
SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2022 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Education to Reengrossed House Bill No. 346 by Representative Thompson

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 4, delete "by the state Department of Education"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 5, delete "the State Board of Elementary and", and on line 6 delete
5 "Secondary Education to adopt"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 1, line 14, delete "state Department", delete lines 15 and 16, and insert the
8 following:

9 "Louisiana Office of Student and Financial Assistance. The administering
10 agency may retain up to three"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 4

12 On page 2, line 5, change "state Department of Education" to "Louisiana Office of Student
13 and Financial Assistance"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 5

15 On page 2, line 13, change "State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education" to
16 "Louisiana Office of Student and Financial Assistance"

17 AMENDMENT NO. 6

18 On page 2, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

19 "D. A student shall be initially eligible for the program if the student meets
20 all of the following criteria:

21 (1) Is a United States citizen who is registered with Selective Service, if
22 required.

23 (2) Is a Louisiana resident for at least two years prior to July 1 of the
24 scholarship award year.

25 (3) Has completed and submitted documentary evidence required by the
26 Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance.

27 (4) Is enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student in a teacher education
28 program approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education with
29 the intent of becoming a certified teacher.

30 (5) Have at a least a 2.50 cumulative college grade point average.

31 E. To maintain eligibility for an award a student shall meet all of the
32 following criteria:

33 (1) Have received the scholarship for not more than three academic years.

34 (2) Maintain full-time undergraduate status.

35 (3) Achieve a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.50 at the end of
36 each academic year.

37 (4) Maintain continuous enrollment as a full-time student in an approved
38 teacher education program, unless granted an exception by the administering agency.

39 F. Scholarship awards shall be applicable only to the cost of tuition and
40 required fees. The award shall be used only after all other financial aid and awards
41 are applied and only for any remaining balance due for tuition and required fees.