

26 existed on January 1, 2020, with an educational purpose that
27 promotes patriotism and civic involvement.

28 (2) (a) Each school district may:

29 1. Allow a representative of a patriotic organization the
30 opportunity, during school hours and instructional time, to
31 speak with and distribute informational materials in a classroom
32 setting to students to encourage participation in the patriotic
33 organization and its activities and inform students of how the
34 patriotic organization may further the students' educational
35 interests and civic involvement to better the students' school
36 and community and themselves.

37 2. Provide opportunities for a patriotic organization to
38 have displays at schools within the district to provide
39 opportunities for student recruitment. Such displays may include
40 informational flyers and the use of other existing communication
41 channels.

42 (b) If a school district authorizes a representative of a
43 patriotic organization to speak with and distribute
44 informational materials to students and provide displays
45 pursuant to paragraph (a), the school district must provide a
46 specific day and time for the patriotic organization to speak to
47 students at schools within the district after the patriotic
48 organization has provided reasonable notice of its intent to
49 speak to students and provide displays.

50 (3) A patriotic organization may be allowed the use of any

CS/HB 1317

2024

51 school building or property for the purposes of paragraphs
52 (2)(a) and (b), if such activities occur outside of the school
53 day.

54 (4) A school district that allows a patriotic organization
55 to speak with and distribute informational materials to students
56 or use school buildings or property pursuant to this section is
57 not required to provide equal access to an organization that is
58 not designated as a patriotic organization.

59 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.