



## 2021-2022 STATE AFFAIRS TOPICS

### Education

1. Inclusion of Technical or Skill Based Courses in grades 9-12
2. Personalized Learning Approach to Curriculum
3. School Meals
4. Overrepresentation of Black and Latino Youth School Arrests
5. Reforming Texas Curriculum
6. Incorporating Technology in Public Schools
7. Sexual Assaults on College Campuses
8. Sex Education Reform

### Civil Liberties

9. Vaccination Requirements
10. LGBTQ+ Rights and Protections
11. Free Speech and Expression
12. Homelessness in Texas
13. Voting Rights in Texas
14. Gerrymandering in Texas
15. Family Separation at the Texas Mexico Border

### Technology

16. Privacy Protection from Data Mining
17. Location Tracking for Collection and Sale to Companies
18. Regulating the Sale of Arsenal Weapons
19. Rural Broadband Access

### Health

20. Healthcare worker burnout
21. Pathogen Containment Protocol Mandate
22. Genetic Modification of Humans
23. Mental Healthcare Access
24. Water Accessibility in Lacking Areas
25. Reproductive Rights
26. Foster Care Reform

### Environment

27. Increased Electronic and/or Plastic Waste
28. Fracking Regulations
29. Renewable Energy Implementation
30. Climate Change
31. Texas Infrastructure

### Economy

32. Universal/Single Payer Healthcare Reform
33. Paid leave (Maternity/Paternity/Family Leave)
34. Expansion of Welfare to Undocumented Workers
35. Minimum Wage in Texas
36. Unemployment in Texas
37. Sex-worker Laws

*\*Topics #1 - #37 are in regards to Texas Legislation*

### National and Foreign Policy

38. ICE and Border Patrol Policies
39. Police Brutality
40. Space Exploration
41. Sino-American Trade War
42. Medical Intellectual Property Protections
43. Political Status of U.S. Territories
44. Israel-Palestine Conflict