

## HR 1485

### Computer Science for All Act of 2019

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

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Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		May 15, 2019
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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 4, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Education

## Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Summary (as of Mar 4, 2019)

### Computer Science for All Act of 2019

This bill establishes a program through which the Department of Education (ED) shall award grants to states, local educational agencies, and eligible tribal schools to serve as models for national replication of computer education expansion efforts.

A grant recipient shall use the grant funds to

- train teachers to teach computer science;
- expand access to high-quality learning materials and online learning options;
- create plans for expanding overall access to science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics (STEAM) classes;
- utilize computer science as a catalyst for increased interest in STEAM more broadly;
- reduce course equity gaps for all students; and
- ensure additional support and resources.

A grantee may also use grant funds to

- build effective regional collaborations,
- recruit and hire instructional personnel,
- prepare for effectively sustaining project activities after the grant period ends, and
- disseminate information about effective practices.

At least semiannually, a grantee must report to ED on specified data related to the number of students served through program activities.

## Actions Timeline

- **Mar 4, 2019:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 4, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.