

## HR 1097

### CHOICE Act

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Feb 18, 2021

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Feb 18, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/1097>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Bishop, Dan [R-NC-9]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** NC • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors (10 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cawthorn, Madison [R-NC-11]	R · NC		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Harris, Andy [R-MD-1]	R · MD		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Herrell, Yvette [R-NM-2]	R · NM		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Norman, Ralph [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Owens, Burgess [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Steube, W. Gregory [R-FL-17]	R · FL		Feb 18, 2021
Rep. Weber, Randy K., Sr. [R-TX-14]	R · TX		Feb 22, 2021
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Feb 24, 2021
Rep. Joyce, John [R-PA-13]	R · PA		Feb 24, 2021
Rep. Hice, Jody B. [R-GA-10]	R · GA		Mar 10, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 18, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Education

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## **Creating Hope and Opportunity through Increased Choice in Education Act or the CHOICE Act**

This bill directs the Department of Education to make grants to parents of eligible students for certain education-related expenses. *Eligible student* refers to a student who (1) is served by a local educational agency that will not provide in-person instruction in a manner consistent with the 2019-2020 school year, and (2) is from a household with a household income that is less than 200% of the reduced-price lunch rate income.

Grant funds may be used for tuition and fees for private elementary or secondary schools, private tutoring, home school expenses, or educational materials.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Feb 18, 2021:** Introduced in House
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