

STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

March 13, 2026

Introduced by M. of A. HYNDMAN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Education

AN ACT to amend the education law, in relation to the participation of home-schooled pupils in certain school activities

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. Section 806-a of the education law is amended by adding a
2 new subdivision 3 to read as follows:

3 3. Whenever such course of instruction is offered within a district, a
4 child residing within that district but not attending the school at
5 which such course is offered, may be allowed to participate in such
6 course, provided such child otherwise meets the requirements of such
7 course and pays fees related to such course, if any.

8 § 2. The education law is amended by adding a new section 3202-a to
9 read as follows:

10 § 3202-a. Participation of home-schooled students in athletic activ-
11 ities. Whenever a district shall offer an interscholastic athletic
12 activity, a child residing within such district but not attending such
13 school, may be allowed an opportunity to participate in such athletic
14 activity; provided, that such child is not a pupil at another school
15 within such district.

16 § 3. This act shall take effect on the one hundred twentieth day after
17 it shall have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets
[-] is old law to be omitted.

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