

**AGENDA**  
**House Committee on Education**

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**Tuesday, February 23, 2021**  
**9:30 AM**  
**Room 151, State Capitol**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

**Public Comment Holding Room 149**

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Rep. Bruce Cozart, Chair  
Rep. Brian S. Evans, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Stephen Meeks  
Rep. Fredrick J. Love  
Rep. Reginald Murdock  
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh  
Rep. Mark Lowery

Rep. Richard Womack  
Rep. Ken Bragg  
Rep. Charlene Fite  
Rep. Rick Beck  
Rep. Nelda Speaks  
Rep. Karilyn Brown  
Rep. DeAnn Vaught

Rep. John Maddox  
Rep. Steve Hollowell  
Rep. Lee Johnson  
Rep. Gayla H. McKenzie  
Rep. Megan Godfrey  
Rep. Stu Smith

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**REGULAR AGENDA**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#">HB1171</a>	Tollett	TO DEEM A TRANSFERRING STUDENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS OPPORTUNITY PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT AS IMMEDIATELY ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES IF THE STUDENT MEETS REQUIRED ACADEMIC AND PHYSICAL STANDARDS.
<a href="#">HB1172</a>	Tollett	TO REQUIRE CERTAIN NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION UPON THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION'S REVIEW OF WAIVERS GRANTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS.
<a href="#">HB1257</a>	Tollett	TO REQUIRE A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO EMPLOY AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS COMPLETED OR WILL COMPLETE THE CERTIFIED FACILITIES DIRECTOR CERTIFICATION PROGRAM.
<a href="#">HB1389</a>	Bragg	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS FORESTERS FOR THE FUTURE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ACT OF 2021.
<a href="#">HB1237</a>	Lowery	TO AMEND THE SCHOOL START DATE; TO ALLOW PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS TO ELECT TO IMPLEMENT AN ALTERNATE SCHOOL CALENDAR; AND TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF A SCHOOL DAY.
<a href="#">HB1021</a>	Cloud	TO CREATE THE FIRST-YEAR MEDICAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ACT.
<a href="#">HB1429</a>	Lowery	TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT A PARENT OR GUARDIAN WAIT BEFORE WITHDRAWING HIS OR HER CHILD FROM A SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT A PARENT OR GUARDIAN STATE HIS OR HER CHILD'S INTENT TO SEEK A DRIVER'S LICENSE.
<a href="#">HB1430</a>	Lowery	TO AMEND CERTAIN LAWS RELATING TO THE PARTICIPATION OF HOMESCHOOLED STUDENTS IN INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES.

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