

HR 3730

Education Counts Act of 2002

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Social Welfare

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness. (May 9, 2002)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	May 9, 2002
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 12, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Social Welfare

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 12, 2002)

Education Counts Act of 2002 - Amends part A (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)) of title IV of the Social Security Act to treat as permissible work activities for welfare recipients: (1) up to 48 months of postsecondary education or vocational educational training; and (2) participation in a Work-Study program under the Higher Education Act of 1965.

Revises the TANF educational cap to remove teen parents from the 30 percent limitation on the number of individuals in all families and in two-parent families who are treated as engaged in work by reason of participation in postsecondary education (currently, vocational educational training).

Actions Timeline

- **May 9, 2002:** Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.
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