

Arizona Legislative Session 2020 Proposed Bills affecting CTE

As of March 23rd, all of the bills below are on hold to be under consideration if and when the legislature reconvenes after April 13th or whenever it can. As of adjournment, the Legislature had passed only 58 bills, none of them the CTE bills we've been watching.

The Legislature passed a "skinny budget" with bipartisan support. The 10-bill baseline budget package includes the current year's spending for the state and adds formula adjustments for growth and inflation all across the board.

The budget does not include any significant new spending, other than a \$50 million appropriation to the Office of the Governor for the creation of the Crisis Contingency and Safety Fund. Those monies are for housing assistances, evictions and foreclosures prevention, homeless shelters, foodbanks and assistance to small businesses with fewer than 50 employees, nonprofit organizations and health care providers, this is intended to provide immediate aid to Arizonans impacted by the COVID-19 crisis.

HB2222 CTEDs; Internship Funding **In Senate Education committee, 3/02/20—no action there yet**

Fact sheet located at:

https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/summary/H.HB2222_012720_ED.pdf

HB2381 CTEDs; Removing A-F label from CTEDs. **In Senate Education committee, on agenda for 3/10/20.**

Fact sheet located at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/HB2381P.pdf>

HB2443 CTE; Adjust movement of CTE projects funds **In Senate Education committee, 2/27/20, 2nd read there 3/02/20**

Fact sheet located at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/HB2443P.pdf>

HB2741 CTEDs; Restoring 4th year funding In Senate Education committee, 3/02/20; no action yet there.

Fact sheet located at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/HB2741P.pdf>

SB1403 CTEDs; Restoring 4th year funding Sent to House 3/03/20

Fact sheet located at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/SB1403P.pdf>

HB2019 CTEDs; Allow CTEDs to partner with private colleges and universities In Senate Education committee, 2/27/20; no action there yet.

Fact sheet located at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/HB2019P.pdf>

HB2002 CTEDs; Implementation of new apprenticeship program In House COW , 3/05/20, no action

Fact sheet located at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/HB2002P.pdf>

HB2678 CTEDs; Governing Boards could reduce their numbers from 5 to 3 In Senate Education committee, 2/27/20; no action yet.

Fact sheet located at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/HB2678P.pdf>

HB2360 CTEDs; Program Evaluation—ADE would need to evaluate every program every year In Senate Education committee, 2/27/20, no action yet.

Fact sheet located at:

<https://www.azleg.gov/legtext/54leg/2R/bills/HB2360P.pdf>

Additional information and Links:

2020 Legislative Priorities

- 4th Year Funding Restoration – Pending Introduction - *Rep. Udall will sponsor the bill, working with her on determining the best approach and the mechanics for the legislation.*
- [HB2222 CTEDs; internships; funding](#) (Rep. Udall)
- [HB2381 CTEDs; letter grades; exclusion](#) (Rep. Blackman)
- [HB2443 Career, technical education; projects fund](#) (Rep. Kern)

Other Key CTE Bills of Interest

- [HB2108 college course credit; dual enrollment](#) (Rep. Udall) - Eliminate the 25% cap for dual enrollment
- [HB2166 school; graduations requirements; university admissions](#) (Udall) - Modifies HS graduation requirements, Rep. Udall main concern is the 4-year math requirement, her intent is not to change the current fine arts or CTE credit.
- [HB2019 CTEDs; nonprofits; postsecondary institutions; agreements](#) (Rep. Fillmore) is identical to [HB2489 CTEDs; nonprofits; postsecondary institutions; agreements](#). (Rep. Fernandez) - Allows CTEDs to contract with nonprofits and postsecondary institutions to provide CTE programs.
- [HB2678 CTEDs; district governing boards; elections](#) (Rep. Udall) - CTED board candidates must reside for a least one year immediately prior to their election date.
- [HB2152 appropriation; STEM; learning; workforce development](#) (Rep. Udall) - Appropriates \$3,000,000 ongoing to the Arizona Commerce Authority (ACA) to promote STEM learning and STEM workforce development opportunity.
- [SB1166 appropriation; STEM internships](#) (Sen. Carter) - Appropriates \$2,000,000 to the ACA for matching monies for education stipends for HS, college and universities students and for teachers who participate in STEM internships.
- [HB2501 commerce authority; adult workforce education](#). (Carroll) - Establishes adult workforce programs under the ACA. Appropriates \$5,000,000 to this new established ACA program. Outlines the requirements to qualify for funding and as an eligible program.

- [SB1093 workforce Arizona council; report](#) (Sen. Ugenti-Rita) - Requires the workforce Arizona council to include in its annual report the outcome-based performance measures that are produced for all state workforce development programs.
- [SB1206 agriculture workforce program; interns; appropriation](#) (Sen. Pratt) - Establishes the Agricultural Workforce Development Program in the Department of Agriculture to provide incentives to food-producing agricultural organizations to hire interns by partially reimbursing internship costs. The Dept is required to adopt rules for the Program, including qualifications for participation, criteria for selecting interns, intern wage rates, and a process for reimbursement. By December 1 of each year, the Dept is required to submit a report on the Program to the Governor and the Legislature. Appropriates \$250,000 from the general fund in each of FY2020-21 through FY2023-24 to the Dept for the Program. Effective January 1, 2021.

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