

# HR 7461

CBE Act of 2022

**Congress:** 117 (2021–2023, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Education

**Introduced:** Apr 7, 2022

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and Labor. (Apr 7, 2022)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/117th-congress/house-bill/7461>

## Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Grothman, Glenn [R-WI-6]

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

## Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Keller, Fred [R-PA-12]	R · PA		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Owens, Burgess [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Steil, Bryan [R-WI-1]	R · WI		Apr 7, 2022
Rep. Tiffany, Thomas P. [R-WI-7]	R · WI		Apr 7, 2022

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 7, 2022

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Education

## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Competency-Based Education Act of 2022 or the CBE Act of 2022

This bill creates a framework under which students participating in competency-based education programs may receive federal student aid. *Competency-based education* refers to education that measures academic progress and attainment (1) by direct assessment of the student's mastery of competencies, (2) by expressing the student's mastery of competencies in terms of equivalent credit or clock hours, or (3) through a combination of both methods in addition to credit or clock hours.

The bill also prohibits the Department of Education from enforcing certain regulations related to the definition of *credit hour*.

## Actions Timeline

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