

## CABE Bills 2024-25 Bill List

**[AB 18](#) (DeMaio R) California Secure Borders Act of 2025.**

**Introduced:** 12/2/2024

**Location:** 12/2/2024-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law generally prohibits law enforcement from providing information regarding the release date of an individual from custody or from transferring an individual to immigration authorities without a warrant or judicial probable cause determination. This bill, the California Secure Borders Act of 2025, would state the intent of the Legislature to combat illegal immigration and secure the border by repealing those provisions, prohibiting the use of state funds for various welfare, health, housing, and other services for undocumented immigrants, requiring public disclosure of information on the impact of illegal immigration on crime rates and state and local services, providing cross-deputization training for local law enforcement to support federal border security actions, and providing standards for deployment of the State Guard to the border.

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**[AB 19](#) (DeMaio R) Education expenses: education savings accounts.**

**Introduced:** 12/2/2024

**Location:** 12/2/2024-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law establishes a system of elementary and secondary education in this state. This system consists of the public and private schools that provide instruction in kindergarten and in grades 1 to 12, inclusive. Current law establishes a system of higher education in this state, consisting of 4 segments: the University of California, under the administration of the Regents of the University of California; the California State University, under the administration of the Trustees of the California State University; the California Community Colleges, under the administration of the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges; and independent institutions of higher education. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation, to be known as the Education Choice and Parental Empowerment Act of 2025, to empower parents to send their children to better performing schools by providing them with education savings accounts.

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**[AB 24](#) (DeMaio R) Balanced Budget Accountability Act of 2025.**

**Introduced:** 12/2/2024

**Location:** 12/2/2024-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact a constitutional amendment that would achieve cost savings for the state and that would balance the budget by cutting then capping the total annual labor costs in the state budget, requiring state government agencies to competitively source or contract out services, and requiring that both the state budget as a whole and any new program fees be approved by a 2/3 vote of the Legislature.

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**[AB 84](#) (Muratsuchi D) School accountability: audits: charter schools: data systems.**

**Introduced:** 12/20/2024

**Location:** 12/20/2024-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law establishes the California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System, which is maintained by the State Department of Education and consists of pupil data from elementary and secondary schools, as specified, relating to demographics, program participation, enrollment, and statewide assessments, among other things. This bill would require the department to provide a report, including specified data, to the appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the Legislature relating to the possible integration of the California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System and the average daily attendance apportionment data system.

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**[AB 95](#) (Fong D) Postsecondary education: Coordinating Commission for Education in California.**

**Introduced:** 1/7/2025

**Location:** 1/7/2025-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law establishes the California Postsecondary Education Commission (CPEC) as the statewide postsecondary education coordinating and planning agency, and provides for its functions and responsibilities. Current law also provides for the composition of CPEC's membership. The annual state Budget Acts from the 2011–12 fiscal year to the 2023–24 fiscal year, inclusive, have provided no

funding for CPEC. This bill would establish the Coordinating Commission for Education in California as a state career and higher education coordination body composed of workforce, education segment, and employer representatives that establishes joint and regional plans and makes recommendations on state and federal funding related to statewide educational attainment and career education goals.

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**[AB 291](#) (Gipson D) Teacher credentialing: credentialed educator apprenticeships.**

**Introduced:** 1/22/2025

**Location:** 1/22/2025-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law establishes the Commission on Teacher Credentialing and requires the commission, among other duties, to establish standards for the issuance and renewal of credentials, certificates, and permits. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact future legislation to create requirements for credentialed educator apprenticeships, as provided.

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**[ACA 1](#) (Valencia D) Public finance.**

**Introduced:** 12/2/2024

**Location:** 12/2/2024-A. PRINT

**Summary:** The California Constitution establishes the Budget Stabilization Account and requires, for every fiscal year and based on the Budget Act for that fiscal year, the Controller to transfer from the General Fund to the Budget Stabilization Account, no later than October 1, a sum equal to 1.5% of the estimated amount of General Fund revenues for that fiscal year. The California Constitution requires other transfers between the General Fund and the Budget Stabilization Account, as specified. The California Constitution prohibits the amount transferred pursuant to these provisions for any fiscal year from exceeding an amount that would result in a balance in the account that, when the transfer is made, exceeds 10% of the amount of the General Fund proceeds of taxes for the fiscal year estimate, as specified. This measure would change the 1.5% required transfer to an undetermined percentage of the estimated amount of General Fund revenues for that fiscal year. The measure would change the 10% limit on the balance in the Budget Stabilization Account to 20% of the amount of the General Fund proceeds of taxes for the fiscal year estimate, as specified. The measure would specify that funds transferred under these provisions to the Budget Stabilization Account do not constitute appropriations subject to the above-described annual appropriations limit.

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**[SB 33](#) (Cortese D) Homeless pupils: California Success, Opportunity, and Academic Resilience (SOAR) Guaranteed Income Program.**

**Introduced:** 12/2/2024

**Location:** 12/2/2024-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law establishes various programs to provide assistance to homeless youth, including, among others, homeless youth emergency service pilot projects and the Runaway Youth and Families in Crisis Project. This bill, subject to an appropriation by the Legislature for this purpose, would require the State Department of Social Services to establish the California Success, Opportunity, and Academic Resilience (SOAR) Guaranteed Income Program. The program would award public school pupils who are in grade 12 and are homeless children or youths, as defined, a guaranteed income of \$1,000 each month for 4 months from May 1, 2026, to August 1, 2026, inclusive, as provided.

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**[SB 64](#) (Grove R) Education expenses: School Choice Flex Account Act of 2025.**

**Introduced:** 1/9/2025

**Location:** 1/9/2025-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law establishes a system of elementary and secondary education in this state. This system consists of the public and private schools that provide instruction in kindergarten and in grades 1 to 12, inclusive. This bill would enact the School Choice Flex Account Act of 2025 and establish the School Choice Flex Account (SCFA) Trust, to be known as the SCFA Trust, as a fund within the State Treasury to be administered by the SCFA Trust Board. For the 2027–28 to 2030–31, inclusive, school years, the bill would authorize certain children eligible to be enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, to establish an SCFA or Special Education Flex Account (SEFA), based on parent or guardian income. The bill would, beginning with the 2031–32 school year, authorize every child eligible to be enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, to establish an SCFA or SEFA. The bill would credit a deposit amount to the account of every eligible student enrolled in an eligible school for tuition and certain school expenses. The bill would specify the deposit amounts for the 2027–28 school year, and require the Department of Finance, beginning on July 1, 2028, to determine the SCFA and SEFA deposit amounts annually for the upcoming school year, as provided. The bill would require the

Controller to transfer an amount of money from the General Fund to the SCFA Trust in those amounts. The bill would require any unused funds remaining in an SCFA or SEFA account on June 30 of each school year to be returned to the state for the benefit of elementary and secondary education, upon appropriation by the Legislature.

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**SCA 1 (Grove R) Educational expenses: school choice flex accounts and special education flex accounts.**

**Introduced:** 1/15/2025

**Location:** 1/15/2025-S. RLS.

**Summary:** The California Constitution requires the Legislature to provide for a system of common schools by which a free school is kept up and supported in each district at least 6 months in every year. The California Constitution prohibits public money from being appropriated for the support of any sectarian or denominational school or any school not under the exclusive control of the officers of the public schools. This measure, notwithstanding the constitutional provisions referenced above or any other provision of the California Constitution, would authorize the state, and every agency or political subdivision of the state, to disburse funds pursuant to an agreement between the state and a parent or legal guardian of an eligible child for tuition and education-related expenses associated with attending a private school serving students in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, irrespective of religious affiliation, as provided by statute, and provide tax or other public benefits to private schools serving students in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, irrespective of religious affiliation, to further the promotion of intellectual, scientific, moral, and agricultural improvement.

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**Total Measures: 10**

**Total Tracking Forms: 10**