

1-1 By: Hall S.B. No. 112
1-2 (In the Senate - Filed November 12, 2024; February 3, 2025,
1-3 read first time and referred to Committee on Education K-16;
1-4 March 17, 2025, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 10,
1-5 Nays 0; March 17, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-8	Creighton	X		
1-9	Campbell	X		
1-10	Bettencourt	X		
1-11	Hagenbuch	X		
1-12	Hinojosa of Nueces	X		
1-13	King		X	
1-14	Menéndez	X		
1-15	Middleton	X		
1-16	Parker	X		
1-17	Paxton	X		
1-18	West	X		

1-19 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-20 AN ACT

1-21 relating to parental rights in public education.
1-22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
1-23 SECTION 1. Section 26.004(b), Education Code, is amended to
1-24 read as follows:

1-25 (b) A parent is entitled to access to all written or
1-26 electronic records of a school district concerning the parent's
1-27 child, including:
1-28 (1) attendance records;
1-29 (2) test scores;
1-30 (3) grades;
1-31 (4) disciplinary records;
1-32 (5) counseling records;
1-33 (6) psychological records;
1-34 (7) applications for admission;
1-35 (8) health and immunization information;
1-36 (9) teacher and school counselor evaluations;
1-37 (10) reports of behavioral patterns; and
1-38 (11) records relating to assistance provided for
1-39 learning difficulties, including information collected regarding
1-40 any intervention strategies used with the child.

1-41 SECTION 2. Section 26.009, Education Code, is amended by
1-42 amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (a-1) to read as
1-43 follows:

1-44 (a) Subject to Subsection (a-1), an [An] employee of a
1-45 school district must obtain the written consent of a child's parent
1-46 before the employee may:

1-47 (1) conduct a psychological examination, test, or
1-48 treatment;

1-49 (2) administer a student well-being questionnaire,
1-50 health care screening form, or survey[, unless the examination,
1-51 test, or treatment is required under Section 38.004 or state or
1-52 federal law regarding requirements for special education]; or

1-53 (3) ~~[(2)]~~ make or authorize the making of a videotape
1-54 of a child or record or authorize the recording of a child's voice.

1-55 (a-1) A parent's written consent is not required under
1-56 Subsection (a) if an examination, test, or treatment is required
1-57 under Section 38.004 or state or federal law regarding requirements
1-58 for special education.

1-59 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
1-60 a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
1-61 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this

2-1 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
2-2 Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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