

**Council on Postsecondary Education
February 11, 2010**

Legislative Information

A most recent chart listing bills that relate to postsecondary education will be distributed at the February 11 meeting. The Council staff will be available for discussion.

**2010
KENTUCKY GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
HB 18	Nelson (D)	Add the chairpersons of the Interim Joint Committee on Education as ex officio members of the Education Professional Standards Board.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H)
HB 21	Lee (R)	Create new sections of KRS Chapter 160 to describe the intent of the General Assembly and the purposes of authorizing public charter schools; define terms; outline the requirements and limitations on the establishment of charter schools; describe local board of education's roles and responsibilities; describe exemptions from law and required compliance areas for charter schools; describe the application, approval, and renewal processes; describe process and application process for existing schools to convert to charter schools; create new sections of KRS Chapter 156 to list the Kentucky Department of Education's and the Kentucky Board of Education's roles and responsibilities relating to charter school; require the Kentucky Board of Education to establish a Kentucky Charter School Advisory Committee for reviewing charter school applications; create a new section of KRS Chapter 157 to direct how state, local, and federal funds shall be used to support charter schools;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H)
HB 39	Damron (D)	Create new section of KRS Chapter 164A to provide an interim process for approval of certain cash-funded capital projects, subject to approval by the governing board and the Council on Postsecondary Education and other restrictions; provide procedures to comply with LRC v. Brown.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H) Feb 1-posting waived Feb 2-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar Feb 3-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 10, 2010
HB 42	Damron (D)	Create new sections of KRS Chapters 48 and 164A to provide a process for postsecondary institutions to issue agency bonds upon authorization by the General Assembly;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H) Feb 1-posting waived Feb 2-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar Feb 3-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 10, 2010 Feb 9-taken from the Consent Orders of the Day, placed in the Regular Orders of the Day

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
HB 55	Glenn (D)	Require public postsecondary institutions to provide new undergraduates with information regarding credit cards and debt management and encourage them to conduct informational sessions; encourage nonpublic postsecondary institutions to provide new undergraduates with information regarding credit cards and debt management and to conduct informational sessions; permit institutions to utilize existing debt education materials from nonprofit entities; and require the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority to assist institutions in identifying appropriate materials and curricula.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H) Jan 28-posted in committee Feb 2-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar Feb 3-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 10, 2010
HB 63	Montell (R)	Describe the intent of the General Assembly and the purposes of authorizing public school academies; define terms; outline the requirements and limitations on the establishment of public school academies including which agencies may sponsor an academy; describe a sponsor's roles and responsibilities; describe exemptions from law and required compliance areas for public school academies; describe the application, approval, and renewal processes; describe application process for existing schools to convert to public school academies;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H)
HB 84	Belcher (D)	Permit tuition and fee waivers for foster children taking dual credit or dual enrollment courses in high school.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H) Jan 28-posted in committee Feb 2-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar Feb 3-2nd reading, to Rules Feb 4-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 5, 2010 Feb 5-3rd reading, passed 98-0 Feb 8-received in Senate
HB 93	Meeks (D)	Require agencies of the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of state government and all state-supported institutions of higher education to report estimated waste recycled during the prior fiscal year; delete requirement to report recycled aluminum; allow state agencies in Franklin County that participate in the State Office Paper Recycling Program to utilize an alternative to reporting quantities in pounds.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Natural Resources & Environment (H)
HB 94	Meeks (D)	Effective July 1, 2011, compulsory school attendance shall be between the ages of six and seventeen; provide that effective July 1, 2012, compulsory school attendance shall be between the ages of six and eighteen; permit parents to withdraw a child older than the required age after a counseling session with a school counselor;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
HB 95	Meeks (D)	Allow government programs and services to be mentioned in advertising or promoting a lottery; amend KRS 154A.050 to allow the Lottery Board, in its advertising and promoting of the lottery, to describe government programs and services that benefit from and are supported by lottery proceeds.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to State Government (H)
HB 109	Wuchner (R)	Define "aphasia," "dyscalculia," "dysgraphia," "dyslexia," "phonemic awareness," and "scientifically based research"; require the Kentucky Board of Education to promulgate administrative regulations to implement district-wide use of K-3 response-to-intervention system in reading by August 1, 2011, in mathematics by August 1, 2012, and behavior by August 1, 2013; require the Department of Education, on or before January 1, 2011, to make available technical assistance, training and a Web-based resource to assist all local school districts in the implementation of the system and instructional tools based on scientifically based research; require the department to collaborate with other state agencies and organizations;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H) Jan 21-posted in committee Jan 26-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar with Committee Substitute Jan 27-2nd reading, to Rules Jan 28-posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 3, 2010 Feb 3-3rd reading, passed 94-1 with Committee Substitute Feb 4-received in Senate Feb 8-to Education (S)
HB 128	DeCesare (R)	Require the Legislative Research Commission to create a Web site to provide certain information on the expenditure of state funds; create a new section of KRS Chapter 26A to require the Chief Justice to create a Web site to provide certain information on the expenditure of state funds; create a new section of KRS Chapter 42 to require the Finance and Administration Cabinet to create a Web site to provide certain information on the expenditure of state funds; create a new section of KRS Chapter 42 to require all executive branch agencies to make financial data available to the Finance and Administration Cabinet, and to require the cabinet to give the Legislative Research Commission and the Court of Justice control over their expenditure data by January 1, 2011; amend KRS 164A.565 to require the governing boards of each postsecondary educational institution to make financial data available to the Finance and Administration Cabinet;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H) Jan 14-reassigned to State Government (H)
HB 129	Yonts (D)	Allow the loan forgiveness tax credit if there are insufficient funds available to the Higher Education Assistance Authority for certain loan forgiveness programs; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the credit;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
HB 140	Yonts (D)	Effective July 1, 2012, compulsory school attendance shall be between the ages of six and 17; provide that effective July 1, 2013, compulsory school attendance shall be between the ages of six and 18	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
HB 144	Yonts (D)	Require university acceptance of transfer credits earned by students in dual enrollment programs, the Kentucky Community and Technical College System, and other public colleges and universities; prohibit universities from requiring transfer students to repeat or incur costs for courses they have already passed at another institution; direct the Council on Postsecondary Education to facilitate development of a statewide agreement for alignment of lower-division coursework and acceptance of credit for comparable coursework; direct the council to develop a system that includes statewide course numbering, common college transcripts, uniform data collection, reporting, and monitoring, and an appeals process; provide priority university admission to graduates with Kentucky earned associate degrees;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H)
HB 154	Rollins (D)	Establish a grant program for expanded learning time in the school year of 300 additional hours; provide exploratory planning grants for 2010 in selected schools and implementation 3-year grants based on criteria specified, beginning in spring 2011;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H)
HB 160	Rollins (D)	Limit bachelor degree programs to 120 credit hours and associate degree programs to 60 credit hours beginning with the 2012-2013 academic year; permit the Council on Postsecondary education to approve exceptions for specialized programs; direct the council to develop a statewide agreement for lower division learning outcomes course numbering and coursework credits; to standardize credit-by-exam equivalencies; develop statewide articulation and transfer procedures; monitor and collect compliance data; provide priority admission of associate degree program graduates to state public universities; create common public college transcript; encourage private college collaboration in transfer agreements; establish appeals process; amend KRS 164.020 to conform; amend KRS 164.001 to include definition of "learning outcomes."	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H) Jan 11-posting waived Jan 12-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute Jan 13-2nd reading, to Rules Jan 20-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 21, 2010 Jan 21-3rd reading, passed 97-0 with Committee Substitute Jan 22-received in Senate Jan 25-to Education (S)
HB 163	Stevens (D)	Delete priority for loan forgiveness from the teacher scholarship program for teachers who have outstanding loan balances for "Best in Class for Teachers" loans issued prior to June 30, 2008; amend KRS 164.7531 to require that, beginning with fiscal year 2010-2011, the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority provide, to the extent funds are available, up to \$3,000 per year for up to ten years, not to exceed \$30,000 cumulative benefit, for loan forgiveness to persons who had "Best in Class for Teachers, " "Best in Care for Nurses, " and "Best in Law for Public Service Attorneys" loans issued prior to June 30, 2008; require loan recipients to continue to make all required payments;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to Education (H)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
HB 164	Cherry (D)	Provide for the transfer of employees, funds, equipment, and supplies engaged in providing educational services and support to inmates from the Kentucky Community and Technical College System to the Department of Corrections, effective July 1, 2010;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House; to State Government (H) Feb 9-posted in committee
HB 179	Marzian (D)	To require the Board of Nursing to set standards for nursing education programs that prepare advanced practice registered nurses, and approve programs that meet the standards, provide that a school which has failed to correct deficiencies to the satisfaction of the board shall be subject to an administrative hearing to determine whether it shall be closed	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House Jan 6-to Health & Welfare (H) Jan 19-posted in committee Feb 4-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar with Committee Substitute Feb 5-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 10, 2010
HB 211	Koenig (R)	Permit an eligible postsecondary education student to use his or her scholarship award at any out-of-state institution that is located within fifteen miles of the Kentucky state border.	1-7	Jan 7-introduced in House Jan 11-to Education (H)
HB 240	Adkins (D)	Relating to the promotion of the efficient use of energy	1-12	Jan 12-introduced in House Jan 13-to Natural Resources & Environment (H) Jan 19-posted in committee Jan 21-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar Jan 22-2nd reading, to Rules Jan 25-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 26, 2010 Jan 27-3rd reading, passed 98-0 Jan 28-received in Senate Feb 3-to Appropriations & Revenue (S) Feb 9-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
HB 271	Moore (R)	Require the president of the Council of Postsecondary Education to convene working groups representing community and technical colleges and four-year postsecondary institutions to develop curriculum content and competencies; clarify which course credits shall transfer and whether they shall be accepted in degree programs; require all public postsecondary institutions to utilize a common course numbering system for courses with the same content and competencies; require the council to coordinate procedures to ensure that public postsecondary institutions inform students about which credits earned at technical and community colleges will transfer and how the credits will be applied at four-year institutions; require dissemination of career pathway advising guides to assist students in technical programs to obtain a bachelor's degree; require the council to make a recommendation to the Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education of the Interim Joint Committee on Education on whether there should be a cap on credit hours for associate and bachelor's degrees.	1-15	Jan 15-introduced in House Jan 19-to Education (H)
HB 290	Rand (D)	Appropriations and revenue measures providing financing and conditions for the operations, maintenance, support, and functioning of the government of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and its various officers, cabinets, departments, boards, commissions, institutions, subdivisions, agencies, and other state-supported activities.	1-20	Jan 20-introduced in House Jan 21-to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
HB 301	Greer (D)	Require students entering the 9th grade after July 1, 2014 to attend school until their 17th birthday or receive a high school diploma; to require students entering the 9th grade after July 1, 2015 to attend school until their 18th birthday or receive a high school diploma; to continue dropout conferences for students between the ages of 17 and 18 until July 1, 2015 school year	1-20	Jan 20-introduced in House Jan 21-to Education (H) Jan 28-posted in committee
HB 305	Jenkins (D)	Permit the boards of regents and boards of trustees of the public universities and colleges to establish fees sufficient for the payment of instructional and operational expenses consistent with the recommendations of the Council on Postsecondary Education; clarify the types of fees that boards may require payment of; prohibit mandatory athletic or meal fees for nonresident or commuter students, delete section referencing incidental fees.	1-21	Jan 21-introduced in House Jan 26-to Education (H)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
HB 314	Lee (R)	Provide definitions for provisions relating to the hiring of unauthorized aliens; prohibit persons transacting business with state or local governments and government agencies from hiring unauthorized aliens; provide for civil action by Attorney General, county attorney, or private citizen to enforce the provisions of the Act in Circuit Court and provide that violators be banned from contracting with public agencies for 5 years for violating the provisions of the Act.	1-25	Jan 25-introduced in House Jan 26-to Licensing & Occupations (H)
HB 329	Glenn (D)	Provide that members of the Kentucky Employees Retirement System, the County Employees Retirement System, and the State Police Retirement System cannot change their beneficiary designation for their retirement allowance on or after the first day of the month in which the member receives his or her first payment rather than on or after the date the State Treasurer issues the first payment;	1-27	Jan 27-introduced in House Jan 28-to State Government (H) Feb 2-posted in committee
HB 374	Richards (D)	Permit an instructor to vote and to be selected as a representative to a board of regents in one of the comprehensive universities.	2-3	Feb 3-introduced in House Feb 8-to Education (H)
HB 379	Crimm (R)	Delete the age restriction (age 26) for family members of certain members of the military who desire to enroll in college or vocational school to be eligible for tuition benefits and increase the time allowed for obtaining a diploma from 45 months to 48 months	2-4	Feb 4-introduced in House Feb 8-to Military Affairs & Public Safety (H)
HCR 72	Burch (D)	Direct the staff of the Legislative Research Commission to study the scope of practice for pharmacists; require results to be submitted by December 1, 2010.	1-20	Jan 20-introduced in House Jan 21-to Health & Welfare (H) Feb 1-posted in committee
HR 5	Glenn (D)	Encourage support for university and college administrators with teaching credentials and experience to teach classes.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in House Jan 6-to Education (H)
HR 96	Rollins (D)	Confirm the gubernatorial appointment of Shae Hopkins to the Governor's Postsecondary Education Nominating Committee for a term expiring April 14, 2010.	1-26	Jan 26-introduced in House Jan 28-to Education (H)
HR 98	Rollins (D)	Confirm the gubernatorial appointment of Joseph B. Wise, III to the Council on Postsecondary Education for a term expiring December 31, 2010.	1-26	Jan 26-introduced in House Jan 28-to Education (H)
HR 99	Rollins (D)	Confirm the gubernatorial appointment of Marcia Milby Ridings to the Council on Postsecondary Education for a term expiring December 31, 2009.	1-26	Jan 26-introduced in House Jan 28-to Education (H)
HR 100	Rollins (D)	Confirm the appointment of Joe Graviss to the Council on Postsecondary Education for a term expiring December 31, 2014.	1-26	Jan 26-introduced in House Jan 28-to Education (H)
HR 108	Rollins (D)	Confirm the appointment of Ellen Call to the Council on Postsecondary Education for a term expiring December 31, 2014.	1-27	Jan 27-introduced in House Jan 28-to Education (H)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
SB 9	Shaughnessy (D)	Prohibit the use of ACT assessment scores and subscores by public colleges and universities for the mandatory placement of first-time students in developmental or credit-bearing courses; permit the Council on Postsecondary Education to promulgate an administrative regulation including ACT scores as a component in college readiness and admission standards after the Kentucky Board of Education has adopted revised high school content standards;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in Senate Jan 6-to Education (S)
SB 27	Clark (D)	Define "police officer," as used in the Police Officer's Bill of Rights, to include all paid, full-time officers required to be certified pursuant to KRS 15.380; make technical corrections.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in Senate Jan 6-to Judiciary (S)
SB 28	Westwood (R)	Specify the intent of the General Assembly and to clarify purposes of career and technical education and legislative beliefs; create a new section of KRS Chapter 156 to require communication of the minimum college and career-readiness standards to all local school districts prior to the beginning of the 2011-2012 school year; require the Department of Education to develop enhanced courses in English, reading, and mathematics for at-risk students in grades 9, 10, 11, and 12;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in Senate Jan 6-to Education (S)
SB 40	Thayer (R)	Require the Legislative Research Commission to create a Web site to provide certain information on the expenditure of state funds; create a new section of KRS Chapter 26A to require the Chief Justice to create a Web site to provide certain information on the expenditure of state funds; create a new section of KRS Chapter 42 to require the Finance and Administration Cabinet to create a Web site to provide certain information on the expenditure of state funds; create a new section of KRS Chapter 42 to require all executive branch agencies to make financial data available to the Finance and Administration Cabinet, and to require the cabinet to give the Legislative Research Commission and the Court of Justice control over their expenditure data by January 1, 2011; amend KRS 164A.565 to require the governing boards of each postsecondary educational institution to make financial data available to the Finance and Administration Cabinet;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in Senate Jan 6-to State & Local Government (S) Jan 27-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar Jan 28-2nd reading, to Rules Feb 2-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 2, 2010; 3rd reading, passed 37-0 Feb 3-received in House Feb 8-to State Government (H)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
SB 44	Shaughnessy (D)	Require public colleges and universities to submit a plan to the Council on Postsecondary Education to increase the number of students who graduate with a bachelor's degree within four years of initial enrollment; require the council to develop a multifaceted tracking process capable of following cohorts of students throughout the public postsecondary system, collect student data, and report to the Legislative Research commission annually on the number of students, number on track to graduate, number who graduate within four years or within five years if in a specialty program; require boards of regents or trustees to include progress on these measures in the annual evaluation of the president of the institution beginning in 2014.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in Senate Jan 6-to Education (S)
SB 45	Tapp (R)	Give preference to Kentucky resident bidders in state construction contracts; require this preference to apply against a nonresident bidder registered in any state that gives or requires a preference to bidders from that state; specify that this preference is equal to the preference given or required by the state of the non resident bidder; include determination of the amount of the preference;	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in Senate Jan 6-to State & Local Government (S) Jan 20-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute Jan 21-2nd reading, to Rules Jan 26-floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute Jan 27-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 28, 2010 Jan 28-3rd reading, passed 38-0 with Committee Substitute, floor amendment (1) Feb 1-received in House Feb 8-to State Government (H)
SB 54	Gibson (R)	Prohibit public employers in the Commonwealth from purchasing, acquiring, furnishing, or requiring an employee to purchase or acquire uniforms, wearing apparel, safety equipment, or protective accessories not manufactured in the United States of America, unless such items are not manufactured or available for purchase in the United States of America.	1-5	Jan 5-introduced in Senate Jan 6-to State & Local Government (S) Jan 20-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute Jan 21-2nd reading, to Rules Jan 27-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 28, 2010 Jan 28-3rd reading, passed 37-1 with Committee Substitute Feb 1-received in House Feb 8-to State Government (H)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
SB 67	Winters (R)	Establish an option for early high school graduation beginning in the 2011-2012 school year; define the curriculum requirements for early graduation and unconditional admission into a Kentucky public two-year community and technical college and the requirements for conditional admission into a four-year public college; establish the Early Graduation Scholarship Certificate and the processes for awarding it and using it;	1-6	Jan 6-introduced in Senate Jan 7-to Education (S) Jan 28-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute Feb 1-2nd reading, to Rules Feb 8-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 9, 2010 Feb 9-3rd reading, passed 38-0 with Committee Substitute
SB 68	Winters (R)	Require the Kentucky Department of Education to develop a teacher selection training module; require the department to provide training on the use of the module to all principals;	1-6	Jan 6-introduced in Senate Jan 7-to Education (S) Jan 21-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar Jan 22-2nd reading, to Rules Feb 2-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 3, 2010 Feb 3-3rd reading, passed 35-0; received in House Feb 8-to Education (H)
SB 69	Winters (R)	Require local school districts, under certain conditions, to provide a salary supplement, beginning in the 2010-2011 school year and thereafter to teachers of chemistry, physics, or mathematics and to teachers of chemistry, physics, or mathematics employed in schools with a high concentration of students eligible for free or reduced lunch;	1-6	Jan 6-introduced in Senate Jan 7-to Education (S)
SB 70	Winters (R)	Move the Council on Postsecondary Education from the Education and Workforce Development Cabinet to the Governor's Office for administrative purposes; amend KRS 151B.020 and 151B.130 to conform; confirm Executive Order 2009-539.	1-6	Jan 6-introduced in Senate Jan 7-to Education (S) Jan 28-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar Feb 1-2nd reading, to Rules Feb 9-recommitted to Education (S)
SB 76	Palmer (D)	Adopt modern standards of prudent investment and modernize the responsibilities of fiduciaries in the management of the institutional funds of charitable organizations as contained in the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act; Repeal Uniform Management of Institutional Funds Act,	1-6	Jan 6-introduced in Senate Jan 7-to Banking & Insurance (S) Feb 2-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar Feb 3-2nd reading, to Rules Feb 9-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 10, 2010
SB 82	Thayer (R)	AN ACT relating to executive branch ethics.	1-7	Jan 7-introduced in Senate Jan 11-to State & Local Government (S)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
SB 94	McGaha (R)	Encourage the establishment of summer learning camps for students who are identified for Title I services that meet certain minimum requirements and that include innovative instruction in the core academic areas and enrichment activities;	1-20	Jan 20-introduced in Senate Jan 21-to Education (S) Feb 4-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar Feb 5-2nd reading, to Rules Feb 9-posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 11, 2010
SB 101	Higdon (R)	Permit a representative committee of designated faculty, staff and students to suspend or expel any student for disobedience to its rules, or for any other contumacy, insubordination or immoral conduct.	1-25	Jan 25-introduced in Senate Jan 26-to Education (S) Feb 4-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar Feb 5-2nd reading, to Rules
SB 108	Jones (D)	Suspend the retirement allowance of a retired member of the Legislators' Retirement Plan or Judicial Retirement Plan if he or she retired on or after August 1, 2010, and returned to work for an agency that participates in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System, the State Police Retirement System, the Judicial Retirement Plan, or the Legislators' Retirement Plan; amend KRS 61.637 to suspend the retirement allowance of a retired member of the Kentucky Employees Retirement System or the State Police Retirement System if he or she retired on or after August 1, 2010, and returned to work for an agency that participates in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System, the State Police Retirement System, the Judicial Retirement Plan, or the Legislators' Retirement Plan, unless employed as a Trooper R class under KRS 16.196 to 16.199, or to an elected officer; amend KRS 61.661 to authorize the release of employment and retirement benefit information for retirees who are receiving a benefit from the Kentucky Employees Retirement System, the County Employees Retirement System, and the State Police Retirement System if they have been reemployed with an agency participating in the systems.	1-26	Jan 26-introduced in Senate Jan 27-to State & Local Government (S)
SB 119	Neal (D)	Require peace officers to issue citations rather than making an arrest for selected Class A and Class B misdemeanors; exempt arrests for assault offenses under KRS Chapter 508, sexual offenses under KRS Chapter 510, and firearms or weapons offenses under KRS Chapter 527.	1-28	Jan 28-introduced in Senate Feb 2-to Judiciary (S)

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Bill	Sponsor	Description	Date Introduced	Status
SB 121	Winters (R)	Establish the Shared Funding Scholarship Grant Program for undergraduate junior students on track to graduate within two years and undergraduate senior students on track to graduate within one year; require the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority in collaboration with the Council on Postsecondary Education to promulgate an administrative regulation outlining the program to be implemented by academic year 2011-2012; amend KRS 154A.130 to change the distribution percentages of the state lottery funds, beginning in 2011-2012 for the KEES Program, the College Access Program and the Kentucky Tuition Grants Program, and the Shared Funding Scholarship Grant Program; require that by fiscal year 2013-2014 all unclaimed lottery prizes be credited to the Shared Funding Scholarship Grant Program; amend KRS 164.7879 to require a high school student, beginning in academic year 2011-2012 to attain a grade point average of at least 3.0 on a 4-point scale to qualify for a KEES base award and a 22 on the ACT to qualify for an ACT supplement.	2-1	Feb 1-introduced in Senate Feb 3-to Education (S)
SB 127	Winters (R)	Require the six comprehensive universities to provide advanced practice doctoral programs in nursing upon approval of the Council on Postsecondary Education.	2-1	Feb 1-introduced in Senate Feb 3-to Education (S)
SB 134	Jones (D)	Require executive branch agencies to reduce the compensation of current unclassified employees and all employees hired on or after August 1, 2010, by the amount of retirement benefit received by the Kentucky Employees Retirement System	2-4	Feb 4-introduced in Senate Feb 8-to State & Local Government (S)
SJR 114	Kerr (R)	Recognize the critical link between early and optimal oral health care and education and support efforts to improve the state of children's oral health through school-based efforts; encourage developing "dental homes" to further outreach and education efforts for children in underserved communities; support partnerships among universities, government entities, and the private sector to promote oral health awareness;	2-8	Feb 8-introduced in Senate