**SEAC PRIORITIES FOR MONITORING/TESTIMONIES**

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| **Issue** | **Bill #** | **Title** | **Description** | **Status** | **Test** |
| ABA LICENSURE EXEMPTIONS | SB [805](https://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2022/bills/SB805_SD2_.PDF) | Relating to the Practice of Behavior Analysis | Makes the exemption from behavior analyst licensing requirements for certain teachers | Dead – HSTA opposed |  |
| ASTHMA EDUCATION | SB [2822](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2822&year=2022)  SD 1 | Relating to Asthma | Requires DOE to offer optional asthma education instruction to students and mandatory asthma training to teachers and others | Made it through House and Senate Committees | √ |
| CAREER DEVELOPMENT | [SB 2826 SD2](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2826&year=2022) | Relating to Education | Provides financial incentives for participating public high schools to encourage students enrolled in 9-12 grade to compete qualified industry-credential programs | Made it through House and Senate Committees |  |
| COMMUNITY SCHOOLS | [HB 1941](https://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/session2022/bills/HB1941_.pdf) | Relating to Education  (Community Schools) | Requires DOE to establish grant programs to provide funds for the planning and implementation of community schools | Awaiting a hearing in WAM | √ |
| EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS | SB [2701](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2701&year=2022)  SD 2 | Relating to Early Learning | Makes an appropriation to the Hawaii Early Childhood Educator Special Fund for 2022-23. | Made it through House and Senate Committees | √ |
| HARASSMENT OF AN EDUCATIONAL WORKER | HB 2125  HD2 | Relating to Official School Business | Creates the office of harassment of an educational worker for disrupting or interfering with the administration or function of any school, school administration office or school board | Deferred by Senate Education - DEAD |  |
| NEWBORN HEARING SCREENING | HB 986  HD1 SD1  HB 987 HD1 SD1 | Relating to Newborn Hearing Screening  Relating to Hearing & Vision Program | Requires diagnostic audiologic evaluation results of newborn hearing screening evaluations and to be provided to DOH  Amends the newborn hearing screening statute to mandate reporting of diagnostic audiologic evaluation results to improve hearing follow-up of infants. Updates definitions/terminology. | Made it through House and Senate Committees  Made it through House and Senate Committees |  |
| PRESCHOOL IDEA SERVICES | SB [2748](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2748&year=2022)  SD 2  SB 1140 SD 2 | Relating to IDEA | Requires DOH to submit a request to USDOE to allow parents of children with disabilities to continue receiving early intervention services after the child turns 3 until entering Kindergarten. | DEAD | √ |
| SEIZURE MANAGEMENT | SB [2071](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2071&year=2022)  SD 1  HB 2482 | Relating to Health  (Seizures) | Requires all principals, guidance counselors and teachers to perform self-review of seizure safety materials. Requires schools to have an employee trained to administer seizure rescue medication. Requires seizure action plan for every diagnosed student | DEAD | √  √ |
| STATE BUDGET | [HB 1600](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=HB&billnumber=1600&year=2022)  [S](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2176&year=2022) | Relating to the State Budget | Adjusts and requests appropriations for fiscal biennium 2021-2023 for operations of executive branch agencies and programs | WAM Budget Sheets out soon | √ |
| STUDENT GRANTS | HB [1834](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=HB&billnumber=1834&year=2022)  HD 2 | Relating to Education | DOE to establish a Strong Students grant pilot program to give grades for eligible education expenses to eligible students. | DEAD | M |
| SUMMER LEARNING PROGRAMS | SB [2818](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2818&year=2022)  SD 2  HD 1 | Relating to Summer Education | $ to establish the position of Summer Learning Coordinator within DOE | Made it through House and Senate Committees | M |
| TEACHER PAY | SB [2820](http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/measure_indiv.aspx?billtype=SB&billnumber=2820&year=2022)  SD 2  HD 1 | Relating to Teacher Compensation | Appropriates funds for various teacher pay differentials to help address various labor shortages | Made it through House and Senate Committees | √ |

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