

Subject Academic standards

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Summary

An academic standard is a summary description of student learning in a content area. The commissioner of education is required to review and revise academic standards in the following areas on a ten-year cycle: language arts, math, science, social studies, physical education, and the arts. The commissioner must consider advice from stakeholders in developing standards and use the rulemaking process to adopt the standards.

This bill requires the commissioner of education to suspend review and revision of academic standards, review the current standards for relevance and rigor, and report to the legislature on whether to modify the ten-year cycle.