

S 493

A bill to amend title II of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to increase teacher familiarity with the educational needs of gifted and talented students, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Mar 2, 2005

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Mar 2, 2005)

**Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/senate-bill/493

Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** IA • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bunning, Jim [R-KY]	R · KY		Mar 2, 2005
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 2, 2005
Sen. Lott, Trent [R-MS]	R · MS		Mar 2, 2005
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		Mar 17, 2005
Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]	R · MN		Apr 11, 2005
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R · SD		May 11, 2005
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	R · OH		Apr 6, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 2, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Education

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 1156	Related bill	<b>Apr 18, 2005:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.

Summary (as of Mar 2, 2005)

Amends the Higher Education Act of 1965 to include teacher quality enhancement programs relating to the needs of gifted and talented students among authorized uses of title II grants for States and partnerships.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 2, 2005:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 2, 2005:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1934-1935)
- **Mar 2, 2005:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.