

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

SB 88 # 17

DIGEST

Examinations. Provides that a school corporation must allow certain students to take certain examinations at a school maintained by the school corporation. Provides, with exception, that the cost of the examination shall be paid by the student's parent or the student, if the student is an adult or an emancipated minor.

- 1 Page 2, between lines 24 and 25, begin a new paragraph and insert:
2 "SECTION 2. IC 20-26-5-48 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
3 AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY
4 1, 2026]: **Sec. 48. (a) As used in this section, "student" means an
5 individual who is attending a nonaccredited nonpublic school that
6 has less than one (1) employee.**
7 **(b) Subject to subsection (c)(2), a school corporation must allow
8 a student who resides within the boundaries of the school
9 corporation to take the following examinations at a school
10 maintained by the school corporation if the school corporation
11 offers the examination:**
12 **(1) Advancement placement examinations.**
13 **(2) The PSAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.**
14 **(3) The SAT.**
15 **(4) The ACT.**
16 **(5) The Classic Learning Test.**
17 **(6) The Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery.**
18 **If an examination described in this subsection is not offered by the
19 school corporation in which the student resides, any other school
20 corporation that offers the examination must allow the student to
21 take the examination at a school maintained by that school
22 corporation.**
23 **(c) A student's parent, or a student, if the student is an adult or
24 an emancipated minor:**
25 **(1) except as provided in subsection (d), is responsible for the
26 cost of the examination; and**

1 **(2) must provide reasonable notice to the school corporation**
2 **that the student intends to take an examination described in**
3 **subsection (b) before the school corporation must comply with**
4 **the requirements of this section.**

5 **(d) A school corporation shall cover the cost of an examination**
6 **described in subsection (b) for a student to the extent the school**
7 **corporation covers the cost of the examination for an individual**
8 **enrolled in the school corporation."**

9 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 88 as reprinted January 29, 2026.)