

HR 3466

Early Learning Act of 2017

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. McNerney, Jerry [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. Nolan, Richard M. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Jul 27, 2017
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jul 28, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 27, 2017
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 27, 2017

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill requires the Department of Education (ED) to make annual awards from the Early Education Trust Fund, established in the bill, to state pre-kindergarten agencies according to a formula based on pre-kindergarten enrollment in the state. To be eligible for an award, a state must provide assurances that: (1) the award will be used only to support pre-kindergarten programs, (2) the state will not expend less for pre-kindergarten programs in the award period than it did in the previous year, and (3) each resident in the state who is four years old on October 1 of the award year has the opportunity to enroll in a free pre-kindergarten program.

The bill amends the Internal Revenue Code to impose a surtax, equal to 1.5% of a taxpayer's adjusted gross income as exceeds \$500,000, to support the fund.

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