

Senate File 132 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the determination of preschool budget
2 enrollment for the budget year beginning July 1, 2021, and
3 including effective date provisions.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 256C.5, subsection 1, paragraph c, Code
2 2021, is amended to read as follows:

3 c. *"Preschool budget enrollment"* means the figure that is
4 equal to fifty percent of the actual enrollment of eligible
5 students in the preschool programming provided by a school
6 district approved to participate in the preschool program on
7 October 1 of the base year, or the first Monday in October if
8 October 1 falls on a Saturday or Sunday. However, for the
9 budget year beginning July 1, 2021, only, "preschool budget
10 enrollment" for each school district means the greater of the
11 amount equal to the preschool budget enrollment for the budget
12 year beginning July 1, 2020, or the figure that is equal to
13 fifty percent of the actual enrollment of eligible students
14 in the preschool programming provided by a school district
15 approved to participate in the preschool program on October 1
16 of the base year.

17 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate
18 importance, takes effect upon enactment.

19 EXPLANATION

20 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
21 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

22 For purposes of calculating each school district's preschool
23 foundation aid under Code chapter 256C, "preschool budget
24 enrollment" is defined to mean the figure that is equal to 50
25 percent of the actual enrollment of eligible students in the
26 preschool programming provided by a school district approved to
27 participate in the preschool program on October 1 of the base
28 year, or the first Monday in October if October 1 falls on a
29 Saturday or Sunday.

30 This bill provides that for the budget year beginning
31 July 1, 2021, only, "preschool budget enrollment" for each
32 school district means the greater of the amount equal to the
33 preschool budget enrollment for the budget year beginning July
34 1, 2020, or the figure that is equal to 50 percent of the actual
35 enrollment of eligible students in the preschool programming

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1 provided by a school district approved to participate in the
2 preschool program on October 1 of the base year.

3 The bill takes effect upon enactment.