
SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2021 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Reengrossed House Bill No. 416 by Representative Hodges

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, delete lines 2 through 8, and insert the following:

3 "To enact R.S. 17:24.4(M), relative to state content standards for teaching required subjects
4 in public elementary and secondary schools; to require the State Board of Elementary
5 and Secondary Education to consider including specified instructional topics relative
6 to World War II and the Holocaust in the content standards adopted for social
7 studies; and to provide for related matters."

8 AMENDMENT NO. 2

9 On page 1, delete lines 10 through 17, delete pages 2 and 3, and insert the following:

10 "Section 1. R.S. 17:24.4(M) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

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

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16 M. The State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education shall consider
17 incorporating standards related to the following topics into the state content
18 standards developed and adopted for the teaching of social studies in the public
19 elementary and secondary schools in the state:

20 (1)(a) The history of World War II and the Holocaust, including but not
21 limited to the Third Reich, the concentration camp system, anti-Semitism, the
22 persecution of Jews and non-Jews, Jewish and non-Jewish resistance, and the
23 Nuremberg trials.

24 (b) The impact of personal responsibility, civic engagement, and societal
25 response in the context of World War II and the Holocaust.

26 (c) The connection between national, ethnic, racial, and religious intolerance
27 and the subjects provided in Subparagraphs (a) and (b) of this Paragraph.

28 (d) The leading role played by the United States and the United States
29 Armed Forces, including the Tuskegee Airmen and other African American soldiers
30 and Asian American soldiers, in defeating the Third Reich and liberating Nazi
31 concentration camps.

32 (2) The internment of Japanese Americans in the United States during World
33 War II."