

**LD 627 An Act To Expand the Capacity of York County Community College**

Sponsor: Rep. Beliveau of Kittery  
Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs  
House Status: ENACTED  
Senate Status: APPROP. TABLE

Law Ref.:

Sort: A  
Motion:

Active Item: 3  
Engrosser: Yes

<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2010-11</b>	<b>2011-12</b>	<b>2012-13</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
Appropriations/Allocations	\$0	\$0	\$1,077,000	\$257,000	\$257,000
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$1,077,000	\$257,000	\$257,000

**LD 958 Resolve, To Direct the Department of Education To Review the Essential Programs and Services Model**

Sponsor: Rep. Johnson of Greenville  
Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs  
House Status: CARRIED OVER  
Senate Status: CARRIED OVER

Law Ref.:

Sort: A  
Motion:

Active Item: 1  
Engrosser: No

<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2010-11</b>	<b>2011-12</b>	<b>2012-13</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
Appropriations/Allocations	\$0	\$400,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$400,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

**LD 1237 An Act To Prohibit Bullying in Schools**

Sponsor: Rep. Morrison of South Portland  
Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs  
House Status: ENACTED  
Senate Status: APPROP. TABLE

Law Ref.:

Sort: C  
Motion:

Active Item: 8  
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: State Mandate - Unfunded

**State Mandates**

Activity

Affected Unit

Affected Unit

Cost

Requires school boards, when amending its policies and procedures that address bullying, to include the following:

School

Significant statewide

~ procedures for students, school staff, parents, guardians and others to report incidents of bullying including anonymous reporting of bullying;

~ procedures for prompt investigating and responding to incidents of bullying including written documentation of reported incidents and the outcome of the investigation;

~ procedure for appealing a decision to take or not take disciplinary action;

~ procedure to remediate any substantiated incident of bullying;

~ process to communicate measures being taken to ensure the safety of the targeted student and to prevent further acts of bullying.

Requires the annual dissemination of the written policy to students, parents, guardians, volunteers, administrators, teachers and school staff; posting of policy on the school administrative unit's publicly accessible website; and inclusion of the policy, in detail, to the student handbook.

Requires superintendent to address every substantiated incident of bullying.

Requires local school administrative units to provide professional development and staff training in the best approaches to implementing the anti-bullying policy.

**LD 1645 An Act To Require the Maine Community College System, the University of Maine System and the Maine Maritime Academy To Report the Number of Students Enrolled in Remedial Courses**

Sponsor: Sen. Alford of Cumberland  
Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: REF. IN CON.  
Senate Status: ENG AS AMENDED BY

Sort: A  
Motion:

Active Item: 3  
Engrosser: No

Table Notes: Minority report item 3 only

<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2010-11</b>	<b>2011-12</b>	<b>2012-13</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
Appropriations/Allocations	\$0	\$0	\$252,500	\$252,500	\$252,500
Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$252,500	\$252,500	\$252,500

**LD 1742 An Act To Amend Education Laws**

Sponsor: Rep. Richardson of Carmel  
Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: ENACTED  
Senate Status: APPROP. TABLE

Sort: C  
Motion:

Active Item: 4  
Engrosser: Yes

Fiscal Note Summary: State Mandate - Unfunded

**State Mandates**

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Affected Unit</u>	<u>Affected Unit</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Requires local school administrative units to implement a gifted and talented education program.	School		Moderate statewide

**LD 1770 An Act To Encourage Parental Involvement in Education**

Sponsor: Sen. Alford of Cumberland  
 Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs  
 Law Ref.:  
 House Status: ENACTED Sort: C Active Item: 3  
 Senate Status: ENACTED Motion: Engrosser: Yes  
 Fiscal Note Summary: Minor cost increase - General Fund

**LD 1779 An Act To Update the Career and Technical Education Laws**

Sponsor: Sen. Langley of Hancock  
 Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs  
 Law Ref.:  
 House Status: ENACTED Sort: C Active Item: 3  
 Senate Status: APPROP. TABLE Motion: Engrosser: Yes  
 Fiscal Note Summary: Potential State Mandate - Unfunded

**State Mandates**

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Affected Unit</u>	<u>Affected Unit</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Requires all career and technical education programs to be based on national industry standards, or state level standards if national industry standards are not available or applicable.	School		Moderate limited scope

**LD 1781 An Act To Restructure the National Board Certification Program for Teachers**

Sponsor: Sen. Alford of Cumberland  
 Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs  
 Law Ref.:  
 House Status: REF. IN CON. Sort: C Active Item: 2  
 Senate Status: REF'D TO COMMITTEE Motion: Engrosser: No

<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2010-11</b>	<b>2011-12</b>	<b>2012-13</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
Appropriations/Allocations	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Revenue	\$0	\$0	(\$606,720)	(\$606,720)	(\$606,720)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$0	\$606,720	\$606,720	\$606,720

**LD 1858 An Act To Ensure Effective Teaching and School Leadership**

Sponsor: Rep. Richardson of Carmel  
 Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs  
 Law Ref.:  
 House Status: REF'D TO COMMITTEE Sort: C Active Item: 1  
 Senate Status: REF. IN CON. Motion: Engrosser: No  
 Fiscal Note Summary: Potential State Mandate - Unfunded

**State Mandates**

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Affected Unit</u>	<u>Affected Unit</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Requires school administrative units to develop and implement comprehensive performance evaluation and professional growth systems for teachers and principals.	School		Significant statewide

**LD 1865 An Act To Enhance Career and Technical Education**

Sponsor: Sen. Langley of Hancock  
 Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: REF. IN CON.  
 Senate Status: REF'D TO COMMITTEE

Sort: C  
 Motion:

Active Item: 1  
 Engrosser: No

Fiscal Note Summary: State Mandate - Unfunded

**State Mandates**

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Affected Unit</u>	<u>Affected Unit</u>	<u>Cost</u>
Reduces from 9 to 5 the allowable number of instructional days that school calendars of school administrative units (SAU's) affiliated with a career and technical education center or within a career and technical education region are not aligned with the regional school calendar.	School		Moderate statewide

**LD 1866 An Act To Remove Inequity in Student Access to Certain Schools**

Sponsor: Rep. McClellan of Raymond  
 Committee: Education and Cultural Affairs

Law Ref.:

House Status: REF'D TO COMMITTEE  
 Senate Status: REF. IN CON.

Sort: UNK  
 Motion:

Active Item: 2  
 Engrosser: No

Fiscal Note Summary: Potential current biennium cost increase - General Fund

**Report Totals**

**Number of Bills:** 11

<b>General Fund</b>	<b>2010-11</b>	<b>2011-12</b>	<b>2012-13</b>	<b>2013-14</b>	<b>2014-15</b>
Appropriations/Allocations	\$0	\$400,000	\$1,329,500	\$509,500	\$509,500
Revenue	\$0	\$0	(\$606,720)	(\$606,720)	(\$606,720)
Transfers/Adj. to Balance	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Cost (Savings)	\$0	\$400,000	\$1,936,220	\$1,116,220	\$1,116,220