THE REVISED SCHOOL CODE (EXCERPT) Act 451 of 1976

***** 380.1166b.added THIS ADDED SECTION IS EFFECTIVE 91 DAYS AFTER ADJOURNMENT OF THE 2022 REGULAR SESSION SINE DIE *****

380.1166b.added Free enterprise and entrepreneurship instruction programs.

Sec. 1166b. (1) Beginning with the 2023-2024 school year, the board of a school district or board of directors of a public school academy is encouraged to ensure that the school district's or public school academy's social studies curriculum for grades 9 to 12 includes a program of instruction in free enterprise and entrepreneurship.

- (2) Subsection (1) does not preclude a school district or public school academy from including instruction described in subsection (1) in other subject areas or grade levels.
- (3) A program of instruction under this section must be project-based and may provide instruction on any of the following subjects:
- (a) Business vocabulary, including, at least, entrepreneurship, free enterprise, business finance, goods and services, and innovation.
 - (b) Entrepreneurs from this state and around the world.
 - (c) Action activities, including, at least, setting short-term and long-term goals.
- (d) Business basics, including, at least, taxes for businesses and corporations, essential skills for business owners, and product- and service-based business ideas.
 - (e) Creating a student project-based business plan.
- (4) As used in this section, "entrepreneur" means an individual who organizes and operates a business or businesses and takes on greater than normal financial risk to do so.

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