

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 808

Short Title: Modify Year-Round School Definition. (Public)

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Referred to: Education - K-12, if favorable, Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House

May 4, 2021

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DEFINITION OF YEAR-ROUND SCHOOL.
3 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

4 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 115C-84.2(f)(5) reads as rewritten:

5 "(5) Year-round school. – A school with a single- or multi-track instructional
6 calendar to provide instructional days throughout the entire school calendar
7 year, beginning July 1 and ending June 30, by utilizing at least one of the
8 following plans:

- 9 a. A plan dividing students into four groups and requiring each group to
10 be in school for assigned and staggered quarters each school calendar
11 year.
12 b. A plan providing students be scheduled to attend ~~45-four quarters of~~
13 ~~between 43 and 47 instructional days followed by 15 days of vacation,~~
14 ~~repeated throughout the each school calendar year-year, with vacation~~
15 ~~periods for students of between 14 and 18 days separating each~~
16 ~~quarter.~~
17 c. A plan dividing the school calendar year into five nine-week sessions
18 of classes and requiring each student to attend four assigned and
19 staggered sessions out of the five nine-week sessions to complete the
20 student's instructional year."

21 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law and applies beginning with
22 the 2021-2022 school year.



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