

Appropriations Committee JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT

Bill No: HB-5002 / [Bill Status](#) / [Public Hearing Testimony](#)

AN ACT CONCERNING EDUCATION FUNDING, SPECIAL EDUCATION AND
Title: EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAMS.

Vote Date: 4/13/2026

Vote Action: Joint Favorable

PH Date: 3/4/2026

File No.: 372

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SPONSORS OF BILL:

Education Committee

REASONS FOR BILL:

See Education Committee JF Report

SUBSTITUTE LANGUAGE (IF APPLICABLE):

None from Appropriations Committee

RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:

See Education Committee JF Report

NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:

See Education Committee JF Report

NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:

See Education Committee JF Report

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