

**SENATE
STATE OF MINNESOTA
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Introduction and first reading
Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act
1.2 relating to education; encouraging school districts to educate students on climate
1.3 change; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 120B.

1.4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.5 Section 1. [120B.25] CLIMATE CHANGE.

1.6 A school district is encouraged to include practical, age-appropriate instruction on climate
1.7 change in its kindergarten through grade 12 curriculum. Examples of practical,
1.8 age-appropriate instruction include starting a school garden or composting.

1.9 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective for the 2021-2022 school year and later.