



# TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT

## YMCA TEXAS YOUTH AND GOVERNMENT 2021 Legislative Bills Signed into Law

In our efforts to make the program model the real Legislature as closely as possible, we consider a bill that is either signed by the Governor or vetoed with a subsequent override of the veto to have been "enacted into law" for the following Youth and Government program year. Therefore, just as the real Legislature would not consider a bill that would enact a preexisting law, we do not want our Legislature to consider any bills that would enact laws that we "enacted" in the previous year. This list of banned topics below is an extension of the rule in that a newly written Youth and Government bill cannot enact a law that already exists.

### HIGH SCHOOL BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR Vivienne Garner:

Governor Action	Bill #	Bill	Author	Club/ District
Signed	FS 003	An act mandating electoral college votes be cast for the presidential candidate respective to the winner of that specific district and declaring an emergency.	Burnside	Sachse High School
Signed	FS 010	An act concerning the labeling of foods containing MSG and declaring an emergency.	Johnston	Richardson High School
Signed	FS 015	An act to criminalize online doxing and declaring an emergency.	McBride	Glenn High School
Signed	FS 017	An act creating a public database for police brutality, abuse of power, and public complaints and declaring an emergency.	McGrew	Duncanville High School
Signed	FS 024	An act eliminating the graduation requirements for high school STAAR testing indefinitely and declaring an emergency.	Pedraja	Duncanville High School
Signed	FS 027	An act relating to the expansion of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department and declaring an emergency.	Regassa	Rockwall Heath High School
Signed	HB 006	An act declaring that Texas institute ranked choice voting and declaring an emergency.	Brenner	Richardson Homeschool Delegation High School
Signed	HB 009	An act banning the revoking of Teaching License for teachers choosing to strike and declaring an emergency.	Chuang	Boyd High School
Signed	HB 018	An act mandating facilitations for male victims within all registered domestic violence shelters and declaring an emergency.	Guda	Liberty High School
Signed	HB 020	An act mandating implicit bias workshops for all law enforcement officers and declaring an emergency.	Hussain	Liberty High School

MIDDLE SCHOOL BILLS SIGNED BY GOVERNOR DIYA HEGDE:

<b>Governor Action</b>	<b>Bill #</b>	<b>Bill</b>	<b>Author</b>	<b>Club/ District</b>
Signed	SB 023	An act abolishing the top 10% rule and declaring an emergency.	Nguyen	Austin Academy for Excellence
Signed	SB 005	An act preventing police brutality through the abolishment of qualified immunity and declaring an emergency.	Rana	Austin Academy for Excellence
Signed	HB 012	An act banning solitary confinement in Texas prisons and declaring an emergency.	Grant	Dowell Middle School
Signed	HB 019	An act mandating an addition of a workforce entry course for public high schools and declaring an emergency.	Mallampati	McKinney