

**Senate File 80 - Introduced**

SENATE FILE 80  
BY SINCLAIR

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to actions taken by school districts concerning  
2 student pronoun preference.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 279.73 Student pronoun preference  
2 — notification and disclosure.

3 If a student in a school district will be asked by a school  
4 employee or in a school communication to identify the pronoun  
5 by which the student prefers to be called, or will be asked to  
6 take a survey on pronoun preference, the school district shall  
7 provide written notification of such action to the parent or  
8 guardian of the student at least one week before such action  
9 occurs. After the identification or survey has occurred, the  
10 school district shall provide the student's identification  
11 or survey response to the student's parent or guardian upon  
12 request.

13 EXPLANATION

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

16 This bill requires a school district, if a student will be  
17 asked by a school employee or in a school communication to  
18 identify the pronoun by which the student prefers to be called,  
19 or will be asked to take a survey on pronoun preference, to  
20 provide written notification of such action to the parent or  
21 guardian of the student at least one week before such action  
22 occurs. After the identification or survey has occurred, the  
23 bill requires the school district to provide the student's  
24 identification or survey response to the student's parent or  
25 guardian upon request.