

HR 1728

Right Start Child Care and Education Act of 2011

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Taxation

Introduced: May 4, 2011

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (May 4, 2011)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch [D-MD-2]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 4, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 160	Related bill	Jan 25, 2011: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of May 4, 2011)

Right Start Child Care and Education Act of 2011- Amends the Internal Revenue Code to: (1) increase the rates and maximum allowable amount of the tax credit for employer-provided child care facilities; (2) increase the eligibility threshold amount and rate of the household and dependent care tax credit and make such credit refundable; (3) allow a new \$2,000 tax credit for child care providers who hold a bachelor's degree in early childhood education, child care, or a related degree and who provide at least 1,200 hours of child care services in a taxable year; and (4) increase the tax exclusion for employer-provided dependent care assistance.

Actions Timeline

- **May 4, 2011:** Introduced in House
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