

HRES 1212

Expressing support for the staff of public, school, academic, and special libraries in the United States and the essential services those libraries provide to communities, recognizing the need for funding commensurate with the broad scope of social service and community supports provided by libraries, preserving the right of all citizens of the United States to freely access information and resources in their communities, supporting a strong union voice for library workers, and defending the civil rights of library staff.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Arts, Culture, Religion

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Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Workforce. (Apr 23, 2026)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]

Party: Democratic • **State:** WA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (27 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Barragán, Nanette Diaz [D-CA-44]	D · CA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Bonamici, Suzanne [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-37]	D · TX		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Grijalva, Adelita S. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Huffman, Jared [D-CA-2]	D · CA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank" [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Lee, Summer L. [D-PA-12]	D · PA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. McCollum, Betty [D-MN-4]	D · MN		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Pingree, Chellie [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Pocan, Mark [D-WI-2]	D · WI		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Salinas, Andrea [D-OR-6]	D · OR		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Scanlon, Mary Gay [D-PA-5]	D · PA		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Scholten, Hillary J. [D-MI-3]	D · MI		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Tokuda, Jill N. [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Apr 23, 2026
Rep. Ross, Deborah K. [D-NC-2]	D · NC		Apr 29, 2026
Rep. Tlaib, Rashida [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Apr 29, 2026

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 23, 2026

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Arts, Culture, Religion

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
119 HRES 328	Identical bill	Apr 10, 2025: Referred to the House Committee on Education and Workforce.
119 SRES 169	Identical bill	Apr 10, 2025: Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Summary

No summary is currently available for this bill.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 23, 2026:** Submitted in House
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