

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2021 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **House Bill 2870**

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[Introduced March 03, 2021; Referred to the  
Committee on Education]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section,  
2 designated §18-2B-9, relating to vocation program enrollment.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

**ARTICLE 2B. AREA VOCATIONAL PROGRAM.**

**§18-2B-9 Participation by Private School Students.**

1 Any county which participates in the operation of a multicounty vocational center shall  
2 allow participation by local private school students of the appropriate grades, as determined by  
3 the State Board, if there is space available during that school calendar year: *Provided, That*  
4 preference was given to accommodate all participating public schools' students.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to make vocational classes available to private school students of the appropriate grades as space is available.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.