

Higher Education Legislation Passed by the 2023 Virginia General Assembly*

BILLS RELATED TO TUITION	
Number/Patron	Title
HB2272/Cherry; SB1448/Lucas	Norfolk State University and Virginia State University; reduced rate tuition charges for certain students.
BILLS RELATED TO STUDENT HEALTH AND CAMPUS SAFETY	
Number/Patron	Title
HB1555/Brewer; SB1373/Vogel	Institutions of higher education; human trafficking awareness and prevention training required.
HB1659/Bell; SB830/Favola	Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Services; Department of Education; best practice standards related to the transition of records and transfer of services for students with disabilities.
HB1870/Helmer	Institutions of higher education; immunity from disciplinary action in certain cases involving a good faith report of an act of sexual violence.
HB1916/Batten; SB910/Newman	Public institutions of higher education; threat assessment teams; powers and duties.
SB826/Bell	Institutions of higher education; campus safety; authority to employ campus police officers.
SB1044/McPike	Public schools and public institutions of higher education; student identification cards; 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline telephone number required.
BILLS RELATED TO ACADEMIC PROGRAMS OR LICENSURE	
Number/Patron	Title
HB1433/Scott; SB802/Hashmi	Licensure of professional counselors; Counseling Compact
HB1726/Head	Department of Education; Virginia-based nonprofit organizations; schools for adults to earn credentials, college credit, and high school diplomas.
HB2211/Tran	Graduates of foreign nursing education programs; licensure requirements.
SB1019/Edwards	Department of Education; Virginia-based nonprofit organizations; schools for adults to earn credentials, college credit, and high school diplomas.
SB1280/Dunnavant	Public institutions of higher education; course credit earned through internships required; policies.
SB1281/Dunnavant	Board of Education; Passport dual enrollment courses; course credit; guidelines.
SB1286/Dunnavant	VCCS; duties of State Board for Community Colleges; standardization of health care-related programs.

BILLS RELATED TO FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS	
Number/Patron	Title
HB1403/Tata	Certain public institutions of higher education; provision of university housing at no cost to certain students during scheduled intersessions.
HB1419/Kory; SB1498/McLellan	Brown v. Board of Education Scholarship Program; extension of eligibility
HB2194/Byron; SB1422/Pillion	Certain institutions of higher education; noncredit workforce training program; student grants; reimbursement.
BILLS RELATED TO INSTITUTIONS, STATE AGENCIES OR THE ADMINISTRATION OF GOVERNMENT	
Number/Patron	Title
HB1738/Carr	Virginia Freedom of Information Act; state public bodies; meetings; virtual public access.
HB1840/Knight; SB1211/Lucas	Eastern Virginia Medical School; establishment of Eastern Virginia Health Sciences Center at Old Dominion University.
HB1911/Batten; SB1002/Cosgrove	State and Local Government Conflict of Interests Act; certain gifts prohibited; foreign countries of concern
HB1912/Batten; SB1094/Norment	Treasury Board; powers and duties.
SB1388/Lewis	Study; Virginia Institute of Marine Science; menhaden; report.
SB1499/McCellan	Public institutions of higher education; Virginia Commonwealth University Health System Authority; chief executive officer; criteria.
BILLS RELATED TO SCHEV DUTIES AND PROGRAMS	
Number/Patron	Title
HB1779/O'Quinn	Nuclear Education Grant Fund and Program established.
HB2195/Byron SB1470/Ruff	Department of Workforce Development and Advancement created; consolidation of the Commonwealth's workforce development policies and programs; report.
SB1172/Dunnavant	State Council of Higher Education for Virginia; work group on standardized registered nursing curriculum; fast path nursing program.

*- from SCHEV's March agenda book.

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