

HB 1215 -- Physical Education Classes in Primary Grades

Sponsor: Baker (25)

Beginning in the 2008-2009 school year, this bill establishes requirements for physical education classes for students in kindergarten through fifth grade. The amount of physical activity and the kinds of health self-assessment skills students will learn are specified. School districts will use business and community partnerships to provide resources to reward schools for improved health; and each year the Commissioner of Education will recognize students, schools, and districts that have achieved improved fitness.