

Week-ending February 12, 2021



Bill Introductions

House Education Finance and Policy Bill Introductions

Bill Number	Summary	Author
H.F. 799	A bill for an act relating to education; providing for school start times	Theis
H.F. 807	A bill for an act relating to education; prohibiting construction of schools near former landfills; requiring notice by schools located near former landfills	Dettmer
H.F. 817	A bill for an act relating to education; expanding eligibility for postsecondary enrollment options	Erickson
H.F. 841	A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for the Minnesota GreenStep Schools program.	Jordan
H.F. 843	A bill for an act relating to education finance; increasing the general education basic formula allowance by two percent per year; linking future increases in the basic formula allowance to the rate of inflation; appropriating money	Stephenson
H.F. 859	A bill for an act relating to education; requiring schools to make disposable menstrual products freely available in school restrooms	Kotyza-Witthuhn
H.F. 871	A bill for an act relating to early childhood education; continuing the school readiness plus program	Bernardy
H.F. 874	A bill for an act proposing an amendment to the Minnesota Constitution, article XIII, section 1; providing for a fundamental right to quality public education for all children.	Hassan
H.F. 909	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying student absence from school for religious holidays	Hassan
H.F. 911	A bill for an act relating to education finance; modifying the Head Start appropriation distribution; appropriating money	Kotyza-Witthuhn
H.F. 917	A bill for an act relating to education finance; updating the transportation sparsity revenue percent	Sandstede
H.F. 935	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying charter school authorizer review requirements	Lippert
H.F. 950	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying provisions for prekindergarten through grade 12 including general education; education excellence; inclusive and welcoming schools; health and well-being; teachers; charter schools; nutrition and libraries; early childhood; post-secondary enrollment options and graduation; making technical corrections; requiring reports	Richardson (Governor's policy bill)

H.F. 951	A bill for an act relating to education; prohibiting dismissals of students in kindergarten through grade 3	Richardson
H.F. 965	A bill for an act relating to education; requiring special education recovery services and support plans for students with disabilities; appropriating money.	Edelson
H.F. 966	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the responsibilities of the community education advisory council; modifying the calculation and allowable uses of general community education revenue; appropriating money	Edelson
H.F. 967	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying capacity provisions for certain special education programs	Edelson
H.F. 1012	A bill for an act relating to charter schools; amending requirements for charter school authorizer review	Lippert
H.F. 1018	A bill for an act relating to education; establishing the Minnesota Imagination Library Project; appropriating money	Marquart
H.F. 1024	A bill for an act relating to early childhood care and learning; establishing a Department of Early Childhood	Pinto
H.F. 1029	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying charter school authorizer corrective action requirements	Erickson
H.F. 1036	A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing the child care center regulation modernization project	Wazlawik
H.F. 1057	A bill for an act relating to education finance; establishing an evidence-based standard for any legislative grant for prekindergarten through grade 12 education programs; requiring a report	Bennett
H.F. 1064	A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for summer education programs	Davnie
H.F. 1065	A bill for an act relating to education finance; providing funding for prekindergarten through grade 12 education; modifying provisions for general education, education excellence, teachers, special education, facilities, nutrition and libraries, early childhood, community education, and state agencies; requiring reports; appropriating money	Davnie (Governor's finance bill)
H.F. 1069	A bill for an act relating to education; requiring background checks; expanding mandatory reporting; codifying teacher code of ethics in statute and repealing code of ethics in rule	Erickson

Senate E-12 Finance and Policy Bill Introductions

Bill Number	Summary	Author
S.F. 702	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying reading instruction requirements	Chamberlain
S.F. 705	A bill for an act relating to early childhood; appropriating money for early learning scholarships.	Nelson
S.F. 706	A bill for an act relating to early childhood programs; appropriating money for the ParentChild+ program.	Nelson
S.F. 707	A bill for an act relating to education finance; modifying the education partnership program; defining Tier 3 grants; appropriating money	Nelson

S.F. 710	A bill for an act relating to education; extending school district fund transfer flexibility; expanding uses of long-term facilities maintenance revenue	Duckworth
S.F. 726	A bill for an act relating to education; requiring student identification cards to include a mental health crisis telephone number	Coleman
S.F. 732	A bill for an act relating to education finance; adjusting special education revenue for Independent School District No. 709, Duluth; creating a base adjustment; authorizing supplemental special education aid; appropriating money.	McEwen
S.F. 750	A bill for an act relating to education; requiring an online personal finance class for high school graduation	Draheim
S.F. 775	A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for the Minnesota GreenStep Schools program.	Wiger
S.F. 777	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying school meal provisions	Housley
S.F. 781	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying teacher licensing, hiring, and dismissal provisions	Coleman
S.F. 782	A bill for an act relating to education finance; expanding extended time revenue to all students placed at residential treatment facilities providing mental health or juvenile justice services	Chamberlain
S.F. 783	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the responsibilities of the community education advisory council; modifying the calculation and allowable uses of general community education revenue	Chamberlain
S.F. 784	A bill for an act relating to education; requiring school districts to establish teacher mentoring programs; modifying allowed uses of staff development revenue	Chamberlain
S.F. 788	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying provisions for prekindergarten through grade 12 including general education; education excellence; inclusive and welcoming schools; health and well-being; teachers; charter schools; nutrition and libraries; early childhood; post-secondary enrollment options and graduation; making technical corrections; requiring reports	Chamberlain
S.F. 789	A bill for an act relating to education; expanding definition of shared time pupils	Rosen
S.F. 790	A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for the Sanneh Foundation.	Duckworth
S.F. 819	A bill for an act relating to education; creating a pilot for short-call substitute teachers.	Dornink
S.F. 821	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying after-school community learning programs; appropriating money; requiring a report	Eichorn
S.F. 835	A bill for an act relating to education; waiving surplus federal property fees for school districts and charter schools; appropriating money	Goggin
S.F. 845	A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for Girls in Action programming grant.	Champion
S.F. 848	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying teacher licensure provisions	Kunesh

S.F. 859	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying school health services to allow for the use of private clinical nursing services; modifying the use of a functional behavioral assessment; allowing certain students to participate in alternative delivery of specialized instructional services programs	Hoffman
S.F. 866	A bill for an act relating to education; authorizing grants for robotics programs; requiring a report	Carlson
S.F. 925	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the calculation of aid to nonpublic pupils; appropriating money	Eichorn
S.F. 931	A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for a grant to the Children's Museum of Rochester.	Nelson
S.F. 939	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying the postsecondary enrollment options program; appropriating money	Nelson
S.F. 960	A bill for an act relating to education finance; providing funding for prekindergarten through grade 12 education; modifying provisions for general education, education excellence, teachers, special education, facilities, nutrition and libraries, early childhood, community education, and state agencies; requiring reports; appropriating money	Chamberlain
S.F. 966	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying student absence from school for religious holidays	Fateh
S.F. 973	A bill for an act relating to education finance; appropriating money for summer education programs	Chamberlain

Other Bill Introductions of Interest

Bill Number	Summary	Author
H.F. 850	A bill for an act relating to criminal justice; establishing penalties for school employees, independent contractors, and persons in positions of authority who have sexual relationships with students	Demuth
H.F. 945	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying third-party reimbursement for social work services for special education	Youakim
H.F. 956	A bill for an act relating to motor vehicles; amending annual commercial vehicle inspection requirements; making technical and clarifying changes	Bahr
H.F. 993	A bill for an act relating to higher education; providing funding and related policy changes for the Office of Higher Education, Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, the University of Minnesota, and the Mayo Clinic; creating and modifying certain student aid programs; creating a direct admissions pilot program; requiring reports; appropriating money	Bernardy
H.F. 1008	A bill for an act relating to emergency management; modifying emergency authority to close or alter schools	Kresha
H.F. 1025	A bill for an act relating to human services; establishing intensive in-home children's mental health stabilization and support services; instructing the commissioner to identify existing and emerging federal matching funds for intensive children's mental health services and supports	Morrison

H.F. 1041	A bill for an act relating to higher education; strengthening the Increase Teachers of Color Act in higher education; creating a new scholarship program for aspiring teachers of color; modifying provisions for student teacher grants and teacher shortage loan forgiveness; requiring a report; appropriating money	Keeler
H.F. 1051	A bill for an act relating to state government; modifying peacetime emergency authority; eliminating the authority for the governor to use peacetime emergency authority to impose restrictions on schools	Kresha
H.F. 1075	A bill for an act relating to health; appropriating money for the Department of Health, health operations, and health-related boards, councils, and ombudsman; making health policy changes to electronic health records, health care information exchange, radiation hazard application fees, tests for infants for medical conditions, maternal morbidity and death studies, fetal and infant death studies, and asbestos abatement	Liebling
H.F. 1076	A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money for environment, natural resources, and tourism; modifying disposition of certain receipts, appropriations, funds, and accounts; modifying state park and fishing contest provisions; modifying and establishing fees; eliminating duplicate reporting; modifying certain grant programs; providing for environmental justice considerations; modifying requirements for labeling items as biodegradable or compostable; modifying enforcement authority; establishing Landfill Responsibility Act; modifying provisions for conveying state land interests; adding to and deleting from state parks and recreation areas; authorizing sales of certain state lands	Hansen, R.
S.F. 728	A bill for an act relating to education; modifying third-party reimbursement for social work services for special education	Frentz
S.F. 739	A bill for an act relating to public health; requiring face coverings in certain settings; establishing implementation requirements; providing for penalties and injunctive relief; providing for expiration of the face covering requirements.	Wiklund
S.F. 744	A bill for an act relating to public safety; modifying school bus inspection criteria	Jasinski
S.F. 796	A bill for an act relating to human services; appropriating money for payment to a day school in Ramsey County for child care assistance overpayments.	Murphy
S.F. 797	A bill for an act relating to higher education; strengthening the Increase Teachers of Color Act in higher education; creating a new scholarship program for aspiring teachers of color; modifying provisions for student teacher grants and teacher shortage loan forgiveness; requiring a report; appropriating money	Abeler
S.F. 800	A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money directed at ending systemic racism; adopting provisions that address racial injustice and systemic racism.	Fateh

S.F. 867	A bill for an act relating to criminal justice; establishing penalties for school employees and independent contractors who have sexual relationships with students	Carlson
S.F. 974	A bill for an act relating to state government; appropriating money for the legislature, governor's office, state auditor, attorney general, secretary of state, certain agencies, boards, councils, and retirement funds; changing provisions for state government operations; providing for audit of state's use of federal funds; authorizing virtual payments; changing grant provisions; changing appropriation provisions for local government aid; changing provisions covering public defenders	Kiffmeyer
S.F. 975	A bill for an act relating to higher education; providing funding and related policy changes for the Office of Higher Education, Minnesota State Colleges and Universities, the University of Minnesota, and the Mayo Clinic; creating and modifying certain student aid programs; creating a direct admissions pilot program; requiring reports; appropriating money	Tomassoni

Elections Bill Introductions

Bill Number	Summary	Author
H.F. 878	A bill for an act relating to data practices; requiring interagency group meetings to be open to the public	Green
S.F. 708	A bill for an act relating to elections; prohibiting political subdivisions from establishing or enforcing ranked-choice voting	Koran

Insurance Bill Introductions

Bill Number	Summary	Author
	No insurance bills introduced this week.	

Human Relations Bill Introductions

Bill Number	Summary	Author
H.F. 821	A bill for an act relating to employment benefits; requiring carryover of unused dependent care flexible spending account funds in benefit plan years 2020 and 2021.	Koegel
H.F. 857	A bill for an act relating to education; classifying teachers as essential employees	Erickson
H.F. 899	A bill for an act relating to retirement; Public Employees Retirement Association; privatized medical facilities; amending the calculation of liability for privatizing medical facilities	Nelson, M.
H.F. 1054	A bill for an act relating to unemployment insurance; modifying wage credits	Greenman
S.F. 719	A bill for an act relating to state government; adopting worker protection provisions; providing a presumption for workers' compensation coverage; removing social security and social security disability offsets for unemployment insurance; providing rehire and retention protections for laid-off workers during a declared emergency; providing emergency paid sick leave for certain essential workers; requiring reports; authorizing rulemaking	Bakk

S.F. 757	A bill for an act relating to cannabis; establishing the Cannabis Management Board; establishing advisory councils; requiring reports relating to cannabis use and sales; legalizing and limiting the possession and use of cannabis by adults; providing for the licensing, inspection, and regulation of cannabis businesses; requiring testing of cannabis and cannabis products; requiring labeling of cannabis and cannabis products; limiting the advertisement of cannabis, cannabis products, and cannabis businesses; providing for the cultivation of cannabis in private residences; transferring regulatory authority for the medical cannabis program; taxing the sale of adult-use cannabis; establishing grant and loan programs; amending criminal penalties; establishing expungement procedures for certain individuals; establishing labor standards for the use of cannabis by employees and testing of employees; creating a civil cause of action for certain nuisances; amending the scheduling of marijuana and tetrahydrocannabinols; classifying data; appropriating money	Franzen
S.F. 885	A bill for an act relating to labor relations; modifying public labor relations	Eaton
S.F. 919	A bill for an act relating to employment; modifying employee notice requirements; requiring a written warning	Pratt