The Committee on Appropriations (Stargel) recommended the following:

**Senate Amendment**

Delete lines 862 - 924 and insert:

1009.31 Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program.—

(1) The Legislature finds and declares that dual enrollment is an integral part of the education system in this state and should be available for all eligible secondary students without cost to the student. There is established the Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program to support public postsecondary institutions.
in providing dual enrollment.

(2) The department shall administer the Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program in accordance with rules of the State Board of Education.

(3) (a) Beginning in the 2020 fall term, the program shall reimburse eligible public postsecondary institutions for tuition and related instructional materials costs for dual enrollment courses taken by private school or home education program secondary students during the fall or spring terms.

(b) Beginning in the 2021 summer term, the program shall reimburse eligible public postsecondary institutions for tuition and related instructional materials costs for dual enrollment courses taken by public school, private school, or home education program secondary students during the summer term.

(4) A student participating in a dual enrollment program must meet the minimum eligibility requirements specified in s. 1007.271 in order for the institution to receive a reimbursement.

(5) Annually, by March 15, each participating public institution must report to the department its eligible secondary students from private schools or home education programs who were enrolled during the previous fall or spring terms. Annually, by July 15, each participating institution must report to the department its eligible public school, private school, or home education program students who were enrolled during the summer term. For each dual enrollment course in which the student is enrolled, the report must include a unique student identifier, the postsecondary institution name, the postsecondary course number, the postsecondary course name, and
the number of postsecondary course credits earned by the
student.

(6)(a) Florida College System institutions shall be
reimbursed for college credit instruction at the in-state
resident tuition rate established in s. 1009.23(3)(a).

(b) State universities shall be reimbursed at the standard
tuition rate established in s. 1009.24(4)(a).

(c) Workforce education instruction leading to a career
certificate or an applied technology diploma shall be reimbursed
at the standard tuition rate established in s. 1009.22(3)(c).

(d) Institutions shall be reimbursed for instructional
materials costs based on a rate as specified in the General
Appropriations Act.

(7) For dual enrollment courses taken during the fall and
spring terms, the department must reimburse institutions by
April 15 of the same year. For dual enrollment courses taken
during the summer term, the department must reimburse
institutions by August 15 of the same year, before the beginning
of the next academic year.

(8) Reimbursement for dual enrollment courses is contingent
upon an appropriation in the General Appropriations Act each
year. If the statewide reimbursement amount is greater than the
appropriation, the institutional reimbursement amounts specified
in subsection (6) shall be prorated among the institutions that
have reported eligible students to the department by the
deadlines specified in subsection (5).

(9) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules to
implement this section.