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### Keep Our PACT Act

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Jan 27, 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. (Jan 27, 2021)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/senate-bill/72>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]

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

### Cosponsors (23 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]	D · IL		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Lujan, Ben Ray [D-NM]	D · NM		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Rosen, Jacky [D-NV]	D · NV		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		Jan 27, 2021
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Apr 26, 2021
Sen. Padilla, Alex [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2021
Sen. Heinrich, Martin [D-NM]	D · NM		Dec 8, 2021
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Dec 15, 2021
Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT]	I · VT		Jan 12, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 27, 2021

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Education

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 764	Identical bill	<b>Feb 3, 2021:</b> Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor.

## Summary (as of Jan 27, 2021)

### Keep Our Promise to America's Children and Teachers Act or the Keep Our PACT Act

This bill provides funding through FY2031 for grant programs operated by local educational agencies to provide supplementary educational and related services to low-achieving students and other students who attend elementary and secondary schools with relatively high concentrations of students from low-income families. Additionally, the bill permanently reauthorizes the grant program to assist states and outlying areas in providing special education and related services to children with disabilities.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jan 27, 2021:** Introduced in Senate
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