

American Legion Auxiliary
New Mexico Girls State
Bill



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Simple Title of Bill: Early Dyslexia Intervention

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Relating to Dyslexia is defined as a neurological condition that effects a student's

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general education with early intervention and supports students can learn how to

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cope and deal with dyslexia. Therefore I am proposing early intervention and

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diagnosis of dyslexia in all elementary schools.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY NEW

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1 Dyslexia testing will be required in all first grade classes. With this proposal I would like to
2 see change in all elementary schools therefore students can be tested earlier. It is shown
3 that early interventions are necessary in success. What comes with early intervention is
4 also supports what also needs attention is the difference between dyslexia and special
5 needs we often categorize as the same although individuals who are dyslexic require
6 different supports such as text to audio individuals who are dyslexic do not need to
7 necessarily be in the same classroom separate from peers dyslexia is considered as a
8 neurological condition what is important is to know how to help students who have dyslexia
9 and also diagnose earlier on therefore students are not struggling when they are older.
10 When we provide necessary support and testing we create the leaders who then become
11 advocates of having dyslexia. Therefore the outcome that will hopefully occur is that
12 teachers and students both will be more successful.

13 When Someone is dyslexic there can be emotional and mental distress due to not knowing
14 how to cope with dyslexia with having this in mind early interventions can prevent this from
15 occurring this will not only be beneficial to the student but also the teacher in teaching
16 because they will know how to run there classroom to assist the students in a proper way.

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18 Funds will come from Department of Education.

19 Register diagnosticians in all first grade in order to diagnose dyslexia.

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21 All laws, acts, provisions, or parts of laws contained in the Constitution of the State of New
22 Mexico in conflict with any provision of this act are hereby repealed.