



**LEGISLATIVE FISCAL OFFICE
Fiscal Note**

Fiscal Note On: **HB 352** HLS 21RS 670
 Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**
 Opp. Chamb. Action:
 Proposed Amd.:
 Sub. Bill For.:

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Dept./Agy.: Education		
Subject: American History and Civics Instructions		Analyst: Garrett Ordner

CURRICULA EG NO IMPACT See Note Page 1 of 1
 Provides relative to required instruction in American history and civics in public schools

Proposed legislation provides additions to the list of topics on which public schools must provide information as part of required instruction on the Founding Principles of the United States of America. Instruction must include: (1) The Declaration of Independence; (2) The Constitution; (3) The Federalist Papers; (4) The Gettysburg Address; (5) National sovereignty; (6) American exceptionalism; (7) Globalism and the United Nations; and (8) Immigration policy. Requires the provision of age and grade appropriate instruction in civics to public school students in grades Kindergarten through 8. Provides that such instruction may be incorporated into an existing course. Requires that textbooks and materials used in the instruction accurately reflect an understanding of the history and values of the people of the United States and Louisiana. Repeals existing statute requiring study of the Declaration of Independence in elementary schools and the Federalist Papers in high schools.

EXPENDITURES	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

REVENUES	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental expenditures as a result of this measure.

According to the Department of Education, the list of topics in the proposed bill are already reflected in both existing law and social studies content standards.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

Senate Dual Referral Rules
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 13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S & H}

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 6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}
 6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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