

## HR 8290

### Stop Sexual Harassment in K–12 Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Sep 17, 2020

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Sep 17, 2020)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/8290>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Casten, Sean [D-IL-6]

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

### Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Frankel, Lois [D-FL-21]	D · FL		Sep 17, 2020
Rep. Lawrence, Brenda L. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Sep 17, 2020
Rep. Meng, Grace [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Sep 17, 2020

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 17, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Education

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Sep 17, 2020)

#### Stop Sexual Harassment in K-12 Act

This bill outlines the role and duties of Title IX coordinators in elementary and secondary schools, including by requiring local educational agencies to have at least one full-time Title IX coordinator per specified student population. The bill also creates a grant program to train teachers and staff on how to respond to signs of sexual harassment and assault of students, and requires the Department of Education to develop a sexual violence climate survey.

## Actions Timeline

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