



82nd LEGISLATIVE SESSION OVERVIEW AND UPDATE

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- Obtain a high-level overview of the educational legislative landscape after then 82nd Session.
- Identify bills that are specific to the purview of the State Board of Education.

By the Numbers...



- Session began on February 6, 2023.
- 529 Assembly Bills
- 511 Senate Bill
- Assembly Education: 41 meetings, heard 52 bills, passed 50 out of committee.
- Senate Education: 53 meetings, heard 51 bills, passed 48 out of committee.
- Session adjourned *sine die* on June 5, 2023.
- The first special session began on June 6, 2023, and focused on the Capital Improvement Projects budget bill.
- The second special session began on June 7, 2023, and focused on the on the funding of the Athletics stadium in Las Vegas.



FUNDING OVERVIEW

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- K-12 Education ([Senate Bill 503](#))
 - Pupil Centered Funding Plan:
 - FY24: \$5.4B
 - FY25: \$5.7B

Tier	FY24	FY25
Adjusted Base	\$9,292	\$9,754
Weighted		
English Learner	\$4,035	\$4,236
At-Risk	\$3,317	\$3,294
Gifted and Talented	\$1,075	\$1,129

- State Special Education:
 - FY24: \$244M
 - FY25: \$251M



- 17 new positions, 1 reclassification
- Employee raises/incentives:
 - FY24:12% and FY25:11%*
 - Retention Incentive: \$250 per quarter
 - Longevity pay reinstated
- All travel enhancements were approved.
- [Assembly Bill 400](#)
 - Early Childhood Literacy and Readiness: \$70 million/FY
 - Teacher Advancement Scholarship: \$2 million/FY



GENERAL OVERVIEW

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- Funding
- Student and School Safety
- Teacher Recruitment and Retention
- Early Childhood Education
- Accountability
- CTE and Work-based Learning
- Curriculum, Standards, and Instruction



Bill	Topic(s)	Final Bill Status
<u>Assembly Bill 4</u>	Commission on Professional Standards and Commission on School Funding	Commission on Professional Standards absorbed into AB428, and Commission on School Funding absorbed into SB98
<u>Assembly Bill 25</u>	Good Samaritan Law	Not heard
<u>Assembly Bill 42</u>	Class Size	Passed out of Assembly Education and referred to Assembly Ways and Means
<u>Assembly Bill 54</u>	Free and Reduced Priced Lunch Receivers, Hospital Reimbursements, and Attendance and Enrollment Language	Signed by Governor Lombardo on June 5, 2023.
<u>Assembly Bill 65</u>	Bullying Definition, Kindergarten Start Date, Compulsory Enrollment Age Change, Board of Trustees Timeline, and Work-based Learning	Signed by Governor Lombardo on June 2, 2023.
<u>Senate Bill 9</u>	Removal of EOCs, Educational Involvement Accord/Parent Report Card, CTE Funding, NRS 387.12468 Report	Signed by Governor Lombardo on June 15, 2023



- [Assembly Bill 73](#)—Graduation Adornments
- [Assembly Bill 241](#) and [Assembly Bill 274](#)—Graduation Requirements
- [Assembly Bill 264](#)—Religious Absences
- [Assembly Bill 399](#) and [Assembly Bill 517](#)—District Accountability and Transparency
- [Assembly Bill 428](#)—Licensing and CTE Teacher Pathways
- [Senate Bill 80](#)—Return to Play and Return to Learn Policies
- [Senate Bill 425](#)—Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education
- [Senate Bill 442](#)—Interstate Teacher Mobility Compact



- [Assembly Bill 330](#) and [Assembly Bill 285](#)
- Maintenance of focus on restorative practices at the school, district, and state level with the addition of progressive discipline measures.
- Various changes around suspension, expulsion, and permanent expulsion based on age of student and type of behavior.
- Increased data collection and reporting, particularly related to discipline disproportionality. Superintendent of Public Instruction can put a local education agency on a corrective action plan.
- Codification of an expanded appeals process for students/families.



- Early Childhood Literacy and Readiness
 - \$70 million each year of the biennium
- City/County Charter School Sponsorship
- Charter School Transportation
 - \$7 million each year of the biennium
- Commission on School Funding Expanded Duties
- Nevada Teacher Advancement Scholarships
 - \$2 million each year of the biennium
- Expansion of Read by Grade 3 Provisions, beginning in 2028



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AB469 (2017) Measures



Bill	Topic	Final Bill Status
<p>Senate Bill 251— Senator Edgar Flores</p>	<p>Adds policies for the transfer and reassignment of employees of a school district who are not teachers to the mandatory scope of collected bargaining for a local government employer . Must include policies related to a surplus and a reduction in workforce.</p>	<p>Vetoed by Governor Lombardo on June 3, 2023.</p>
<p>Senate Bill 282— Senator Rochelle Nguyen</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> --Requires the principal of a school in Clark County School District to select staff in accordance with the applicable collective bargaining agreement. --Makes various changes regarding the role of the school organizational team. --Provides guidelines for what local school precincts can spend money on if they carryover more than 5% of their actual expenditures. Additionally, the local school precinct has 24 months to spend the money, or it is transferred to the Education Stabilization Account. 	<p>Signed by Governor Lombardo on June 10, 2023.</p>
<p>Senate Bill 148— Senator Roberta Lange</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> --Prohibits a local school precinct from employing or otherwise procuring the services of a person to carry out any responsibility that has not been transferred to the local school precinct. --Requires a local school precinct to meet certain ratios of custodial, maintenance, and security service personnel. --Requires the principal of a local school precinct to select teachers, administrators, and other staff in accordance with any applicable bargaining agreement. --Provides that the superintendent is responsible, after consulting with the principal and associate superintendent of a local school precinct, for making any decision concerning the assignment of a person from the large school district to the local school precinct or the reassignment of a person. --Authorizes each local school precinct to use the year-end balance to employ additional personnel necessary to meet required ratios. 	<p>Vetoed by Governor Lombardo on June 1, 2023.</p>



- [Assembly Bill 65](#): Work-based Learning plan approval moves to the State Superintendent.
- [Assembly Bill 399](#): The Subcommittee on Education Accountability of the Interim Finance Committee can compel any member of the State Board of Education to attend any meeting.
- [Assembly Bill 515](#): Provides authority to the Department of Education and State Board of Education to award tuition assistance and stipends for the Incentivizing Pathways to Teaching Grant Program. Allows for the adoption of regulations.
- [Assembly Bill 241](#) and [Assembly Bill 274](#): Work with NDE to revise and clarify graduation requirements for diploma types in NAC.



- [Assembly Bill 400](#):
 - State Board of Education must compile a report regarding the Teach Nevada Scholarship and Teacher Advancement Scholarship.
 - SBE may adopt regulations to administer the funds for the Teacher Advancement Scholarship.
 - SBE must prescribe by regulation a uniform examination to measure reading proficiency, the score a student must earn in 3rd grade to advance to 4th grade, and an alternative examination.
 - Work with NDE regarding city and county charter schools.
- [Assembly Bill 428](#): Must adopt regulations that prescribe the curriculum for the Teacher Academy College Pathway Program.
- [Senate Bill 425](#): The President of the State Board of Education will appoint a member of the State Board of Education to the Commission on Innovation and Excellence in Education.



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