

PUBLIC SCHOOL SCHEDULE AMENDMENTS

2024 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Daniel McCay

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LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill requires a local education agency (LEA) to use semesters or quarter for the LEA's school schedule.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ requires an LEA to use semesters or quarters for the LEA's school schedule.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

ENACTS:

53G-7-224, Utah Code Annotated 1953

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **53G-7-224** is enacted to read:

53G-7-224. School schedules.

(1) As used in this section:

(a) "LEA" means the same as that term is defined in Section **53E-1-102**.

(b) "School schedule" means the planned allocation of instructional time for courses



28 throughout a school year.

29 (2) Beginning the 2025-2026 school year, an LEA shall adopt a school schedule
30 consisting only of semesters or quarters.

31 Section 2. **Effective date.**

32 This bill takes effect on May 1, 2024.