

**The Florida Senate**  
**COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

**EDUCATION PRE-K - 12**  
**Senator Legg, Chair**  
**Senator Detert, Vice Chair**

**MEETING DATE:** Wednesday, January 27, 2016  
**TIME:** 9:00—11:00 a.m.  
**PLACE:** Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

**MEMBERS:** Senator Legg, Chair; Senator Detert, Vice Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Brandes, Bullard, Clemens, Gaetz, Galvano, Garcia, Montford, and Sobel

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	<b>SB 442</b> Flores (Identical H 119)	Educational Facilities; Providing for school district construction flexibility; authorizing exceptions to educational facilities construction requirements under certain circumstances, etc.  ED     01/27/2016 Favorable AED AP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
2	<b>SB 834</b> Detert (Compare CS/CS/H 7029, S 1136)	Minimum Term School Funding; Revising the term "full-time student" to delete references to membership in a double-session school or a school that uses a specified experimental calendar; clarifying how "full time equivalency" is calculated for students in schools that operate for less than the minimum term, etc.  ED     01/27/2016 Favorable AED AP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
3	<b>SB 1068</b> Legg (Similar CS/H 7021)	Education; Revising the duties of the Just Read, Florida! Office; revising requirements for school improvement plans and early warning systems; revising core curricula requirements for certain teacher preparation programs to include certain reading instruction and interventions; requiring candidates for an educator certificate in certain areas to demonstrate competence in specified areas, etc.  ED     01/27/2016 Favorable AED AP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
4	<b>SB 1078</b> Legg	Education; Revising the exams each public high school is required to administer to all enrolled 10th grade students to include ACT Aspire, etc.  ED     01/27/2016 Favorable AED AP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0

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5	<b>SB 1088</b> Stargel (Identical H 837)	John M. McKay Scholarships for Students with Disabilities Program; Exempting a foster child from specified eligibility provisions; creating a transition-to-work program for specific students enrolled in the John M. McKay Scholarships for Students with Disabilities Program; exempting a John M. McKay Scholarship award from a specified funding calculation for purposes of the Florida Education Finance Program, etc.  ED 01/27/2016 Fav/CS AED AP	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
6	<b>SB 1360</b> Gaetz	Student Assessments; Authorizing a district school board to choose to implement certain rigorous alternative assessment options by a certain school year; requiring each school district to annually notify students and parents of standard high school diploma requirements by a specified date; requiring a classroom teacher's performance evaluation to be based on the performance of certain students, etc.  ED 01/27/2016 Fav/CS AED AP	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
7	<b>SB 1418</b> Simmons	Supplemental Academic Instruction; Requiring supplemental academic instruction categorical funds and research-based reading instruction allocation funds to be used by a school district that has one or more of the lowest-performing elementary schools for additional intensive reading instruction at the school during the summer program in addition to instruction during the school year, etc.  ED 01/27/2016 Favorable AED AP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
8	<b>SB 1440</b> Montford	Florida Educator Hall of Fame; Establishing the Florida Educator Hall of Fame; providing procedures for the nomination, selection, and induction of members by the Florida Education Foundation and the Commissioner of Education, etc.  ED 01/27/2016 Favorable AGG FP	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
Other Related Meeting Documents			