

California State PTA
April 11, 2008
Legislation Information Alert:

Legislation Action Report

The California State PTA Legislation Action Committee met April 3-4, 2008. At this meeting, 60 bills were considered and positions were taken on the 48 bills listed below: (If you want to read the full bill press control and click.)

[AB 1409](#) - Portantino

* Pupils: concurrent enrollment in community college and secondary or elementary school.

Support—Education

[AB 1761](#) - Fuller

* Certificated employees: probationary period.

Watch—Education

[AB 1885](#) - Nava

* Pupil instruction: intensive instruction and services.

Approve—Education

[AB 1966](#) - Garcia

* Severe need schools: pupil nutrition: school breakfast.

Support—Health

[AB 2072](#) - Hayashi

* Physical education: award program.

Support—Health

[AB 2077](#) - Fuentes

* The California English language development test.

Support—Education

[AB 2085](#) - Huff

* Schools: discrimination.

Oppose—Community Concerns

[AB 2096](#) - Bass

* Foster children: extracurricular activities.

Approve—Parent Involvement

[AB 2262](#) - Torrico

* Child protection: safe surrender.

Support—Community Concerns

[AB 2297](#) - Saldana

* Alcoholic beverages: underage drinking prevention.

Support—Community Concerns

[AB 2305](#) - Karnette

* Charter schools: statewide assessments.

Watch –Education

[AB 2310](#) - Maze

* Dependent children.

Support–Parent Involvement

[AB 2391](#) - Solorio

* Teachers: Mathematics and Reading Professional Development Program.

Oppose –Community Concerns

[AB 2406](#) - Villines

* Pupil evaluations: reading level.

Watch –Education

[AB 2474](#) - Galgiani

* Obesity prevention.

Support –Health

[AB 2478](#) - Huffman

* Public school accountability.

Support –Education

[AB 2515](#) - Hancock

* Regional occupational centers or programs: Apprenticeship preparation program.

Support –Education

[AB 2544](#) - Mullin

* Model civic education staff development program.

Support—Education

[AB 2572](#) - Parra

* Food facilities: nutrition information.

Oppose –Health

[AB 2667](#) - Hayashi

* Suicide prevention hotlines.

Watch –Parent Involvement

[AB 2704](#) - Leno

* Pupil nutrition: availability of tap water.

Support –Health

[AB 2759](#) - Jones

* State preschool programs: reform.

Watch –Parent Involvement

[AB 2776](#) - Mullin

* The Public Schools Accountability Act of 1999: advisory committee.

Support—Education

[AB 2831](#) - Fuller

* Education finance: categorical programs.

Oppose—Education

[AB 2832](#) - Fuller

* Education finance: restricted routine maintenance funds

oppose—Education

[AB 2843](#) - Karnette

* After school programs.

Approve—Parent Involvement

[AB 2933](#) - Committee on Education

* Education finance: categorical programs.

Support—Education

[AB 2955](#) - Duvall

* Pupil data.

Watch—Education

[ACR 99](#) - Swanson

* School nurses: salaries.

Approve—Health

[ACR 106](#) - Nava

* Vehicles: Teen Driving Safety Week.

Support—Community Concerns

[ACR 113](#) - Niello

* Financial literacy education.

Support—Parent Involvement

[SB 606](#) - Perata

* School district accountability.

Support if Amended—Education

[SB 1148](#) - Cedillo

* Dependent children: emancipation.

Support—Parent Involvement

[SB 1186](#) - Scott

* Teachers.

Watch—Education

[SB 1197](#) - Alquist

* Regional occupational centers: joint powers authorities funding.

Support—Education

[SB 1251](#) - Steinberg

* School accountability: Academic Performance Index: graduation rates

Support—Education

[SB 1298](#) - Simitian

* California Education Information System.

Support—Education

[SB 1321](#) - Correa

* School recycling programs.

Support if Amended—Community Concerns

[SB 1354](#) - Torlakson

* School facilities: construction.

Support—Education

[SB 1378](#) - Dutton

* Teachers: professional development.

Approve—Parent Involvement

[SB 1420](#) - Padilla

* Food facilities: nutritional information.

Support—Health

[SB 1425](#) - Steinberg

* Pupil data.

Support—Education

[SB 1446](#) - Romero

* High school exit examination: pupils with disabilities.

Support—Education

[SB 1545](#) - Romero

* Juvenile court schools.

Support—Community Concerns

[SB 1592](#) - Perata

* Education: data

Support—Education

[SB 1598](#) - Padilla

* Smoking.

Watch—Health

[SB 1629](#) - Steinberg

* State preschool programs: early learning quality improvement system commission.

Support—Parent Involvement

[SCR 81](#) - Battin

* Child Abuse Prevention Month.

Support—Community Concerns

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