

2016 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 299

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

STUDENT/STANDARDS: Provides for phased-in implementation of state content standards

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 17:24.4(E)(3)(introductory paragraph) and (f) and to enact R.S.
3 17:24.4(E)(7), relative to education standards; to provide for implementation of state
4 content standards; to provide that implementation shall occur on a phased-in basis
5 over a specified period of time; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 17:24.4(E)(3)(introductory paragraph) and (f) are hereby amended
8 and reenacted and R.S. 17:24.4(E)(7) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

9 §24.4. Louisiana Competency-Based Education Program; statewide standards for
10 required subjects; Louisiana Educational Assessment Program; parish or city
11 school board comprehensive pupil progression plans; waivers

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15 (3) State content standards for English language arts and mathematics shall
16 be reviewed, ~~and developed, and implemented~~ as follows:

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18 (f) The board shall promulgate the standards in accordance with the
19 Administrative Procedure Act prior to implementation of the standards as provided
20 in Paragraph (7) of this Subsection.

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- (7) State content standards shall be implemented as follows:
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- (a) For kindergarten through grade two in the first year of implementation.
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- (b) For kindergarten through grade eight in the second year of
- 4
- implementation.
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- (c) For kindergarten through grade twelve in all subsequent years.
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DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides for implementation of state content standards on a phased-in basis.

Present law provides for statewide content standards for required subjects to be developed by the State Bd. of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) and implemented by the state Dept. of Education. Specifically provides for the review and development of content standards in English language arts and math through a series of meetings held throughout the state in 2015 and 2016. Also provides for BESE's adoption of the standards and for its promulgation of the standards in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act. Proposed law provides for phased-in implementation of the standards according to grade level, as follows:

1st year:	K-2nd grade
2nd year:	K-8th grade
3rd year and thereafter:	K-12th grade

(Amends R.S. 17:24.4(E)(3)(intro. para.) and (f); Adds R.S. 17:24.4(E)(7))