
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 302A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to part II, subpart B, to be
3 appropriately designated and to read as follows:

4 "§302A- Life skills curriculum. Each public high
5 school shall make available to each student a mandatory life
6 skills curriculum in the student's junior or senior year of
7 school.

8 (b) Courses in the life skills curriculum shall teach
9 students:

10 (1) The benefits of making wise decisions in financial
11 matters and sexual relationships, including those
12 related to:

13 (A) Personal finances;

14 (B) Building and protecting credit;

15 (C) Career paths; and

16 (D) Parenting, nurturing, and providing for children;

17 and



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- 1 (2) The negative repercussions of making poor choices in
2 financial matters and sexual relationships, including:
3 (A) Poverty;
4 (B) Domestic violence;
5 (C) Suicide; and
6 (D) Homicide."

7 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

8 SECTION 3 This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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Report Title:

Education; Public Schools; High School; Life Skills; Curriculum

Description:

Requires public high schools to make available a mandatory life skills curriculum.

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