

## HR 2859

Advancing Competency-Based Education Act of 2017

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

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**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (Jun 8, 2017)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Polis, Jared [D-CO-2]

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

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Del. Sablan, Gregorio Kilili Camacho [D-MP-At Large]	D · MP		Jun 8, 2017
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Jun 8, 2017
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Jun 8, 2017
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Rep. Messer, Luke [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Jun 8, 2017
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Jun 8, 2017
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Jun 8, 2017
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Jun 13, 2017
Rep. Swalwell, Eric [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jul 17, 2017
Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Jul 18, 2017
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Oct 6, 2017
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-8]	R · PA		Oct 6, 2017
Rep. Moulton, Seth [D-MA-6]	D · MA		Oct 12, 2017

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 8, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Education

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HR 6543	Related bill	<b>Jul 26, 2018:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

## **Advancing Competency-Based Education Act of 2017**

This amends title IV (Student Assistance) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to establish competency-based education demonstration projects, which measure academic progress and attainment by the assessment of student learning in lieu of, or in addition to, credit or clock hours.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 8, 2017:** Introduced in House
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