

2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 333

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRASS

CURRICULA: Requires the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education to include information on certain curricula options as part of the secondary school advisement policy

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 17:2926(A)(4), relative to curricula; to provide for advising of students; to
3 provide for the scheduling of advanced courses; and to provide for related matters.

4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

5 Section 1. R.S. 17:2926(A)(4) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

6 §2926. Student counseling; training and professional development

7 A. The State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education shall develop
8 an advisement policy for the middle and high school grades that local school districts
9 can use to equip school counselors with the skills and information needed to:

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11 (4) Inform and assist students and their parents in the selection and
12 scheduling of advanced courses and early college opportunities, such as dual
13 enrollment, advanced placement, Cambridge, or international baccalaureate courses,
14 as educational options.

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Requires the State Bd. of Elementary and Secondary Education (BESE) to provide middle and high school counselors with information needed to advise students and parents about early college opportunities.

Present law requires BESE to develop an advisement policy for high school and middle school grades to equip school counselors with information needed to do the following:

- (1) Help students identify goals and assist students and parents in developing and revising personalized graduation plans.
- (2) Ensure students receive assistance to stay in school, achieve expected levels, and fulfill graduation requirements.
- (3) Ensure students know about high-demand and high-wage jobs in the state and their region.

Proposed law retains present law and adds that BESE provide information to assist students and parents in selecting and scheduling advanced courses and early college opportunities as educational options.

(Adds R.S. 17:2926(A)(4))