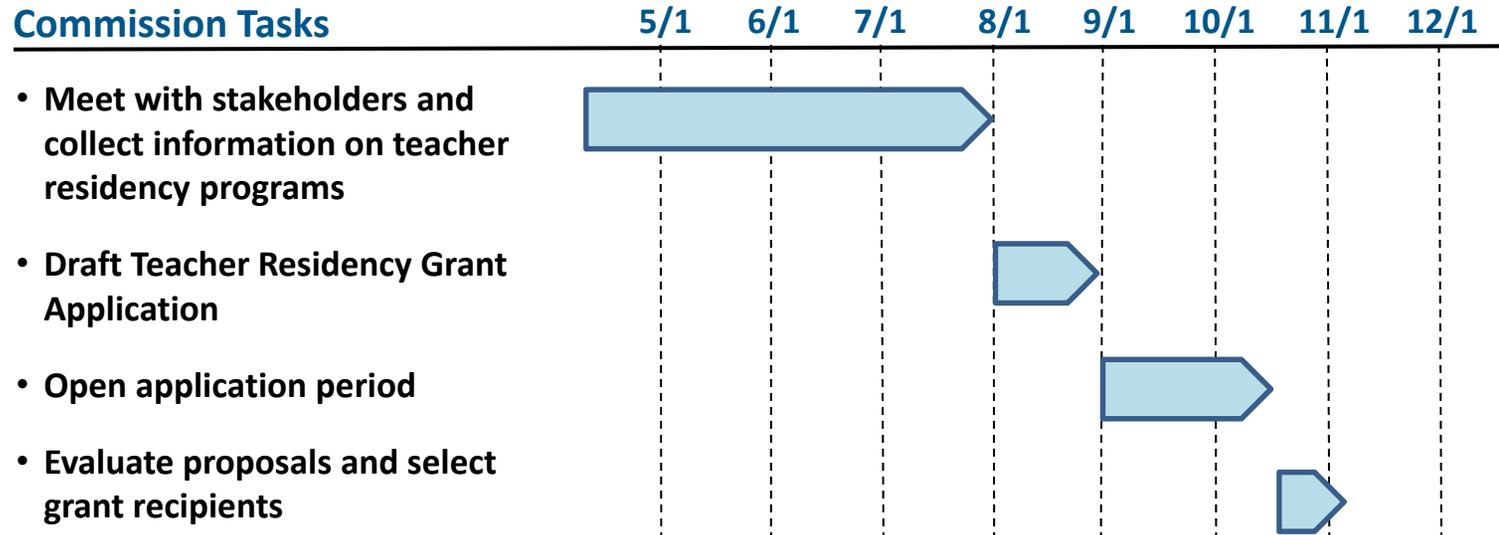


# HEA 1009: Teacher Residency Pilot

## Requirements

- Requires the Commission to administer a pilot program to award grants to school corporations and charter schools that partner with teacher prep programs to establish teacher residencies

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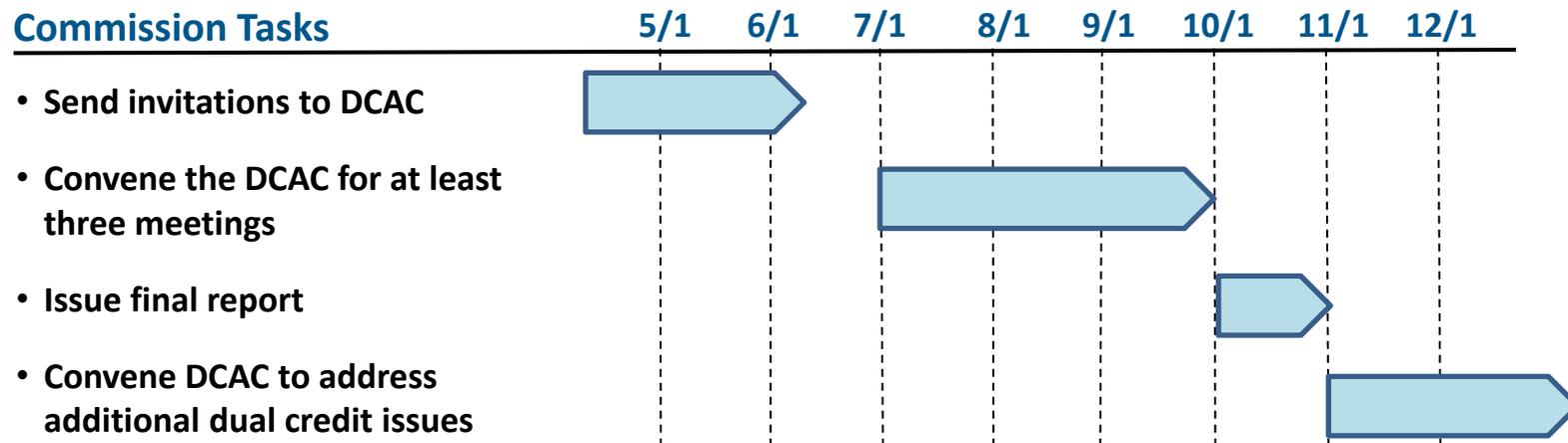
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# SEA 438: Dual Credit Advisory Council

## Requirements

- Requires the Commission to reconvene the Dual Credit Advisory Council to identify gaps in credentialing dual credit instructors
- Submit a report to Legislative Council by November 1, 2019

## High Level Timeline



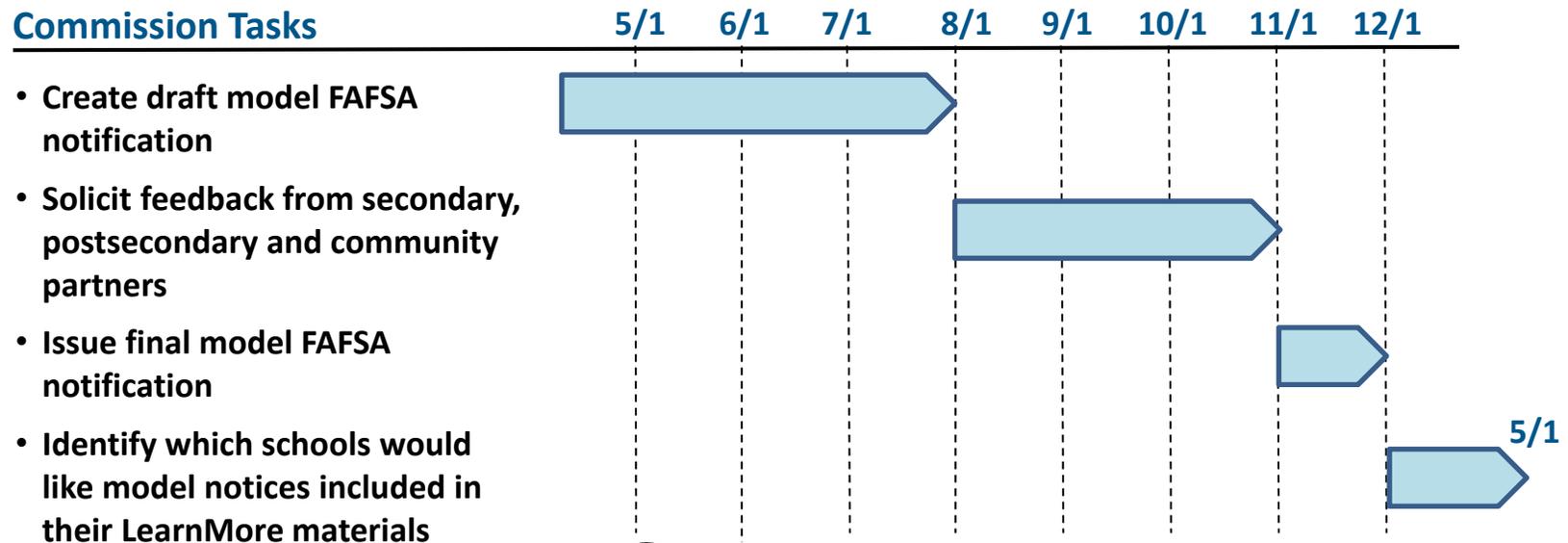
# HEA 1629: FAFSA Notifications

## Requirements

- Requires all high schools to notify seniors about the FAFSA along with certain higher education data points starting fall 2020
- The Commission is required to provide a model notification

## High Level Timeline

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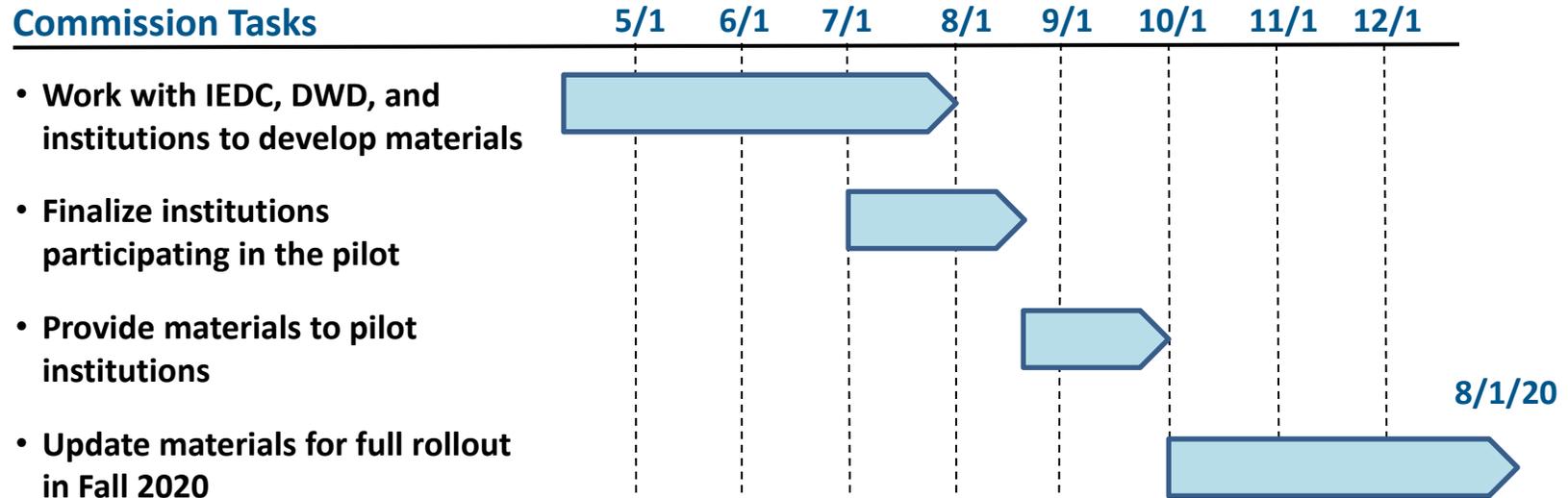
# HEA 1002: Let Indiana Work for You

## Requirements

- Requires the Commission to partner with IEDC and DWD to create a program to provide colleges and universities with information on the benefits of working and residing in Indiana

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# Additional Items

## **HEA 1245: Code Clean Up**

- Removes unfunded programs & mentions of closed campuses; updates metropolitan university designation; and corrects institutional name changes

## **HEA 1001: Primary Care Scholarship**

- Increases the maximum annual amount of the scholarship administered by the Commission from \$10,000 to \$15,000

## **HEA 1002: Workforce Development**

- Expands the Workforce Ready Grant and creates a panel to review K-12 accountability

## **HEA 1443: Taskforce to Study Schools for the Deaf and Blind**

- Creates a taskforce to review physical plants of the schools



# Additional Items

## **HEA 1629: EARN Expansion**

- Expands the EARN Indiana program to include high school students

## **SEA 216: Resident Tuition**

- Provides resident tuition for the spouses and dependents of recently separated veterans

## **SEA 546: Interim Study Committee**

- Urged the Legislative Council to assign the topic of merging the responsibilities of CHE, SBOE, and the GWC to a summer study
- The Legislative Council did not assign this topic





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