

**ESSB 5878** - H AMD TO ED COMM AMD (H-2797.1/22) **1227**

By Representative McEntire

**ADOPTED 03/03/2022**

1 On page 2, line 33 of the striking amendment, after "year," strike  
2 "public schools" and insert "school districts with more than 200  
3 enrolled students"

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5 On page 3, line 7 of the striking amendment, after "(3)" strike  
6 "Arts" and insert "(a) Except as provided in (b) of this subsection,  
7 arts"

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9 On page 3, after line 10 of the striking amendment, insert the  
10 following:

11 "(b) A person holding a limited teaching certificate may provide  
12 arts instruction while either: (i) The school district recruits and  
13 hires a certificated teacher with the qualifications provided in (a)  
14 of this subsection; or (ii) the certificated teacher with  
15 qualifications provided in (a) of this subsection takes leave as  
16 provided in the school district's written leave policy required by RCW  
17 28A.400.300."

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19 On page 3, beginning on line 24 of the striking amendment, strike  
20 all of subsection (6)

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22 On page 3, line 25 of the striking amendment, after "28A.150.010."  
23 insert the following:

24 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.710  
25 RCW to read as follows:

26 Section 3 of this act, related to arts instruction, governs  
27 school operation and management under RCW 28A.710.040 and applies to

1 charter schools with more than 200 enrolled students established  
2 under this chapter.

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4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 5.** A new section is added to chapter 28A.715  
5 RCW to read as follows:

6 Section 3 of this act, related to arts instruction, governs school  
7 operation and management under RCW 28A.715.020 and applies to state-  
8 tribal education compact schools with more than 200 enrolled students  
9 established under this chapter."

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EFFECT: Makes the following changes:

- (1) Limits the arts instruction requirements to school districts, charter schools, and state-tribal compact schools, with more than 200 enrolled students; and
- (2) Allows a person holding a limited teaching certificate to provide arts instruction while either: (a) the school district recruits and hires a certificated teacher with, or actively pursuing, an endorsement in the relevant arts discipline; or (b) the certificated teacher with, or actively pursuing, an endorsement in the relevant arts discipline takes leave as provided in the school district's written leave policy.

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