



HOUSE BILL 12: Address Pandemic Learning Loss/Counties.

2021-2022 General Assembly

Committee:	House State Government. If favorable, re-refer to Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House	Date:	April 20, 2021
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OVERVIEW: *House Bill 12 is a local that would provide school calendar flexibility for Alamance-Burlington Schools and Guilford County Schools until the conclusion of the 2022-2023 school year. The Proposed Committee Substitute added Guilford County Schools to the bill.*

CURRENT LAW: G.S. 115C-84.2 provides that, with certain exceptions, the opening date for students in a school calendar must be no earlier than the Monday closest to August 26, and the closing date for students must be no later than the Friday closest to June 11.

BILL ANALYSIS: House Bill 12 would exempt Alamance-Burlington Schools and Guilford County Schools from the opening and closing date requirements of G.S. 115C-84.2, providing their respective school boards with flexibility to determine opening and closing dates for students through the conclusion of the 2022-2023 school year.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The bill would be effective when it becomes law and would expire at the conclusion of the 2022-2023 school year.

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