



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB3180

Introduced 2/18/2025, by Rep. Nicole La Ha

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

105 ILCS 5/14-19 new

Amends the Children with Disabilities Article of the School Code. Provides that a school shall provide written notice to the parents or guardian of a child with disabilities that the parents or guardian have the right to have an individualized education program (IEP) advocate present at any meeting regarding the child's current or prospective individualized education program and that the parents or guardian have the right to ask for an IEP facilitator for the child's IEP. Provides that the school may provide the written notification as a part of other provided documentation, including, but not limited to, admission and enrollment documents.

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STATE MANDATES
ACT MAY REQUIRE
REIMBURSEMENT

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning education.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The School Code is amended by adding Section
5 14-19 as follows:

6 (105 ILCS 5/14-19 new)

7 Sec. 14-19. Parental notice of right to IEP advocate and
8 facilitator. A school shall provide written notice to the
9 parents or guardian of a child with disabilities that the
10 parents or guardian have the right to have an individualized
11 education program (IEP) advocate present at any meeting
12 regarding the child's current or prospective individualized
13 education program and that the parents or guardian have the
14 right to ask for an IEP facilitator for the child's IEP. The
15 school may provide the written notification as a part of other
16 provided documentation, including, but not limited to,
17 admission and enrollment documents.