

SB 478-1  
(LC 3057)  
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Requested by Senator TAYLOR

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO  
SENATE BILL 478**

1 In line 2 of the printed bill, after the semicolon delete the rest of the line  
2 and insert “amending ORS 343.407.”.

3 Delete lines 4 through 22 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1.** ORS 343.407 is amended to read:

5 *“343.407. [School districts shall identify talented and gifted students en-*  
6 *rolled in public schools under rules adopted by the State Board of*  
7 *Education.]*

8 **“(1) A school district must use inclusive and effective methods for:**

9 **“(a) Identifying talented and gifted children enrolled in the schools**  
10 **of the school district; and**

11 **“(b) Communicating with parents about the process for identifying**  
12 **talented and gifted children.**

13 **“(2) For the purposes of subsection (1) of this section, a method for**  
14 **identifying talented and gifted children is inclusive if the method in-**  
15 **creases the accessibility of special educational programs and services**  
16 **for talented and gifted children who:**

17 **“(a) Are from racial or ethnic communities that are historically**  
18 **underserved by special educational programs and services for talented**  
19 **and gifted children;**

20 **“(b) Live in rural communities;**

21 **“(c) Have disabilities or are eligible to receive special education and**

1 **related services; or**

2 **“(d) Are English language learners.**

3 **“(3) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules necessary for**  
4 **a school district to comply with the provisions of this section.”.**

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