

## HR 1486

Preventing Sexual Abuse of K–12 Students Act of 2019

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Lieu, Ted [D-CA-33]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Rouda, Harley [D-CA-48]	D · CA		Jul 12, 2019
Rep. Raskin, Jamie [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Mar 9, 2020

### 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.*

## **Preventing Sexual Abuse of K-12 Students Act of 2019**

This bill addresses sexual abuse of students in elementary and secondary grades (K-12).

The bill requires states receiving federal education funds for elementary and secondary students to establish and implement a statewide policy requiring each local educational agency to (1) develop codes of conduct to prevent sexual abuse of students by identifying acceptable and unacceptable behavior for school personnel and students; and (2) ensure that school personnel receive specified training, including regarding sexual abuse and misconduct awareness and prevention.

The bill authorizes funding for sexual abuse awareness training at the state and local levels under various programs, including (1) grants for state assessments, and (2) student support and academic enrichment grants.

### **Actions Timeline**

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