

**Subject** Bird Hatching Projects

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## Summary

This bill prohibits bird hatching projects as part of a lesson or experimental study in a class or program, including a community education program, or in any cocurricular activity or extracurricular activity. It applies to both school districts and charter schools, but not to private schools.

Cocurricular activities are school-sponsored and directed activities designed to provide opportunities for students to participate in school and public events to improve their skills. They are not offered for school credit, do not count toward graduation, and are generally conducted during school hours, supervised by school staff, and partially funded by public funds for general instructional purposes.

Extracurricular activities are direct and personal services for students' enjoyment that are managed and operated under the guidance of an adult or staff member. They are not offered for school credit or required for graduation, are conducted outside of school hours, and the content is determined primarily by the students participating under the guidance of a staff member or other adult.