

HR 5603

World LEAP Act

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Education

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

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (Sep 20, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-19]

Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Brownley, Julia [D-CA-26]	D · CA		Sep 22, 2023
Rep. Fitzpatrick, Brian K. [R-PA-1]	R · PA		Oct 19, 2023
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Feb 29, 2024
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Apr 9, 2024
Rep. Vasquez, Gabe [D-NM-2]	D · NM		Apr 16, 2024
Rep. Kiggans, Jennifer A. [R-VA-2]	R · VA		May 6, 2024

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 20, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 20, 2023)

World Language Education Assistance Program Act or the World LEAP Act

This bill requires the Department of Education to award competitive grants to local educational agencies to establish and carry out new, or improve existing, world language or dual language programs.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 20, 2023:** Introduced in House
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