

By Senator Flores

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to workforce education programs;
3 amending s. 1011.80, F.S.; authorizing a Florida
4 College System institution or a school district to
5 report a student as enrolled in an adult education
6 program for purposes of funding if the student is
7 coenrolled in a K-12 education program and an adult
8 education program; deleting an obsolete provision;
9 authorizing a Florida College System institution or a
10 school district to report a student for funding for up
11 to two courses if the student is coenrolled in core
12 program areas, rather than curricula courses, and
13 meets certain additional criteria; requiring that the
14 Department of Education develop a list of courses to
15 be designated as core courses for purposes of
16 coenrollment; providing an effective date.

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18 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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20 Section 1. Paragraph (10) of section 1011.80, Florida
21 Statutes, is amended to read:

22 1011.80 Funds for operation of workforce education
23 programs.—

24 (10) A high school student dually enrolled under s.
25 1007.271 in a workforce education program operated by a Florida
26 College System institution or school district career center
27 generates the amount calculated for workforce education funding,
28 including any payment of performance funding, and the
29 proportional share of full-time equivalent enrollment generated

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30 through the Florida Education Finance Program for the student's
31 enrollment in a high school. If a high school student is dually
32 enrolled in a Florida College System institution program,
33 including a program conducted at a high school, the Florida
34 College System institution earns the funds generated for
35 workforce education funding, and the school district earns the
36 proportional share of full-time equivalent funding from the
37 Florida Education Finance Program. If a student is dually
38 enrolled in a career center operated by the same district as the
39 district in which the student attends high school, that district
40 earns the funds generated for workforce education funding and
41 also earns the proportional share of full-time equivalent
42 funding from the Florida Education Finance Program. If a student
43 is dually enrolled in a workforce education program provided by
44 a career center operated by a different school district, the
45 funds must be divided between the two school districts
46 proportionally from the two funding sources. A student may not
47 be reported for funding in a dual enrollment workforce education
48 program unless the student has completed the basic skills
49 assessment pursuant to s. 1004.91. A student who is coenrolled
50 in a K-12 education program and an adult education program may
51 ~~not~~ be reported for purposes of funding in an adult education
52 program. If a student is, ~~except that for the 2011-2012 and~~
53 ~~2012-2013 fiscal years, students who are coenrolled in core~~
54 program areas ~~curricula courses~~ for credit recovery or dropout
55 prevention purposes and does ~~do~~ not have a pattern of excessive
56 absenteeism or habitual truancy or a history of disruptive
57 behavior in school, that student may be reported for funding for
58 up to two courses per student. Such a student is ~~Such students~~

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59 ~~are~~ exempt from the payment of the block tuition for adult
60 general education programs provided in s. 1009.22(3)(c). The
61 Department of Education shall develop a list of courses to be
62 designated as core courses for the purposes of coenrollment.

63 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2013.