

HB 1607 -- A+ Schools Program

Sponsor: Schneider

Currently, a student who qualifies for the A+ Schools Program must attend a public community college, vocational, or technical school. This bill permits qualified students to attend private, not-for-profit vocational and technical schools accredited by the North Central Association. Reimbursements at these schools must not exceed the community college tuition rate for similar course work offered within the service area of a community college or violate the constitutional provisions that prohibit the use of public funds for religious purposes.