

Subject Holocaust and Genocide Education

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Overview

This bill requires schools to offer education on the Holocaust, genocide of Indigenous Peoples, and other genocides in the middle and high school social studies curriculum. It also establishes a working group to identify resources for implementing these requirements, and appropriates money for implementation.

Summary

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| 1 | <p>Holocaust and genocide education.</p> <p>Subd. 1. Definitions. Defines terms.</p> <p>Subd. 2. Requirements. Requires a school district to offer Holocaust and genocide education as part of its social studies curriculum for middle and high school. Requires specific elements to be included in social studies curriculum. Encourages school districts to include Holocaust, genocide of Indigenous Peoples, other genocides, and incidents of mass violence in middle and high school English language arts curriculum. Requires a school district to provide Holocaust and genocide education in middle school and high school curriculum by the 2024-2025 school year in accordance with rules on social studies standards and benchmarks.</p> |
| 2 | <p>Holocaust and Genocide Education Working Group.</p> <p>Establishes a working group to develop resources necessary to implement Holocaust and genocide education requirements. Specifies members of the working group, and duties of the working group, including identifying training materials, professional learning opportunities, and other resources. Requires the working group to report to the legislature by November 15, 2025.</p> |
| 3 | <p>Appropriations.</p> <p>Appropriates money for the Holocaust and Genocide Education Working Group; implementation or education on the Holocaust, genocide of Indigenous Peoples, and</p> |

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other genocides; and for education on the Holocaust, genocide of Indigenous Peoples, and other genocides professional learning grants.



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