

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

EDUCATION PRE-K - 12

Senator Simon, Chair

Senator Calatayud, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, January 13, 2026

TIME: 1:30—3:30 p.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Simon, Chair; Senator Calatayud, Vice Chair; Senators Berman, Burgess, Davis, Gaetz, Osgood, and Yarborough

| TAB | BILL NO. and INTRODUCER | BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS | COMMITTEE ACTION |
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| 1 | SB 206 Harrell (Identical H 851, Compare H 717) | Students with Autism Spectrum Disorder; Requiring, rather than authorizing, the State Board of Education to adopt certain rules; requiring that such rules include a requirement related to autism spectrum disorder for certain K-12 teachers, etc. ED 01/13/2026 Fav/CS AED AP | Fav/CS Yea 6 Nays 0 |
| 2 | SB 420 Burgess (Identical H 371) | Patriotic Displays in Classrooms; Requiring each district school board to adopt rules to require the display of portraits of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln in certain classrooms, etc. ED 01/13/2026 Favorable AED RC | Favorable Yea 6 Nays 1 |
| 3 | SB 556 Berman (Identical H 453) | Requirements for a Standard High School Diploma; Providing that students with disabilities may participate in the Special Olympics to meet the physical education requirement for a standard high school diploma, etc. ED 01/13/2026 Fav/CS CF RC | Fav/CS Yea 6 Nays 0 |

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Senate Confirmation Hearing: A public hearing will be held for consideration of the below-named executive appointment to the office indicated.

Commission for Independent Education

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| 5 | Euliano, John (Winter Springs) | 06/30/2028 | Recommend Confirm Yea 6 Nays 0 |
| 6 | Stefano, Troy A. (Wellington) | 06/30/2027 | Recommend Confirm Yea 6 Nays 0 |
| 7 | Lynn, Christopher (Winter Garden) | 06/30/2027 | Recommend Confirm Yea 6 Nays 0 |

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| Education Practices Commission | | | |
| 4 | Monteagudo, Omar () | 09/30/2027 | Recommend Confirm Yea 6 Nays 0 |
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