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## Bill Summary

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### Overview

This bill increases the opportunities for prekindergarten students by authorizing charter schools to conduct certain early literacy programs. The bill also allows both school districts and charter schools to spend compensatory revenue on early literacy programs.

#### Section

- 1 State and local requirements; charter schools.** Changes the reference for those who are eligible for certain instructional services provided by charter schools from "people" to "students."
- 2 Establishment; school readiness programs.** Authorizes a charter school to provide a school readiness program either individually or as part of a collaborative effort with other charter schools and school districts.
- 3 Compensatory revenue; uses.** Adds to the list of eligible uses for compensatory revenue by allowing compensatory revenue to be used for developmentally appropriate early literacy programs for prekindergarten students.