



LEGISLATION BEING CONSIDERED BY THE CALIFORNIA STATE LEGISLATURE – FIRST LEGISLATIVE SESSION OF 2017-18

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 8/22/17)
California Assembly Bills								
Watch	AB 5 (Gonzalez & Kalra)	Would create the Opportunity to Work Act. Would require employer with 10 or more employees to offer additional hours of work to an existing nonexempt employee before hiring an additional employee or subcontractor.				CA Conf Bd of the Amalgamated Transit Union, CA Conf of Machinists, CFT, CA Immigrant Policy Center, CA Teamsters Public Affairs Council, Consumer Atts of CA, SEIU California UNITE HERE & more	ACT 1 Group, African American Farmers of CA, Agricultural Council of CA, American Fire Sprinkler Assoc, Associated Builders and Contractors – Northern CA, Chapter, Long Beach Area Chamber of Commerce, LA Area Chamber of Commerce & several other Chambers.	Introduced: 12/5/16 Committee on Appropriations Hearing: Postponed by Committee
Two-year bill 3	AB 11 (McCarty)	<i>Would establish the Early Childhood Innovation Partnerships Grant Program, upon an appropriation by the legislature, for purposes of building a systems approach to deliver health, child welfare, early care and education, and social services that meet the needs of the most vulnerable families. Would also create an advisory council in the CA HHS Agency. Would become effective 7/1/18, and sunset on 1/1/24.</i>	Children Now, Kidango	Bryan C. Singh 916.319.2007				Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/23/17 Committee on Health Hearing cancelled at author's request

* Levels of interest are assigned by the Joint Committee on Legislation based on consistency with the Public Policy Platform accepted by the Child Care Planning Committee and Policy Roundtable for Child Care and Development and consistent with County Legislative Policy for the current year. Levels of interest do *not* indicate a pursuit of position in either direction. The Joint Committee will continue to monitor all listed bills as proceed through the legislative process. Levels of interest may change based on future amendments.

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Watch	AB 19 (Santiago)	Would, if the governing board of a community college district meets specified requirements and with exceptions, waive the fee for one academic year for first-time community college students at the district enrolled full-time, e.g. meeting the minimum academic and progress standards who enroll in 12 or more semester units or the equivalent and complete and submit either a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a California Dream Act application. Establishes annual reporting requirements pertaining to fee waivers granted.	LA Community College District, Los Rios Community College District, Peralta Community College District, San Bernardino Community College District, San Diego Community College District, San Francisco Community College District	Brandon Gaytán 916.319.2053 brandon.gaytan@asm.ca.gov		AFSCM, AFL-CIO, CFT, CDF-CA, CA Nurses Assoc, CAPP, Faculty Association of the CA Community Colleges (FACCC), LBCC, LA Community College Dist, Lt. Gov. Gavin Newsom, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Francisco and San Jose Evergreen Community College Dists, Santa Monica College, and more		Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 2/28/17 Amended: 3/16/17 Amended: 3/30/17 Amended: 5/30/17 Amended: 6/27/17 Amended: 7/3/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
	AB 26 (Caballero)	Would, until 7/1/22, require the CDE to establish and administer a pilot program in the Counties of Monterey, San Benito, Santa Clara, and Santa Cruz to provide outreach, training, and technical assistance to license-exempt child care providers through the county child care resource and referral (R&R) programs. The R&Rs that opt to participate in the pilot, in collaboration with others, to develop a community-based model for the outreach, training and technical assistance to license-exempt providers informed by the Informal Care Training Project. Would require counties to file progress reports on 1/1/2020 and 1/1/2022.				Monterey County Board of Supervisors	California Right to Life Committee, Inc.	Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/23/17 Amended: 4/17/17 Amended: 5/2/17 Amended: 7/5/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File

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Watch	AB 34 (Nazarian)	Would establish the Children's Savings Account Program for the purposes of expanding access to higher education through savings. Would require the Scholarshare Investment Board to establish a 529 children's savings account for each CA resident child born on or after January 1, 2018, who is a California resident at the time of birth. Provides an opt out provision. <i>Stipulates conditions for closing an account.</i>		Emellia Zamani 916.319.2046 Emellia.Zamani@asm.ca.gov		AAP, CA Asset Building Coalition, CA Association of Private School Organizations, CDF-CA, CFT		Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/23/17 Amended: 4/20/17 Committee on Appropriations Held under submission
Watch	AB 43 (Thurmond)	Would, for the privilege of contracting with a state prison, the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, or the Department of General Service to provide a state prison with goods and services, would impose tax at the rate equal to 10% on the final contract price for contracts entered into as of 1/1/18. Funds to be deposited into the State Incarceration Prevention Funding for appropriation to CDE for preschool and after school programs. <i>Adds appeal process language. Urgency statute.</i>	California Teachers Association	Michael Lucien 916.319.2015 Michael.lucien@asm.ca.gov		Advancement Project, Alliance for Boys and Men of Color, Anti-Recidivism Coalition, CAPP, CA Federation of Teachers, CA Legislative Black Caucus, CA Nurses Assoc, Californians for Justice, First Five Association of CA, LAUP, National Nurses United, Partnership for Children & Youth, SEIU	California Chamber of Commerce, California New Car Dealers Association, National Federation of Independent Business	Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 4/17/17 Amended: 5/2/17 Amended: 5/10/17 Committee on Appropriations Hearing: Postponed by committee
1	AB 60 (Santiago & Gonzalez)	Would establish 12 months of continuous eligibility for subsidized child care and development services for low-income families upon initial determination of eligibility. Note: The bill language was included in the State budget bill approved by the Governor.	Child Care Law Center, First 5 CA	Jaspreet Johl 916.319.2053 Jaspreet.johl@asm.ca.gov	Support	BANANAS, CAPP, CCALA, CCCCA, CCCRN, CCDAA CDE, CFCN, Children Now, CHSA, CLASP, Crystal Stairs, CWLC, Early Edge CA, First 5 Assoc of CA, LA Area Chamber, LAUP, LAUSD, SEIU CA WCLP, many more		Introduced: 12/7/16 Revised: 3/8/17 In Senate Committee on Education Hearing cancelled at author's request

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	AB 75 (Steinorth)	Would expand CA's Early Income Tax Credit to allow self-employment income reported on an IRS form 1099 to qualify, effective 1/1/2017.		Brandon Ebeck Brandon.Ebeck@asm.ca.gov 916.319.2040		CAPPA, CA Assoc of Food Banks, CA Assoc for Micro Enterprise Opportunity, CA Catholic Conference, Inc., CDF-CA, Common Sense Kids Action, CWDA, Friends Committee on Legislation of CA, Golden State Opportunity, Small Business CA		Introduced: 1/4/17 Amended: 3/6/17 Amended: 3/14/17 Committee on Revenue and Taxation
	AB 160 (Stone)	Would restore the time limit eligibility for receiving CalWORKS cash aid from 48 months to 60 months cumulatively.	Western Center on Law & Poverty Coalition of CA Welfare Rights Org	Nicole Hisatomi 916.319.2019 Nicole.Hisatomi@asm.ca.gov		AFSCME, CAPPA, CA Assoc of Food Banks, CLASP, CDF-CA, CWDA, Courage Campaign, SF Living Wage Coalition, Santa Clara Co Bd of Supervisors, WCLP, and more		Introduced: 1/12/17 Committee on Appropriations Held under submission
Newly Added	AB 168 (Eggman)	Would prohibit an <i>employer</i> from seeking salary history information about an applicant for <i>employment</i> and would require an employer, upon reasonable request, to provide the pay scale for a position to an applicant for employment. <i>The bill would apply to all employers, including state and local government employers and the Legislature.</i>				CFT, Consumer Attys of CA, Consumer Fed of CA, Equal Rts Advocates, NASW-CA, SEIU, Women's Foundation of CA	Association of CA Water Agencies, CA Chamber of Commerce, CA Employment Law Council, CA State Association of Counties, Western States Trucking Association, and more	Introduced: 1/17/17 Amended: 5/15/17 Amended: 6/6/17 Senate Floor
Watch	AB 177 (Chávez)	Would add to the Child Abuse and Neglect Act by requiring a <i>social worker</i> investigating a report of child abuse and neglect that involves a parent or guardian serving in the military to notify the Family Advocacy Program of the Department of Defense of the allegation.		Kelly Ash 916.319.2076 Kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov		Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense/Military Community and Family Policy: Southwest Region		Introduced: 1/18/17 Amended: 2/21/17 Committee on Public Safety Hearing: Cancelled at author's request
Watch	AB 230 (Chávez)	Would increase the California Child Care and Dependent Care Expenses Tax Credit up to 200% of the federal credit <i>for taxpayers with adjusted gross income amounts of \$70,000 or less.</i>		Kelly Ash 916.319.2076 Kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov		CAPPA	CA Tax Reform Association	Introduced: 1/26/17 Amended: 4/18/17 Committee on Appropriations Held under submission

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1	AB 231 (Chávez)	Would, beginning FY 2018-19, 1) define income eligibility for subsidized child care and development at or below 75% of State Median Income (SMI), adjusted for family size and adjusted annually; and 2) would establish a phasing out scale for eligibility up to 85% of SMI. Would require the annual verification of family income to determine ongoing eligibility.		Kelly Ash 916-319-2076 kelly.ash@asm.ca.gov				Introduced: 1/26/17 Amended: 2/21/17 Committee on Human Services Hearing: Cancelled at author's request

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Watch	AB 258 (Arambula)	Would authorize Fresno County to develop an individualized county child care subsidy plan to be submitted to the local child care and development planning council and the Fresno County Board of Supervisors for approval. Upon approval, the local child care and development planning council may hold a public hearing. The California Department of Education/Early Education and Support Division (CDE/EESD) would be <i>required review reports along with any applicable programmatic and fiscal compliance records submitted by the contracting agencies participating in the plan, and determine whether to allow the county to continue with the plan without change, or whether to require modifications to be made to the plan.</i> Authorization would sunset 1/1/23. Plans to ensure that all individualized plans offer families participating in CalWORKs Stages 2 and 3 child care receive same treatment and benefits as families accessing other types of subsidized child care per existing statute.	Fresno County Superintendent of Schools	Genesis Tang 916.319.2031 Genesis.Tang@asm.ca.gov Lupe Jaime 559.497.3846 ljaime@fcoe.org		CA Child Care Coordinators Assoc, Central Valley Children's Svcs, Network Clovis USD, Early Childhood Discovery Centers, Inc., Early Edge CA, First 5 Assoc of CA, First 5 Fresno County, Fresno Chamber of Commerce, Fresno County Child Care & Development Local Planning Council, Fresno Latino Rotary Club, Reading and Beyond, Local Early Education Planning Council, Opportunity Through Education, Inc.	Child Care Alliance of Los Angeles, Child Care Law Center, Parent Voices California	Introduced: 1/21/17 Amended: 2/23/17 Amended: 3/6/17 Amended: 5/2/17 Amended: 6/28/17 Amended: 7/13/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File

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1	AB 273 (Aguilar-Curry)	Would amend existing language pertaining to the Child Care and Development Services Act to include for purposes of eligibility parents <i>engagement in an educational program for English as a second language or to attain a high school diploma or general education development certificate.</i>	Women's Foundation of California, Women's Policy Institute and Parent Voices	Kimberly Kollwitz 916.319.2004 Kimberly.kollwitz@asm.ca.gov		9to5, CAPP, CA Conf, CCCCA, CCCRRN, CCDAA, CFT, CWLC, CCALA, CCLC, CCRC, Children Now, Choices for Children, Crystal Stairs, First 5 CA, Jewish Family Service of LA, LAUSD, WCLP and many more		Introduced: 2/1/17 Amended: 5/17/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
Watch	AB 300 (Caballero)	Would authorize Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties to develop individualized county child care subsidy plan to be submitted to the local child care and development planning council and the Board of Supervisors for approval. The CDE/EESD would be <i>required review reports along with any applicable programmatic and fiscal compliance records submitted by the contracting agencies participating in the plan, and determine whether to allow the county to continue with the plan without change, or whether to require modifications to be made to the plan.</i> Authorization would sunset 1/1/23. Includes clean-up language pertaining to Santa Clara County's pilot individualized county child care subsidy plan. Pilots to ensure that all individualized plans offer families participating in CalWORKs Stages 2 and 3 child care receive the same treatment and benefits as families accessing other types of subsidized child care per existing statute.	First 5 Monterey County, Monterey County Local Child Care Planning Council, Santa Cruz County Local Child Care Planning Council, San Benito County Local Child Care Planning Council, First 5 Association of CA	Enedina Garcia 916.319.2030 enedina.garcia@asm.ca.gov Francine Rodd. First 5 Monterey County 831.444.8549 x20 francine@first5monterey.org		Alameda Co Board of Supervisors, CCCCA, Child Advocate Prog, County of Santa Cruz Human Services Dept, Early Edge CA, First 5 CA, First 5 Santa Cruz County, Hartnell Community College District, Local Early Ed Planning Council of Santa Clara Co, Monterey County Board of Supervisors, Monterey County Child Care Planning Council, North Monterey County USD, Read to Me Proj, San Benito County Local Child Care Planning Council, Santa Cruz County Board of Supervisors, Santa Cruz County Local Child Care Planning Council, Seaside Family Health Center, Special Kids Crusade, First 5 Assoc of CA, 16 Individuals	CCALA, CCDAA, Parent Voices - CA	Introduced: 2/6/17 Amended: 4/6/17 Amended: 5/2/17 Amended: 6/28/17 Amended: 7/13/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File

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Watch	AB 312 (O'Donnell)	<i>Would make a number of adjustments in calculations in relationship to preschool-aged children with special needs as reported by the special education local plan area (SELPA).</i>	Coalition for Adequate Funding for Special Ed, CA Association of School Business Officials	Tanya Lieberman 916.319.2087, tanya.lieberman@asm.ca.gov		Antelope Valley (AV) SELPA, AV Union High SD, CA Assoc of the Deaf, CA Co Superintendents Educational Svcs Assoc, CA State PTA and many more	Special Education Advocate Leaders Analysis	Introduced: 2/6/17 Amended: 2/28/17 Committee on Appropriations
Watch	AB 377 (Frazier)	Would authorize Counties of San Diego and Solano County to develop an individualized county child care subsidy plan to be submitted to their respective local child care and development planning councils and the Board of Supervisors for approval. The CDE/EESD would be <i>required review reports along with any applicable programmatic and fiscal compliance records submitted by the contracting agencies participating in the plan, and determine whether to allow the county to continue with the plan without change, or whether to require modifications to be made to the plan.</i> Authorization would sunset 1/1/23. Pilots to ensure that all individualized plans offer families participating in CalWORKs Stages 2 and 3 child care receive the same treatment and benefits as families accessing other types of subsidized child care per existing statute.				Alameda County BOS, Educational Enrichment Systems Inc., Escondido Union School District Preschool Program, First 5 Association of CA, First 5 CA, First 5 Solano Children and Families Commission, Early Edge California, Lemon Grove School District, SDUSD, Solano County Board of Supervisors	Child Care Alliance of Los Angeles, Child Care Law Center, Parent Voices California	Introduced: 2/9/17 Amended: 3/20/17 Amended: 5/2/17 Amended: 6/28/17 Amended: 7/13/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File

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Watch	AB 435 (Thurmond)	<p>Would authorize the Counties of Contra Costa County, Marin and Sonoma to develop an individualized county child care subsidy plans to be submitted to their local child care and development planning councils and the Board of Supervisors for approval. The CDE/EESD would be <i>required review reports along with any applicable programmatic and fiscal compliance records submitted by the contracting agencies participating in the plan, and determine whether to allow the county to continue with the plan without change, or whether to require modifications to be made to the plan.</i> Authorization would sunset 1/1/23. Includes clean-up language pertaining to Alameda County's pilot individualized county child care subsidy plan. Pilots to ensure that all individualized plans offer families participating in CalWORKs Stages 2 and 3 child care receive the same treatment and benefits as families accessing other types of subsidized child care per existing statute.</p>	Alameda County Board of Supervisors			<p>Bay Area Council, Bay Area Hispano Institute for Advancement, Brion Economics, Inc., CCCCA, Cambridge Community Ctr, Canal Welcome Ctr, Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors, County of Sonoma Commission on the Status of Women, Ensuring Opportunity Campaign to End Poverty in Contra Costa, Early Edge CA, First 5 Assoc of CA, First 5 Contra Costa, First 5 Marin Children and Families Commission, Healdsburg USD, Local Early Education Planning Council of Santa Clara, Marin Chapter Assoc for the Ed of Young Children, Marin Indivisible, North Bay Leadership Council, Sonoma COE, YMCA Central Bay Area, YWCA Contra Costa, 7 Individuals</p>	<p>Child Care Alliance of Los Angeles, Child Care Law Center, Parent Voices California</p>	<p>Introduced: 2/13/17 Amended: 4/17/17 Amended: 5/2/17 Amended: 6/28/17 Amended: 7/13/17</p> <p>In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File</p>

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	AB 480 (Gonzalez Fletcher)	Would amend provisions relating to the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program, under which each county provides cash assistance and other benefits to qualified low-income families and individual participating in welfare-to-work activities as a condition of eligibility for aid. Existing law requires that necessary supportive services be available to participants in welfare-to-work activities, including child care and ancillary expenses among other additional supports. Ancillary expenses to additionally include, the cost of diapers as of 4/31/18. <i>Welfare to work participant would be eligible for an additional \$30 per month to assist with cost of diapers for each child under 36 months of age.</i>				Alameda County Board of Supervisors, AAP, CA State PTA, CWDA of CA, Coalition of CA Welfare Rights Organizations, Inc., First 5, WCLP, National Diaper Bank Network, Help a Mother Out, CDF-CA, Equal Rights Advocates, WCLP	California Right to Life Committee, Inc.	Introduced: 2/13/17 Amended: 3/30/17 Amended: 5/2/17 Revised: 5/26/17 Amended: 6/20/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
Watch	AB 540 (Mullin)	<i>Would limit the total cost for administration and support services for organizations holder an Alternative Payment Program contract to 17.6 percent of the total contract amount.</i>						Introduced: 2/13/17 Amended: 3/23/17 Committee on Human Services
Watch	AB 603 (Quirk-Silva)	Would require, as of 1/1/19, the CDE to provide to the appropriate Legislative policy and fiscal committees cost estimates and system analysis for Alternative Payment (AP) Programs to develop an electronic timesheet process for the monthly attendance record or invoices. Would require AP programs to offer reimbursement to providers via direct deposit transfer into provider's financial institution account by 1/1/19.	UDW/AFSCME Local 3930			AFSCME, CA Labor Federation		Introduced: 2/14/17 Amended: 3/29/17 Amended: 5/30/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File

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	AB 605 (Mullin)	<i>Would require the CDSS to adopt regulations on or before 1/1/9, to develop and implement a birth to entering first grade license option for day care centers. Lists proposed regulations to address age appropriate transitions from one age group to another, continuity of care, and more.</i>				CCDAA		Introduced: 2/14/17 Amended: 3/23/17 Committee on Human Services
Watch	AB 676 (Limón)	<i>Would require the Commission on Health and Safety and Workers' Compensation to establish and maintain an Early Educators' Occupational Safety and Health Training Program relating to occupational health and safety risks specific to early education professionals that includes specified components, including a discussion of the risks of chemical and biological hazards, infectious diseases, and physical hazards and stress, and how to identify and minimize those risks and more. Would require an early educator to attend that training within 6 years of it first being offered, or within 3 months of the person becoming an early educator, whichever occurs later. Would also establish the Early Educators' Safety and Health Education Fund and specify that moneys in the fund may be expended, upon appropriation by the Legislature, by the commission to establish and maintain the training. Would become operative on 7/1/18.</i>	UDW/AFSCME Local 3930	Bryn Sullivan 916.319.2037 Bryn.Sullivan@asm.ca.gov		AFSCME, CA Labor Federation, CA State PTA, Courage Campaign, Santa Barbara Women's Political Committee, SEIU, United Domestic Workers of America- AFSCME Local 3930/AFL-CIO, Voices for Progress Education Fund	A Creative Beginning, Anaheim Family YMCA, Baby World Child Care Ctr, Burbank Community YMCA, CA State Alliance of YMCA's, CCDAA, Camp Pendleton Armed Services YMCA, La Cañada Flintridge Community Center, Santa Monica Family YMCA, YMCA of Greater Long Beach, YMCA of Metropolitan LA, and more	Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 3/27/17 Amended: 5/30/17 Amended: 6/29/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Hearing: 8/28/17

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1	AB 752 (Rubio)	<p>Would prohibit a CDE-contracted child care and development agency from expelling or un-enrolling a child due to behavioral concerns unless the agency has expeditiously pursued and documented reasonable steps to maintain the child's safe participation in the program and determines, in consultation with parent/legal guardians, that the child's continued enrollment presents a continued serious threat to the child or other enrolled children, and has referred the parents or legal guardians to other potentially appropriate placements, the local child care resource and referral agency, or any other referral service available in the local community. Would prohibit the CDSS from issuing a citation to or imposing a civil penalty on a facility that contracts with the CDE for a violation solely related to the behavior of a child when the facility is in the process of complying with the procedure, except if the contracting agency is not expeditiously pursuing and documenting reasonable steps to maintain the child's safe participation.</p>	Kidango	<p>Krystal Moreno 916.319.2048 Krystal.Moreno@asm.ca.gov</p>		<p>AAP-CA, CCDAA, CDF-CA, Congregation Beth Am, Early Edge California, Fight Crime: Invest in Kids, First 5 Association, First 5 CA, First 5 LA, MALDEF, NASW-CA Chapter, United Domestic Workers of America – AFSCME Local 3930</p>	<p>California Federation of Teachers</p>	<p>Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 4/18/17 Amended: 6/28/17 Amended: 7/3/17 Amended: 7/13/17</p> <p>In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File</p>

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2	AB 992 (Arambula)	Would establish the CalWORKs Baby Wellness and Family Support Home Visitation Program and require that the CA Department of Social Services <i>allocate</i> funds to counties for the purpose of implementing or contracting with home visitation programs to provide voluntary home visiting programs. <i>Parent/caregiver to be advised in writing to opt in to home visiting program and that it is not a condition of CalWORKs eligibility.</i>	Black Women for Wellness, Children's Defense Fund, Western Center on Law and Poverty	Marla Cowan Marla.Cowan@asm.ca.gov		Advokids, AAP-CA, CAPP, CWDA, Courage Campaign, Nurse Family Partnership, United Ways of CA, Women's Foundation of CA		Introduced: 2/16/17 Amended: 3/28/17 Amended: 5/26/17 In Senate Committee on Human Services
Watch	AB 1106 (Weber)	Would, <i>with exceptions</i> , require an AP program to have no less than 36 months to expend funds allocated to that program in any fiscal year. Would require, for purposes of determining eligibility for services, that income of a person on state or federal active duty in the military not include the amount of the basic allowance for housing if equal to the lowest rate of allowance for military housing area in which the person resides. <i>Co-authors revised.</i>	CAPP	Crystal Quezada 916.319.2079 Crystal.quezada@asm.ca.gov		American G.I. Forum of CA, American Legion-Department of CA, AMVETS-Department of CA, CA Council of Chapters, CA State PTA, CCCRN, Military Officers Association of America, First 5 Assoc of CA, First 5 CA, Vietnam Veterans of America-CA, WCLP		Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 4/3/17 Revised: 5/26/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
1	AB 1164 (Thurmond)	Would establish the Emergency Child Care Bridge for Foster Children. <i>Gutted and amended to address school district annual budgets and certificated school employees.</i> Note: The bill language to establish the Emergency Child Care Bridge Fund for Foster Children was included in the State budget bill approved by the Governor.	Children Now, LA Area Chamber of Commerce	Isabella Gonzalez 916.319.2015 Isabella.Gonzalez@asm.ca.gov	Support			Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 3/27/17 Amended: 4/18/17 Amended: 5/26/17 Amended: 7/6/17 In Senate Committee on Education

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	AB 1175 (Ting)	Would enact the Every Kid Counts (EKC) Act that, <i>would upon appropriation by the Legislature, provide for a one-time \$100 deposit by the state to each account opened under the Golden State Scholarshare Trust Act.</i>						Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 3/21/17 Amended: 4/17/17 Committee on Higher Education
2	AB 1238 (Kiley)	Would amend existing law to extend fee waivers for processing requests to the Department of Justice for federal level criminal offenses to human resource agencies tracking volunteer information provided to community-based organizations, defined as an organization whose main focus is the care and security of children, the elderly, the handicapped or the mentally impaired for the local community.						Introduced: 2/17/17 Committee on Public Safety Hearing cancelled at author's request
Spot Bill	AB 1302 (Grayson)	Would make non-substantive changes to law pertaining to the rules and regulations on eligibility, enrollment and priority services needed to implement child care and development programs.						Introduced: 2/17/17
Watch	AB 1304 (Melendez)	Would create the CalkIDS Savings Trust Fund, <i>administered by the CDSS</i> , and savings account within that fund for each beneficiary for purposes of encouraging and earmarking savings for the cost of child care, <i>inclusive of before and after school care.</i>		Alexis Leicht 916.319.2067 alexis.leicht@asm.ca.gov				Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 4/17/17 Committee on Revenue and Taxation Hearing: Cancelled at author's request

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Spot Bill	AB 1467 (O'Donnell)	<i>Gutted and amended: Would authorize courses offered through a College and Career Access Pathways (CCAP) partnership to be offered on Saturdays. Purpose of CCAP is to provide seamless pathways from high school to community college for career technical education or preparation for transfer, improving high school graduation rates, or helping high school pupils achieve college and career readiness.</i>						Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 3/28/17 Committee on Higher Education Hearing: Cancelled at author's request
Watch	AB 1520 (Burke)	Would establish the Lifting Children and Families Out of Poverty Task Force for purposes of <i>developing, recommending, and annually updating a plan aimed at addressing deep child poverty and providing recommendations on how to reduce child poverty in California.</i> Specifies the composition and duties of the task force inclusive of benchmarks.	GRACE	Luis Quinonez Alayde Loredo Contreras 916-319-2062 luis.quinonez@asm.ca.gov alayde.loredocontreras@asm.ca.gov		211 LA County, Alameda County BOS, San Diego County District Atty, CAPP, CA Catholic Conf, CCDAA, CA Coverage & Health Initiatives, CA Legislative Black Caucus, CA PTA Assoc, CA Health+ Advocates, Catholic Charities of Santa Clara Co, Children Now, CDF, First 5 CA, First AME Church of LA, First Focus, Jr Leagues of CA, LA Promise Neighborhood, LA Urban League, Mothers In Action, Inc., NASW-CA Chapter, Public Counsel, SSHIELDS for Families, Social Justice Learning Institute, St. John's Well Child & Family Center, St. Joseph Ctr, & many more		Introduced: 2/17/17 Amended: 4/17/17 Amended: 5/30/17 Amended: 7/5/17 Amended: 7/17/17 In Senate Committee on Appropriations Suspense File
California Senate Bills								
Watch	SB 18 (Pan)	<i>Would make legislative findings and declarations relating to the needs and well-being of children and youth in California. The bill would create, until 11/30/24, the Joint Legislative Committee on Children and Youth. Would require the committee to develop "California's Promise to its Children and Youth," a framework for the care and welfare of children and youth in various contexts.</i>	Common Sense Kids Action	Darrin Walsh 916.651.4006 Darrin.walsh@sen.ca.gov				Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 4/3/17 Committee on Rules

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Watch	SB 55 (Jackson)	Would extend the DASH (Distinguished After School Health Recognition Program) <i>until 1/1/23</i> . DASH, administered by the California Department of Education (CDE), recognizes after school programs that meeting healthy eating and physical activity requirements, inclusive of staff training.		Brandon Darnell		AAP, American Heart Assoc, American Stroke Assoc, A World Fit For Kids!, CA Assoc for Health, Physical Ed, Recreation and Dance, CA State Alliance of YMCAs, , CA State PTA, LA's Best, LACOE		Introduced: 12/5/16 Amended: 3/15/17 In Assembly Committee on Appropriations Suspense File

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 8/22/17)
Watch	SB 63 (Jackson)	<p>Would establish the New Parent Leave Act. Would prohibit an employer for refusing to allow an employee with more than 12 months of service and at least 1,250 hours of service during the previous 12-month period, and who works at a worksite in which the employer employs at least 20 employees within 75 miles, to take up to 12 weeks of parental leave to bond with a new child within one year of the child's birth, adoption, or foster care placement. Would prohibit an employer from refusing to hire, or discharging, fining, suspending, expelling, or discriminating against, an individual exercising the right to parental leave. In addition, would require employer to maintain and pay for coverage under a group health plan. <i>If both parents employed by same entity and are entitled to leave pursuant to this bill for the same birth, adoption, or foster care placement, the parents' mandated parental leave would be capped at the amount granted to an employee by the bill. The bill would authorize the employer to grant simultaneous leave to both of these parents.</i></p>	CA Employment Lawyers Association, First 5 CA, Legal Aid at Work			<p>AAP-CA, Alameda Co BOS, ACLU, AFSME, CCCRRN, CA Hunger Action Coalition, CA Partnership, CWLC, CLASP, CCLC, Children Now, LA County Peace Officers Association, NASW-CA, Nurse-Family Partnership, Parent Voices, WCLP, Women's Foundation of CA, & many, many more</p>	<p>CA Ambulance Association, CA Chamber of Commerce, Long Beach Area Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce, and several other Chambers of Commerce and many, many more</p>	<p>Introduced: 12/22/16 Amended: 3/23/17 Amended: 4/17/17 Amended: 5/26/17 Amended: 7/13/17</p> <p>In Assembly Committee on Appropriations Suspense File</p>

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2	SB 78 (Leyva)	Would, commencing with increases to the minimum wage implemented in 2018-19 and each year thereafter, require the Department of Finance (DOF) to annually adjust the total program funding amount for each minimum wage increase using a specified calculation, provided that the adjustment for the After School Education and Safety (ASES) Program. Requires additional funding adjustments per state law. <i>Amendment reflects technical correction.</i>	California Afterschool Advocacy Alliance	Phillip Vander Klay 916.651.4020 Phillip.VanderKlay@sen.ca.gov		After-school All-Stars Los Angeles, Arc, CA Afterschool Network, CA Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs, CCDAA, CA State Alliance of YMCAs, CA School-Age Consortium, CA Teaching Fellows Foundation, CalSac, EduCare Foundation, Fight Crime: Invest in Kids, LA's Best, and more	California Teachers Association	Introduced: 1/11/17 Amended: 4/4/17 Amended: 4/25/17 Amended: 5/26/17 In Assembly Committee on Education Hearing cancelled at author's request
Chapter 97	SB 164 (McGuire)	Amends existing law by requiring each community college district that administers a priority enrollment system to grant priority for registration to any student who is a recipient under the Tribal TANF program.		Kelly Burns 916.651.4002 Kelly.burns@sen.ca.gov		AFSCME, Coalition of CA Welfare Rights Orgs, Courage Campaign, Faculty Assoc of CA Community College, Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria, Jim Steele, District 3 Supervisor, County of Lake, North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians of CA's Tribal TANF program, Owens Valley Paiute-Shoshone Board of Trustees, Ryan Jackson, Chairman, Hoop Valley Tribe, WCLP, Yurok Tribal Council		Approved by the Governor 7/21/17

Level of Interest ¹	Bill Number (Author)	Brief Description	Sponsor	Contact	County Position	Support	Oppose	Status (As of 8/22/17)
Watch	SB 232 (Bates)	Would require the CA Department of Social Services (CDSS), in consultation with the County Welfare Directors Association (CWDA) to design and implement a 5 year <i>Parental Empowerment</i> Grant Pilot Project to provide monetary grants to organizations operating programs to assist CalWORKs recipients achieve economic independence. An organization receiving a grant may utilize the grant funds in any reasonable manner consistent with the program elements or other requirements established by CDSS, inclusive of housing, transportation, and child care expenses for program participants. The bill would appropriate \$50M from the General Fund for the effort.		Heidi Wettstein 916.651.4036 Heidi.Wettstein@sen.ca.gov		Community Action Agency of Butte County, Inc., CWDA, LIUNA Locals 777 & 792. Solutions for Change, NASW-CA Chapter, Esplanade House Children's Fund		Introduced: 2/6/17 Amended: 3/14/17 Amended: 4/27/17 Committee on Appropriations Held under submission
Watch	SB 401 (Pan)	Would amend existing law pertaining to the provision of indoor space for child care in an office building meeting the needs of state employees, changing it from requiring no more the 2,100 square feet to accommodate 20 children to requiring indoor and outdoor activity space to comply with Title 22 requirements.				Child Action, Inc., KinderCare Education		Introduced: 2/15/17 Assembly Floor

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Newly Added	SB 424 (Allen)	Would establish the California Regional Environmental Education Community Network under the direction and control of a 5-member governing board appointed for the purpose of facilitating the implementation of high quality environmental literacy in California public schools. <i>Would make implementation contingent upon the appropriation of funds in the annual Budget Act or another statute.</i> Limited to K-12 education.	Ten Strands			Audubon CA, CA Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs, CA Black Health Network, CA Institute for Biodiversity, CA Pan-Ethnic Health Network, CALPIRG, Heal the Bay, & many more		Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 4/24/17 Amended: 5/26/17 In Assembly Committee on Education
Watch	SB 441 (Cannella)	Would provide that an AP Program that operates an <i>individual contract in an amount of less than \$3M, or a migrant AP Program that operates an individual contract in any dollar amount</i> , shall receive a base support reimbursement that does not exceed 22% of the total contract amount, <i>for each individual contract.</i>				CCDAA, Community Resources for Children, Go Kids, Inc, International Institute of Los Angeles, Siskiyou Child Care Council, Inc., Valley Oak Children Services		Introduced: 2/15/17 Amended: 3/21/17 Amended: 4/18/17 Committee on Appropriations Held under submission
Spot Bill	SB 526 (Nielson)	Would make non-substantive changes to provisions pertaining to the licensing and regulation of community care facilities.						Introduced: 2/16/17 Committee on Rules
California Budget Bills (including Trailer Bills)								
Chapter (pending)	AB 97 (Ting)	Budget Act of 2017						Approved by the Governor 6/27/17
Chapter 15	AB 99	School finance: education omnibus trailer bill	Proposes changes to various education programs, including child care and development					Approved by the Governor 6/27/17
Chapter 24	SB 89	Human Services Budget Bill -	Includes provision for Emergency Child Care Bridge Fund for Foster Children					Approved by the Governor 6/27/17

To obtain additional information about any State legislation, go to <http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billSearchClient.xhtml>; for Federal legislation, visit <http://thomas.loc.gov>. To access budget hearings on line, go to www.calchannel.com and click on appropriate link at right under "Live Webcast". Links to Trailer Bills are available at http://www.dof.ca.gov/budgeting/trailer_bill_language/. For questions or comments regarding this document, contact Michele Sartell, staff with the Office of Child Care, by e-mail at msartell@ceo.lacounty.gov or call (213) 974-5187. An additional source of information on bills posted in this matrix is the subscription-based publication, *Legislative Updates on Child Development*, issued weekly by On the Capitol Doorstep. For more information, visit www.otcdkids.com.

KEY TO LEVEL OF INTEREST ON BILLS:

- 1: Of potentially high interest to the Child Care Planning Committee and Policy Roundtable for Child Care.
- 2: Of moderate interest.
- 3: Of relatively low interest.

Watch: Of interest, however level of interest may change based on further information regarding author's or sponsor's intent and/or future amendments.

** Levels of interest are assigned by the Joint Committee on Legislation based on consistency with Policy Platform accepted by the Child Care Planning Committee and Policy Roundtable for Child Care and consistent with County Legislative Policy for the current year. Levels of interest **do not** indicate a pursuit of position. Joint Committee will continue to monitor all listed bills as proceed through legislative process. Levels of interest may change based on future amendments.

KEY:

AAP	American Academy of Pediatrics	CTC	Commission on Teacher Credentialing
ACLU	American Civil Liberties Union	CWDA	County Welfare Directors' Association
AFSCME:	American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees	DDS	Department of Developmental Services
CAPPA	California Alternative Payment Program Association	DHS	Department of Health Services
CAEYC	California Association for the Education of Young Children	DOF	Department of Finance
CAFB	California Association of Food Banks	DMH	Department of Mental Health
CCCCA	California Child Care Coordinators Association	First 5 CA	First 5 Commission of California
CCRRN	California Child Care Resource and Referral Network	HHS	Health and Human Services Agency
CCDAA	California Child Development Administrators Association	LCC	League of California Cities
CDA	California Dental Association	LAC CPSS	Los Angeles County Commission for Public Social Services
CDE	California Department of Education	LACOE	Los Angeles County Office of Education
CDSS	California Department of Social Services	LAUSD	Los Angeles Unified School District
CFT	California Federation of Teachers	MALDEF	Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund
CFPA	California Food Policy Advocates	NASW	National Association of Social Workers
CHAC	California Hunger Action Coalition	NCYL	National Center for Youth Law
CIWC	California Immigrant Welfare Collaborative	PG&E	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
CSAC	California School-Age Consortium	SEIU	Service Employees International Union
CSAC	California State Association of Counties	SPI	Superintendent of Public Instruction
CTA	California Teachers Association	TCI	The Children's Initiative
CCALA	Child Care Alliance of Los Angeles	US DHHS	US Department of Health and Human Services
CCLC	Child Care Law Center	WCLP	Western Center on Law and Poverty
CDPI	Child Development Policy Institute		

DEFINITIONS:²

Committee on Rules	Bills are assigned to a Committee for hearing from here.
Consent Calendar	A set of non-controversial bills, grouped together and voted out of a committee or on the floor as a package.
First Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. The first reading of a bill occurs when it is introduced.
Held in Committee	Status of a bill that fails to receive sufficient affirmative votes to pass out of committee.
Held under Submission	Action taken by a committee when a bill is heard and there is an indication that the author and the committee members want to work on or discuss the bill further, but there is no motion for the bill to progress out of committee.
Inactive File	The portion of the Daily File containing legislation that is ready for floor consideration, but, for a variety of reasons, is dead or dormant. An author may move a bill to the inactive file, and move it off the inactive file at a later date. During the final weeks of the legislative session, measures may be moved there by the leadership as a method of encouraging authors to take up their bills promptly.
On File	A bill on the second or third reading file of the Assembly or Senate Daily File.
Second Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. Second reading occurs after a bill has been reported to the floor from committee.
Spot Bill	A bill that proposes non-substantive amendments to a code section in a particular subject; introduced to assure that a bill will be available, subsequent to the deadline to introduce bills, for revision by amendments that are germane to the subject of the bill.
Third Reading	Each bill introduced must be read three times before final passage. Third reading occurs when the measure is about to be taken up on the floor of either house for final passage.
Third Reading File	That portion of the Daily File listing the bills that is ready to be taken up for final passage.
Urgency Measure	A bill affecting the public peace, health, or safety, containing an urgency clause, and requiring a two-thirds vote for passage. An urgency bill becomes effective immediately upon enactment.
Urgency Clause	Section of bill stating that bill will take effect immediately upon enactment. A vote on the urgency clause, requiring a two-thirds vote in each house, must precede a vote on bill.
Enrollment	Bill has passed both Houses, House of origin has concurred with amendments (as needed), and bill is now on its way to the Governor's desk.

² Definitions are taken from the official site for California legislative information, Your Legislature, Glossary of Legislative Terms at www.leginfo.ca.gov/guide.html#Appendix_B.

STATE LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR 2017 (Tentative)³

January 1	Statutes take effect (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c)).
January 4	Legislature reconvenes (J.R. 51(a)(1)).
January 10	Budget Bill must be submitted by Governor (Art. IV, Sec. 12(a)).
January 16	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Observed
January 20	Last day to submit bill requests to the Office of Legislative Counsel.
February 17	Last day for bills to be introduced (J.R. 61(a)(1), J.R. 54(a)).
February 20	President's Day Observed
March 31	Cesar Chavez Day observed.
April 6	Spring Recess begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51 (a) (2)).
April 17	Legislature reconvenes from Spring Recess (J.R. 51(b)(1)).
May 12	Last day for policy committees to meet and report to the floor non-fiscal bills (J.R. 61(a)(3)).
May 19	Last day for policy committees to meet prior to June 5 (J.R. 61(a) (4)).
May 26	Last day for fiscal committees to hear and report bills to the floor (J.R. 61(a) (5)). Last day for fiscal committees to meet prior to June 5 (J.R. 61(a) (6)).
May 29	Memorial Day observed.
May 30-June 2	Floor Session Only. No committee may meet for any purpose except for Rules Committee and Conference Committees (J.R. 61(a) (7)).
June 3	Last day to pass bills out of house of origin (J.R. 61(a) (8)). Committee meetings may resume (J.R. 61(a)(9)).
June 15	Budget Bill must be passed by midnight (Art. IV, Sec. 12(c)(3)).
July 4	Independence Day observed.
July 14	Last day for policy committees to hear and report fiscal bills for referral to fiscal committees (J.R. 61(a)(10)).
July 21	Last day for policy committees to hear and report bills (J.R. 61(a)(11)). Summer recess begins upon adjournment, provided the Budget Bill has been passed (J.R. 51(a)(3)).
August 21	Legislature reconvenes from Summer Recess (J.R. 51(a)(3)).
Sept 1	Last day for fiscal committees to meet and report bills to the Floor (J.R. 61(a)(12)).
Sept 4	Labor Day
Sept 5-15	Floor session only. No committee may meet for any purpose (J.R. 61(a)(13)).
August 15 – 31	This deadline APPLIES TO ALL bills, constitutional amendments and bills which would go into immediate effect pursuant to Section 8 of Article IV of the Constitution (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c); J.R. 61(i)).
Sept 8	Last day to amend on the floor (J.R. 61(a) (14)).
Sept 15	Last day for any bill to be passed (J.R. 61(a) (15)). Interim recess begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51(a) (4)).
Oct 15	Last day for Governor to sign or veto bills passed by the Legislature on or before September 15 and in the Governor's possession after September 15 (Art. IV, Sec. 10(b) (1)).

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Jan. 1	Statutes take effect (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c)).
Jan. 3	Legislature reconvenes (J.R. 51 (a)(4)).

*Holiday schedule subject to final approval by Rules Committee.

³ California State Senate. *2017 Tentative Legislative Calendar*. Retrieved on December 5, 2016 from <http://assembly.ca.gov/legislativedeadlines>.