

An act relating to pupil instruction, and making an appropriation therefor,
to take effect immediately, bill related to the budget.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. (a) This section shall be known, and may be cited, as the A-G Success Initiative.

(b) The sum of four million dollars (\$4,000,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the University of California for the purposes of this section.

(c) The moneys appropriated in subdivision (b) shall be used for the development of at least 45 high-quality online middle school and high school classes and curriculum that would be approved by the University of California for purposes of satisfying the “a-g” subject requirements.

(d) As a condition of receiving the moneys appropriated in subdivision (b), the University of California shall do all of the following:

(1) Solicit comments from the representatives of local educational agencies regarding the specific classes and curriculum to be developed pursuant to subdivision (c).

(2) No later than January 1, 2017, submit a report to the Director of Finance, the President of the State Board of Education, and the Legislature, pursuant to Section 9795 of the Government Code, on the specific classes and curriculum selected for development.

(3) Commit to making the online classes and curriculum developed pursuant to this section available no later than January 1, 2018.

SEC. 2. This act is a bill providing for appropriations related to the Budget Bill within the meaning of subdivision (e) of Section 12 of Article IV of the California

Constitution, has been identified as related to the budget in the Budget Bill, and shall take effect immediately.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

Bill No.

as introduced, _____.

General Subject: Pupil instruction: online course development: A-G Success Initiative.

Existing law requires the California State University, and requests the University of California, to establish a model uniform set of academic standards for high school courses for purposes of recognition for admission to the California State University and to the University of California, respectively. These uniform set of academic standards are commonly referred to as the "a-g" subject requirements.

This bill would establish the A-G Success Initiative and would appropriate the sum of \$4,000,000 from the General Fund to the University of California to be used for the development of at least 45 high-quality online middle school and high school classes and curriculum that would be approved by the University of California for purposes of satisfying the "a-g" subject requirements. The bill would condition the receipt of these moneys on the University of California soliciting comments from the representatives of local educational agencies regarding the specific classes and curriculum to be developed, submitting a report, no later than January 1, 2017, to the Legislature and specified persons on the specific classes and curriculum selected for development, and committing to make the online classes and curriculum developed available no later than January 1, 2018.

This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as a bill providing for appropriations related to the Budget Bill.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: yes. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

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