

HB 25-1218: CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT & HIGHER EDUCATION COURSES

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Bill Outcome: Postponed Indefinitely **Version:** Final Fiscal Note **Drafting number:** LLS 25-0784 **Date:** May 14, 2025

Fiscal note status: This fiscal note reflects the introduced bill. This bill was postponed indefinitely by the House Education Committee on February 27, 2025; therefore, the impacts identified in this analysis do not take effect.

Summary Information

Overview. The bill would have allowed courses in certain direct admission pathway programs to be offered through concurrent enrollment.

Types of impacts. The bill would have affected the following areas on an ongoing basis:

• Institutions of Higher Education

• School Districts

Appropriations. No appropriation was required.

Table 1 State Fiscal Impacts

Type of Impact	Budget Year FY 2025-26	Out Year FY 2026-27
State Expenditures	\$0	\$0
Transferred Funds	\$0	\$0
Change in TABOR Refunds	\$0	\$0
Change in State FTE	0.0 FTE	0.0 FTE

Summary of Legislation

The bill allows higher education courses that are part of a direct admission pathway program into a science, technology, engineering, or math degree or credential program to be offered through concurrent enrollment.

Institutions of Higher Education

The bill may increase workload for institutions of higher education that offer direct admission pathway programs into science, technology, engineering or math fields to serve additional students. Tuition revenue may also increase from additional participating students. Workload and revenue impacts are expected to be minimal.

School District

School districts who choose to offer concurrent enrollment at institutions with eligible direct admission pathway programs will pay negotiated tuition rates to institutions for any additional students participating in concurrent enrollment.

Effective Date

The bill takes effect 90 days following adjournment of the General Assembly sine die, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

State and Local Government Contacts

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