

# S.B. 56

## Citizenship Education Amendments

Senate Amendments

Amendment 1

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Senator **Lincoln Fillmore** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Line 5 through 13:*

5 This bill requires schools to provide legal awareness information to 10th grade students.

6 **Highlighted Provisions:**

7 This Bill:

8 → { **requires** } allows a { **schools** } school to provide legal awareness information to 10th grade students;

9 →allows flexibility in how schools deliver the information; and

10 →**if provided**, requires a local education agency to maintain a current and accurate list of information.

11 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

12 None

13 **Other Special Clauses:**

2. *Line 22 through 29:*

22 (1) As used in this section, "legal awareness information" means information regarding  
23 legal rights, responsibilities, and obligations that apply to individuals upon reaching the  
24 age of majority.

25 (2) Beginning with the 2026-27 school year, an LEA { **shall** } may { **ensure that** } provide each  
26 student in grade

10 { **receives** } legal awareness information that includes:

27 (a) voting rights and voter registration requirements;

28 (b) jury duty obligations and processes;

29 (c) military selective service registration requirements;

3. *Line 47 through 57:*

47 (c) written materials or digital resources; or

48 (d) any combination of methods described in Subsections (3)(a) through (c), as the local  
49 governing board determines appropriate.

50 (4) { **An** } **If an** LEA { **shall ensure** } provides the legal awareness information described in  
51 Subsection (2), **the LEA** shall

{ **be provided** } **provide the information** in a manner that is age-appropriate and accessible to all  
students.

- 52       (5) An LEA {shall} :
- 53       (a) may develop or adopt materials to fulfill the requirements of this section; and
- 54       (b) if the LEA develops or adopts the materials under Subsection (5)(a), the LEA shall  
ensure that the information provided under this section is current and accurate.
- 55       (6) This section does not:
- 56       (a) require the creation of a new course or curriculum;
- 57       (b) require student assessment or testing on the legal awareness information described in