

## 2019 UEA Legislative Tracking Sheet

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**Position Key:** S=Support O=Oppose N=No Position C=Concept U=Unnecessary H=Hold for Further Study I=Recommended Interim Study W=Watch LI=Local Issues W/C=With Comments  
 EI=Economic Impact SNM=Support w/ New Money SA=Support Amendment OCA=Overreach of Constitutional Authority FC=Funding Concerns

### HIGHLIGHTED BILLS

Bill Link	Bill Title	Bill Sponsor	UEA Contact	Brief Description of Bill	UEA	USBA USSA	USBE	PTA	USEA	Issue Brief Links and Comments
<a href="#">HB120 S1</a>	Student and School Safety Assessment	R. Ward	SJ	This bill enacts provisions related to school safety.	S W/C		S	S	S	<a href="#">After a significant investment on the WPU.</a>
<a href="#">HB130 S1</a>	Public Education Exit Survey	C. Moss	SJ	This bill enacts provisions related to exit surveys for licensed public education employees.	S				S	
<a href="#">HB188</a>	T.H. Bell Program Amendments	L. Snow	SJ	This bill changes the Terrel H. Bell Teaching Incentive Loans Program from a loan program to a scholarship program; enacts provisions regarding the scholarship program, including provisions related to: eligibility for a scholarship; prioritization of a scholarship; and the amount and duration of a scholarship; and requires the State Board of Regents to make rules related to the scholarship program.	S			W	S	
<a href="#">HB198</a>	Education Accountability Amendments	M. Poulson	SJ	This bill amends provisions related to school overall ratings under the school accountability system.	S		S	S	S	
<a href="#">SB149</a>	Teacher and Student Success Act	A. Millner	SJ	This bill creates the Teacher and Student Success Program.					I	

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<a href="#">HB27</a>	Public Education Definitions Amendments	V. Peterson	SJ	This bill defines terms that apply to the public education code and amends provisions in the public education code related to defined terms.	N				N	
<a href="#">HB28</a>	Public Education Definitions Coordination	V. Peterson	SJ	This bill amends provisions in the public education code related to defined terms.	N				N	
<a href="#">HB29 S1</a>	Special Education Recodification	V. Peterson	SJ	This bill repeals outdated provisions related to special education; reorganizes, redrafts and updates existing provisions related to special education.	N				N	
<a href="#">HB47</a>	Early Childhood Coordination Amendments	L. Snow	SJ	This bill creates the Early Childhood Utah Advisory Council and the Governor's Early Childhood Commission.	S			S	S	
<a href="#">HB48 S2</a>	School Trust Fund Modifications	J. Moss	JB	This bill amends provisions related to school and institutional trust fund management, advocacy and distribution of funds.	S			S	S	
<a href="#">HB49</a>	Repatriation Transition Tax Amendments	S. Eliason	JB	This bill modifies corporate income tax provisions relating to deferred foreign income.	S				S	
<a href="#">HB64 S2</a>	Lobbyist Expenditures Amendments	M. McKell	CC	This bill requires a lobbyist to file certain reports related to the lobbyist's expenditure on a local official or education official; establishes limits for a lobbyist's expenditures on a local official or education official.	W				W	
<a href="#">HB71</a>	Health Education Amendments	R. Ward	CC	This bill provides that health education instruction may include information about the medical characteristics, effectiveness and limitations of contraceptive methods or devices; reorganizes provisions related to instruction in health; requires the State Board of Education to make administrative rules; and makes technical and conforming changes.				S	N	
<a href="#">HB81 S1</a>	School Counselor Services	S. Pulsipher	SJ	This bill directs the State Board of Education to adopt rules regarding certain services provided by school counselors; and prohibiting school counselors from certain activities.	LI			S	LI	
<a href="#">HB88</a>	Statewide Initiative Process Amendments	M. Nelson	CC	This bill amends provisions related to signatures for a statewide initiative petition.	S				S	
<a href="#">HB92</a>	Violence Data Study	S. Pulsipher	SJ	This bill establishes a grant award for a violence data study.	S W/C				W	<a href="#">Need clear definition of terms.</a>
<a href="#">HB102</a>	Campaign Funds Uses Amendments	S. Pitcher	CC	This bill permits a candidate for public office to use campaign funds to pay childcare expenses while the candidate is engaged in campaign activity.	S W/C				W	<a href="#">Identical bill HB129 passed committee.</a>
<a href="#">HB103</a>	Utah Intergenerational Poverty Work and Self-sufficiency Tax Credit	R. Spendlove	JB	This bill enacts a state earned income tax credit.	S			S	S	
<a href="#">HB118</a>	Incentives for Statewide Assessment Performance	M. Winder	SJ	This bill allows a school district or charter school to use a student's score on certain assessments to improve the student's academic grade or demonstrate the student's competency; prohibits a local education agency from providing a nonacademic reward to a student for taking certain assessments.	S			S	S	
<a href="#">HB119</a>	Initiatives, Referenda and Other Political Activities	B. Daw	CC	This bill amends provisions of the Election Code relating to initiatives, referenda and political activities of public entities.					N	

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<a href="#">HB129 S1</a>	Campaign Amendments	C. Hall	CC	This bill permits a candidate for public office to use campaign funds to pay childcare expenses while the candidate is engaged in campaign activity and permits an officeholder to use campaign funds to pay childcare expenses while the officeholder is engaging in officeholder activities.	S				S	
<a href="#">HB131</a>	Political Committees Amendments	B. Daw	CC	This bill amends provisions related to financial reporting requirements for a political action committee and a political issues committee.					N	
<a href="#">HB133</a>	Initiative Amendments	B. Daw	CC	This bill modifies provisions relating to statewide initiatives.	O				O	
<a href="#">HB145</a>	Citizen Political Process Amendments	N. Thurston	CC	This bill amends initiative and referendum provisions and nomination petition provisions.	O				O	
<a href="#">HB146</a>	Concurrent Enrollment Amendments	S. Pulsipher	JB	This bill amends requirements for a student to be eligible to participate in concurrent enrollment.				S	N	
<a href="#">HB164</a>	Local Boards and Councils Structure Amendments	J. Stenquist	CC	This bill requires a certain minimum number of members of municipal, county, limited purpose local government entity and local school district boards, councils and commissions to be elected at-large.	O				O	
<a href="#">HB168</a>	School Bus Safety Requirements	C. Hall	CC	This bill modifies the Traffic Code by requiring a new school bus purchased after June 30, 2020, to be equipped with seatbelts.	W				W/C	
<a href="#">HB195</a>	Initiative and Referendum Amendments	S. Handy	CC	This bill amends provisions relating to a statewide initiative or referendum.	S				W	
<a href="#">HB208</a>	Safe Routes to School Program	S. Harrison	CC	This bill requires the Department of Transportation to implement a program to provide safe routes to school.	S		S	S	W	
<a href="#">HB213</a>	Promotion of Student Loan Forgiveness	S. Duckworth	CC	This bill enacts the Promotion of Student Loan Forgiveness Programs Act.	S				S	
<a href="#">HB217</a>	Open Carry Near Schools Amendments	J. Briscoe	CC	This bill prohibits carrying a dangerous weapon within 500 feet of an elementary or secondary school.	W			S	W	
<a href="#">HB227 S1</a>	Utah Computer Science Grant Act	J. Knotwell	JB	This bill creates the Computer Science for Utah Grant Program.	W				W	
<a href="#">HB236</a>	Teacher Salary Supplement Amendments	K. Christofferson	SJ	This bill amends provisions related to the Teacher Salary Supplement Program.	W				W	
<a href="#">HB242</a>	State Board of Education Revisions	M. Ballard	CC	This bill reduces the size and modifies the membership of the State Board of Education; provides that members of the State Board of Education are appointed by the governor, with the consent of the Senate; addresses board member terms, removal, and vacancies; provides for the transition from old board members to new board members; removes the State Board of Education from provisions in the Election Code.	O		O	O	O	
<a href="#">HB248</a>	Education Fund Designation Ratio	M. Judkins	JB	This bill provides that no more than 15% of Education Fund revenue may be designated for higher education.	SC			S	SC	

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<a href="#">HB250 S1</a>	School Fee Revisions	K. Lisonbee	JB	This bill amends provisions related to school fees.	S				S	
<a href="#">HB260 S1</a>	Access Utah Promise Scholarship Program	D. Owens	SJ	This bill creates the Access Utah Promise Scholarship Program and repeals certain other scholarship programs.					W	
<a href="#">HB273</a>	School Fees Modifications	A. Robertson	JB	This bill amends provisions related to school fees.	O				O	
<a href="#">HB282</a>	Utah Personal Exemption Amendments	T. Quinn	JB	This bill modifies the calculation of the Utah personal exemption for purposes of the taxpayer tax credit.	O				O	
<a href="#">HB286</a>	Financial and Economic Literacy Education Amendments	J. Moss	SJ	This bill amends provisions related to financial and economic literacy education.			S		N	
<a href="#">HB291</a>	Concurrent Enrollment Modifications	M. Winder		This bill amends provisions related to the qualifications for an LEA employee to be an eligible instructor for a concurrent enrollment course.					W	
<a href="#">HB303</a>	School Community Council Amendments	K. Stratton		This bill modifies provisions related to the School LAND Trust Program.	S				S	
<a href="#">HB309</a>	Elections Modifications	M. McKell	CC	This bill amends provisions relating to signature-gathering for a candidate.	S				S	
<a href="#">HB327</a>	School Information Systems Amendments Bill Text	M. Ballard	JB	This bill requires the State Board of Education to implement an end-to-end system for collecting and reporting public education information.					N	
<a href="#">HB340</a>	School Absenteeism and Truancy Amendments	L. Snow		This bill amends provisions related to truancy.					N	
<a href="#">HB344</a>	Student Asthma Relief Amendments	M. Wheatley		This bill enacts provisions governing the administration of stock albuterol by certain entities to an individual.					N	
<a href="#">HCR9</a>	Concurrent Resolution Commending Jordan School District on its Fleet of Natural Gas School Buses	C. Acton	CC	This resolution commends Jordan School District for its contribution to improved public health and fiscal responsibility through acquiring school buses that operate on compressed natural gas.	S				W	
<a href="#">HCR14</a>	Concurrent Resolution Encouraging High Expectations for Students with Disabilities	R. Spendlove	JB	This resolution describes the benefits students of all abilities obtain when students with disabilities participate in general education classrooms; and encourages all stakeholders in the educational system to have and maintain high expectations for all students, including students with disabilities.	S			S	S	
<a href="#">HJR13 S2</a>	Proposal to Amend Utah Constitution -- State Board of Education	M. Ballard	CC	This joint resolution of the Legislature proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to modify a provision relating to the State Board of Education.	O		O	O	O	

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<a href="#">HJR18</a>	Joint Rules Resolution on Base Budgeting Provisions	J. Moss	JB	This resolution modifies joint rules related to base budgeting.	U				W	
<a href="#">SB1</a>	Public Education Base Budget Amendments	L. Hillyard	JB	This bill provides appropriations for the use and support of school districts, charter schools and state education agencies; sets the value of the weighted pupil unit (WPU) initially at \$3,395 for fiscal year 2020; provides appropriations for other purposes as described.	S				S	
<a href="#">SB14 S2</a>	Education Reporting Requirements	A. Millner	SJ	This bill amends provisions related to education reports.	N				N	
<a href="#">SB15 S1</a>	Education Recodification Repealers	A. Millner	SJ	This bill repeals public education code provisions.	N				N	
<a href="#">SB37</a>	Interventions for Reading Difficulties Sunset Amendments	A. Millner	SJ	This bill amends the Interventions for Reading Difficulties Pilot Program, including extending the sunset date.	S				S	
<a href="#">SB55 S1</a>	Charter Trust Land Council Amendments	L. Escamilla	JB	This bill permits grandparents of students enrolled in a charter school to serve on the charter school's charter trust land council.	S				S	
<a href="#">SB61</a>	Poll Hours for Early Voting	J. Iwamoto	CC	This bill removes the poll hour closing requirement on the last day of early voting.	S				S	
<a href="#">SB106</a>	Mental Health Services in Schools	L. Fillmore	SJ	This bill enacts provisions relating to coverage of certain mental health services by the Medicaid program and certain health insurers.	S			S	S	
<a href="#">SB108 S1</a>	Modifications to Government Records Provisions	W. Harper	SJ	This bill modifies provisions of the Government Records Access and Management Act.					N	
<a href="#">SB112</a>	Public Education Information Systems Uniformity Act	J. Anderegg	JB	This bill requires the State Board of Education to have a system for collecting and reporting public education data.	S W/C		S		W	<a href="#">One-time money.</a>
<a href="#">SB115 S1</a>	High-need School Amendments	K. Riebe	SJ	This bill provides for grants to local education agencies to employ additional educators in high-need schools.	S			W	S	
<a href="#">SB143</a>	Public Education Vision Screening	L. Escamilla	CC	This bill modifies provisions regarding public education vision screening.					N	
<a href="#">SB164</a>	Student Data Privacy Amendments	J. Anderegg	JB	This bill repeals provisions related to the State Board of Education sharing student data.					W	
<a href="#">SB166</a>	School Readiness Amendments	A. Millner		This bill amends and enacts preschool provisions.					N	
<a href="#">SB173</a>	Dual Language Immersion Amendments	J. Anderegg		This bill requires the State Board of Education to establish a pilot program related to dual language immersion.					W	

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<a href="#">SB177</a>	Scholarships for Special Needs Students	L. Fillmore		This bill creates the Special Needs Opportunity Scholarship Program and related income tax credits.						
<a href="#">SCR3</a>	Concurrent Resolution Regarding the Public Employees' Health Plans	D. Hemmert	JB	This concurrent resolution directs the Public Employees' Benefit and Insurance Program to offer certain benefits with respect to employee health benefit packages.	W				W	