

A-Engrossed
House Bill 3191

Ordered by the House April 10
Including House Amendments dated April 10

Sponsored by Representative SMITH WARNER, Senator HASS

SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure.

Directs Department of Education to administer pilot program to offer summer education to elementary school students in high poverty, low performing schools with high populations of English language learners. Sunsets pilot program on January 2, 2020.

Establishes Summer Learning Fund, separate and distinct from General Fund. Continuously appropriates moneys in Summer Learning Fund to State Library for purposes of funding summer learning planning, programming and awareness.

Appropriates moneys from General Fund for deposit in Summer Learning Fund.

Declares emergency, effective on passage.

A BILL FOR AN ACT

1
2 Relating to summer education; and declaring an emergency.

3 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

4 **SECTION 1. (1) The Department of Education shall administer a pilot program to offer**
5 **summer education to elementary school students in high poverty, low performing schools**
6 **that have significant populations of English language learners. The department shall adopt**
7 **rules establishing eligibility for participation in the pilot program.**

8 **(2) To participate in the pilot program, the school district board of an eligible school**
9 **district must submit an application in the form required by the department. The application**
10 **must:**

11 **(a) Designate a community organization that has agreed to partner with the school dis-**
12 **trict to provide the program.**

13 **(b) Include the number of students the program expects to serve and the number of staff**
14 **required.**

15 **(c) Include an estimate of program costs.**

16 **(3) The department may approve an eligible school district's proposed program if the**
17 **proposed program:**

18 **(a) Provides food to students during the program;**

19 **(b) Has qualified staff; and**

20 **(c) Provides at least five weeks of instruction during the summer.**

21 **(4) The department shall award grants to eligible school districts that the department**
22 **selects to participate in the pilot program from moneys available to the department for the**
23 **pilot program. A school district may use grant funds for the purpose of transporting stu-**
24 **dents to and from the program.**

25 **(5) The department shall require a school district that participates in the pilot program**

NOTE: Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter *[italic and bracketed]* is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.

1 to complete an evaluation after completion of the pilot program.

2 (6) The department may adopt rules to implement the pilot program.

3 **SECTION 2.** Section 1 of this 2017 Act is repealed on January 2, 2020.

4 **SECTION 3.** The Summer Learning Fund is established in the State Treasury, separate
5 and distinct from the General Fund. Interest earned by the Summer Learning Fund shall
6 be credited to the fund. The fund consists of amounts appropriated or otherwise transferred
7 to the fund by the Legislative Assembly, amounts received from state, federal and private
8 sources, amounts donated to the fund and other amounts deposited in the fund from any
9 source. Moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated to the State Library for the pur-
10 pose of funding summer learning planning, programming and awareness.

11 **SECTION 4.** In addition to and not in lieu of any other appropriation, there is appropri-
12 ated to the State Library, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2017, out of the General Fund,
13 the amount of \$_____, for deposit in the Summer Learning Fund established in section 3
14 of this 2017 Act.

15 **SECTION 5.** This 2017 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
16 peace, health and safety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this 2017 Act takes effect
17 on its passage.

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