**First Session** 

**HR Bill 1031** 

To reintroduce the education of the workings of government to all students in the United States in schools that receive any type of Federal funding.

## In the House of Representatives

## **September 13, 2020**

# The Educational Act of 2020

#### Section 1

Any school or school system receiving Federal funding or Federal aid must adhere to the educational schedule described below, or, it must forfeit all Federal funding and Federal Aid for the year following failure to adhere.

At grade 9 at least one full semester of the following mandatory class must be taught to all students: the history of the formation of the federal government 1775-1888 and a full semester of Civics in the United States and one full semester of the history of the United States from 1492 to 1750..

At grade 10 at least one full semester of the following mandatory class must be taught to all students: the history in the United States of the Democratic, Republican and major independent parties from 1775 through today and States and one full semester of the history of the United States from 1751 to 1850.

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At grade 11 at least one full semester of the following mandatory class must be taught to all students: the history of other major forms of federal governments used around the world from 1775 through today and States and one full semester of the history of the United States from 18510 to 1950.

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At grade 12 at least one full semester of the following mandatory class must be taught to all students: the history of major economic and armed conflicts the United States has had with foreign governments from 1775 through today and one full semester of the history of the United States from 1951 to the current year.

### Section 2

Each participating school shall administer a final exam consisting of at least twenty multiple choice questions for each of the classes listed above and an average grade of at least 80 must be obtained for the school to receive Federal funds for the following calendar year. The multiple-choice questions shall be determined at the state level and used uniformly throughout the state.

#### Section 3

The above schedule must be implemented by August 1, 2022.

338 words excluding boilerplate

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Note:

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consideration contain fewer than two thousand words. The Group requests that the Speaker of the House employ the "Up and Down" voting method for all its bills being offered for consideration. While our overall goal is to reduce federal expenditures, we rely on the expertise of others to calculate the real cost of this proposal.