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HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 320

BY REPRESENTATIVE CARLSON

EDUCATION: Requests the state Department of Education, the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education, the Board of Regents, and postsecondary education management boards to promote artificial intelligence education for students and to encourage professional development relative to artificial intelligence for faculty and staff

1	A RESOLUTION
2	To urge and request the state Department of Education (DOE), the State Board of
3	Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE), the Board of Regents, and
4	postsecondary education management boards to promote artificial intelligence (AI)
5	education for students and to encourage professional development relative to AI for
6	faculty and staff.
7	WHEREAS, AI is transforming every major sector of the economy and shaping the
8	future of work, civic life, and global competitiveness; preparing students for this new reality
9	requires that educators have both a foundational understanding of AI and access to
10	instructional resources that are age- and grade-appropriate and aligned with academic
11	standards; and
12	WHEREAS, on April 23, 2025, President Trump issued an executive order titled
13	"Advancing Artificial Intelligence Education for American Youth"; it states "It is the policy
14	of the United States to promote AI literacy and proficiency among Americans by promoting
15	the appropriate integration of AI into education, providing comprehensive AI training for
16	educators, and fostering early exposure to AI concepts and technology to develop an
17	AI-ready workforce and the next generation of American AI innovators"; and
18	WHEREAS, DOE; BESE; and city, parish, and other public school boards play key
19	roles in fostering digital innovation in classrooms and are encouraged to explore ready-to-

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implement instructional materials and teacher support tools that reflect national best
 practices in AI education; and

WHEREAS, scalable AI education solutions, such as modular learning platforms, interactive student content, and educator upskilling programs, can serve as practical resources for schools and districts seeking to implement AI curricula with limited staff expertise or time for in-house development; and

WHEREAS, under the leadership of the Board of Regents, Louisiana's public
colleges and universities can also be instrumental in offering teacher preparation, microcredentials, and continuing education that can integrate AI-focused pedagogy and
instructional design; and

WHEREAS, it is important that Louisiana affirm its commitment to advancing the goals of "Advancing Artificial Intelligence Education for American Youth" and recognize the need for public-private partnerships to ensure all students and educators are equipped with the tools necessary to succeed in an AI-driven world; and

WHEREAS, the integration of AI education across K–12 and higher education
systems is essential to building a future-ready workforce and ensuring Louisiana remains
competitive in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields.

18 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the 19 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby urge and request DOE, BESE, the Board of Regents, 20 and postsecondary education management boards to promote AI education for students and 21 to encourage professional development relative to AI for faculty and staff.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that schools and districts are encouraged to evaluate and adopt flexible AI learning solutions, including pre-packaged curriculum modules, online certification opportunities, and classroom-ready instructional resources that enable broad access regardless of prior technical experience.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the state superintendent of education, the president of BESE, the commissioner of higher education, the governor, and the U.S. secretary of education.

DIGEST

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