

HUMAN EMBRYOLOGIC AND FETAL DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION LANGUAGE BEFORE THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE 2026

PERTINENT PARTS OF SB 1090 – EDUCATION

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195 (3) HEALTH ISSUES.—

196 (d) Reproductive health and disease education.—A public

197 school student, only with prior written consent by his or her

198 parent or guardian ~~whose parent makes written request~~ to the

199 school principal, shall be provided instruction in ~~exempted from~~

200 ~~the teaching of~~ reproductive health or any disease, including

201 HIV/AIDS, in accordance with s. 1003.42(5).

202 1. Each school district shall, on the district’s website

203 homepage, notify parents of this right and the process to

204 provide or withhold consent ~~request an exemption~~. The homepage

205 must include a link for a student’s parent to access and review

206 the instructional materials, as defined in s. 1006.29(2), used

207 to teach the curriculum.

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717 Comprehensive age-appropriate and developmentally

718 appropriate K-12 instruction on:

719 1. Health education that addresses concepts of community

720 health, consumer health, environmental health, and family life,

721 including:

722 a. Injury prevention and safety.

723 b. Internet safety.

724 c. Nutrition.

725 d. Personal health.

726 e. Prevention and control of disease.

727 f. Substance use and abuse.

728 g. Prevention of child sexual abuse, exploitation, and

729 human trafficking.

730 h. Human embryologic and fetal development.

771 6. For students in grades 6 through 12, health education

772 addressing human embryologic and fetal development, including:

773 a. A high-definition ultrasound video, at least 1 minute in

774 duration, showing the development of the heart and other organs

775 and movement of the limbs and head; and

776 b. A high-quality, computer-generated rendering, animation,

777 video, or other multimedia, at least 3 minutes in duration,

778 showing and describing the process of fertilization and various

779 stages of human development inside the uterus, noting

780 significant markers in cell growth and organ development, by

781 week, from conception until birth.

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845 (u). The State
846 Board of Education may adopt rules to implement the provisions
847 of this section regarding health education addressing human
848 embryologic and fetal development.

PERTINENT PARTS OF HB 1071 – EDUCATION

(3) HEALTH ISSUES.—

138 (d) Reproductive health and disease education.—A public
139 school student whose parent makes written request to the school
140 principal shall be exempted from the teaching of reproductive
141 health, including instruction in human embryologic and fetal
142 development under s. 1003.42(2)(o)6., or any disease, including
143 HIV/AIDS, in accordance with s. 1003.42(5).

144 1. Each school district ~~must~~ shall on the district's
145 website homepage, notify parents of this right and the process
146 to request an exemption. The homepage must include a link for a
147 student's parent to access and review the instructional
148 materials, as defined in s. 1006.29(2), used to teach the
149 curriculum.

530 Health education that addresses concepts of community
531 health, consumer health, environmental health, and family life,
532 including:

- 533 a. Injury prevention and safety.
- 534 b. Internet safety.
- 535 c. Nutrition.
- 536 d. Personal health.

537 e. Prevention and control of disease.

538 f. Substance use and abuse.

539 g. Prevention of child sexual abuse, exploitation, and

540 human trafficking.

541 h. Human embryologic and fetal development.

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582 6.a. For students in grades 6 through 12, health education

583 addressing human embryologic and featal development must include

584 all of the following:

585 (I) A high-definition untrasound video, at least 1 minute

586 in duration, showing the development of the heart and other

587organs and movement of the limbs and head.

588 (II) A high-quality, computer-generated rendering,

589 animation, video, or other multimedia, at least 3 minutes in

590 duration, showing and describing the process of fertilization

591 and various states of human development inside the uterus,

592 noting significant markers in cell growth and organ development

593 by week from conception until birth.

594 b. The State Board of Education may adopt rules to

595 implement this paragraph.

607 (5) Each school shall provide a notification to parents

608 relating to a parent's right to make a ~~Any student whose parent~~

609 ~~makes~~ written request to the school principal for his or her

610 ~~student to shall~~ be exempted from the teaching of reproductive

611 health or any disease, including HIV/AIDS, its symptoms,

612 development, and treatment ~~or the teaching of human embryologic~~

613 and fetal development under subparagraph (o)6. A student so
614 exempted may not be penalized by reason of that exemption.
615 Course descriptions for comprehensive health education may st
616 not interfere with the local determination of appropriate
617 curriculum which reflects local values and concerns. Each school
618 district shall, on the district's website homepage, notify
619 parents of this right and the process to request an exemption.
620 The home page must include a link for a student's parent to
621 access and review the instructional materials, as defined in s.
622 1006.29(2), used to teach the curriculum.