



HOUSE BILL 236: School Calendar Alignment/Carteret.

2023-2024 General Assembly

Committee:	House Education - K-12. If favorable, re-refer to Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House	Date:	March 14, 2023
Introduced by:	Rep. Cairns	Prepared by:	Drupti Chauhan Committee Counsel
Analysis of:	PCS to First Edition H236-CSRQ-5		

OVERVIEW: *House Bill 236 would allow the local board of education of Carteret County Schools to align their school calendar with the calendar of the community college serving the city or county in which their local school administrative unit (LEA) is located. This change would occur beginning with the 2023-2024 school year.*

The Proposed Committee Substitute changes the short title of the bill from "School Calendar Flexibility/Carteret" to "School Calendar Alignment/Carteret".

CURRENT LAW: G.S. 115C-84.2 provides that, with certain exceptions, the opening date for students in a school calendar must be no earlier than the Monday closest to August 26, and the closing date for students must be no later than the Friday closest to June 11.

BILL ANALYSIS: The PCS for House Bill 236 is a local bill that would allow the local board of education of Carteret County Schools to align its LEA's school calendar with the calendar of the community college that serves the city or county in which their LEA is located. This change would occur beginning with the 2023-2024 school year.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The bill is effective when it becomes law and applies beginning with the 2023-2024 school year.

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