

## HR 1509

### Autism Understanding and Training in School Methodologies for Educators Act of 2013

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education. (Jul 8, 2013)

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 8, 2013

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Education

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Autism Understanding and Training in School Methodologies for Educators Act of 2013 - Authorizes the Secretary of Education to carry out a demonstration program to award 5-year grants to eligible local education agencies for the following purposes in schools for children in grades pre-kindergarten through 12:

- providing training to teachers, paraprofessionals, and other staff on effective ways to teach, communicate, recognize, support, and interact with children with autism spectrum disorders in the classroom;
- providing technical assistance consisting of consultation on the type of training needed, hands-on opportunities to practice and perform newly acquired skills and methodologies, and post-training support to ensure accuracy of implementation in the classroom;
- executing strategies for recruiting and retaining skilled personnel participating in the education of children with such disorders; and
- implementing a program of parental support and involvement in the education of students with such disorders.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 8, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education.
- **Apr 11, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 11, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.