

## S 2620

### Making Education Affordable and Accessible Act of 2021

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Aug 5, 2021

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Aug 5, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/2620>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Peters, Gary C. [D-MI]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** Senate

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Aug 5, 2021
Sen. Cassidy, Bill [R-LA]	R · LA		Aug 5, 2021
Sen. Kaine, Tim [D-VA]	D · VA		Aug 5, 2021

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Aug 5, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Education

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Aug 5, 2021)

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This bill reauthorizes through FY2027 and revises the Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE) program.

The bill also authorizes new grants under the FIPSE program. Specifically, the Department of Education may award grants to institutions of higher education for dual or concurrent enrollment programs or early college high school programs that allow high school students to earn postsecondary credits.

## Actions Timeline

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