

S.F. No. 2067 – Administration of Nationally Recognized College Entrance Exam (as amended by scs2067a-1 amendment)

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Section 1. **Testing process.** Limits the Minnesota Comprhensive Assessments (MCAs) to grades 3 through 8 and allows for a nationally recognized college entrance exam to be administered to high school students in grade 11 or 12.

- Sec. 2. **Test administration.** Directs the Department of Education to contract with a provider of a nationally recognized college entrance exam to satisfy the statewide testing requirements or federal accountability requirements for testing beginning in the 2026-2027 school year.
- Sec. 3. **Parent review.** Directs the commissioner to make a webpage available to students and their parents that provides information on the content, structure, and uses of the nationally recognized college entrance exam.
- Sec. 4. **College entrance exam.** Requires the commissioner to adopt a nationally recognized college entrance exam and provide it at no cost to high school students. Directs the commissioner to use the exam to satisfy federal educational accountability requirements in English language arts, math, and science. Allows a school district to administer the college entrance exam to satisfy federal accountability requirements in English language arts, math, and science.
- Sec. 5. **Developing assessments.** Requires the commissioner to provide high school students with the opportunity to take the nationally recognized college entrance exam that assesses science skills.
- Sec. 6. **Targeted instruction plan.** Requires school districts to provide an 11th or 12th grade student with the opportunity to take a nationally recognized college entrance exam.
- Sec. 7. **Reporting requirements.** Allows the commissioner to use data obtained from the nationally recognized college entrance exam and vertically aligned assessments in 8th and 10th grades to establish the criteria and report on student trajectories towards career and college readiness.
- Sec. 8. **ACT or SAT college ready score.** Strikes the reference to the MCA college and career benchmarks.

Sec. 9. ACT or SAT career and college ready scores; remedial education. Strikes the reference to MCA benchmark and replaces it with ACT or SAT score.

Sec. 10. **Repealer.** Repeals Minnesota Statute, section 120B.302, subdivision 2 (comprehensive assessment system).