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Description	HF # and Authors	House Action	SF # and Authors	Senate Action
<b>OMNIBUS BILLS</b>				
Capital Investment (Bonding)	<a href="#">HF 337 Lee</a>	1/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Capital Investment. 3/16 bill passed and referred to Ways and Means.		
Taxes	<a href="#">HF 991 Marquart</a>	2/1/2021 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. 3/8 Bill passed and referred to Ways and Means. <b>4/20 Committee report to adopt as amended, second reading. 4/23 Bill passed as amended 68-66.</b>	<a href="#">SF 961 Nelson</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. 2/23/21 bill heard and laid over for consideration. <b>4/23 Bill passed as amended and referred to the Senate Floor.</b>
Higher Education	<a href="#">HF 993 Bernardy</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy. 4/9 Bill passed and referred to Ways and Means. 4/14 Committee report to adopt as amended. Second reading. 4/15 Bill received from Senate. 4/14 Second reading. <b>4/19 Bill passed as amended 74-59.</b>	<a href="#">SF 975 Tomassoni</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education and Policy. 4/7 Bill passed and referred to Finance. 4/12 Bill passed and send to floor. Second reading. 4/14 Bill passed 38-29.
E-12 Education	<a href="#">HF 1065 Davnie</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance. 4/9 Bill passed and referred to Taxes. 4/12 Committee report to adopt as amended, referred to Ways and Means. 4/15 Committee report to adopt as amended. Second reading. <b>4/19 Bill passed as amended 73-60.</b>	<a href="#">SF 960 Chamberlain</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and policy. 4/7 bill passed and referred to Taxes. 4/14 Committee report- no recommendation, referred to Finance. <b>4/21 second reading. 4/22 Bill passed 37-29.</b>

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Workforce/Jobs & Economic Development	<a href="#">HF 1342</a> <a href="#">Noor</a>	2/18/2021 Introduction and first reading, referred to Workforce and Business Development Finance and Policy. 4/9 Bill passed and referred to Ways and Means. 4/14 Committee report to adopt as amended. Second reading. 4/16 SF 1098 substituted on General Register. Second reading. <b>4/20 third reading as amended. Bill passed 69-64.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1098</a> <a href="#">Pratt</a>	2/17/2021 Introduction and first reading, referred to Jobs and Economic Growth and Policy. 4/8 Bill passed and referred to Finance. 4/14 Committee report to adopt as amended. Second reading. 4/15 Third reading- bill passed 37-30.
Human Services (Human Services Reform in the Senate)-(Note, this bill is now incorporated into HF 2128)	<a href="#">HF 2127</a> <a href="#">Schultz</a>	3/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy. 4/8 Bill passed and referred to Ways and Means. 4/15 Bill incorporated into HF 2128.	<a href="#">SF 383</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	1/28/2021 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. 4/8 Bill passed and referred to Finance. <b>4/21 Bill recommended to pass.</b>
Health (Health and Human Services in the Senate)	<a href="#">HF 2128</a> <a href="#">Liebling</a>	3/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health Finance and Policy. 3/9 Bill passed and referred to Ways and Means. 4/16 Committee report to adopt as amended. Second reading. <b>4/19 committee report to re-refer to Ways and Means. 4/21 Committee report to adopt as amended. Second reading.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2360</a> <a href="#">Benson</a>	4/6/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. 4/9 Bill passed and referred to Finance. <b>4/21 Bill recommended to pass.</b>
Early Childhood (Note-this bill is now incorporated into <b>HF 2128</b> --Health & Human Services, and <b>HF 1065</b> -Education)	<a href="#">HF 2230</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. 4/8 Bill passed and referred to Ways and Means. <b>4/14 and 4/15 incorporated into HF 1065 and HF 2128</b>	<b>NO BILL</b>	
<b>BILLS MOVING SEPARATELY</b>				

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Earned sick and safe time provided, rulemaking authorized, civil penalties imposed, reports required, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 7 Olson</a> , <a href="#">L.</a>	1/7/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Labor, Industry, Veterans and Military Affairs Finance and Policy. 2/15 Bill heard and referred to State Government Finance. 3/4 Bill heard and referred to Judiciary Finance and Civil Law. 3/9 Bill heard and re-referred to Ways and Means. 3/22 Bill heard and referred to General Orders. <b>3/25 Third reading. Bill passed 69-63.</b>	<a href="#">SF 29 Pappas</a>	1/11/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.
Teacher licensure requirement for early education programs established	<a href="#">HF 711 Sandell</a>	2/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to the Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>2/25 Bill passed and referred to the General Register.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1552 Abeler</a>	3/1 21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy
<b>Governor's Summer School Bill</b> -Summer education program funding provided, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1064 Davnie</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance. 2/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration. 3/17 Bill referred to Ways and Means. 3/18 Second Reading. <b>3/23 Third reading. Bill passed 69-63.</b>	<a href="#">SF 973 Chamberlain</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy Committee. <b>2/17 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Child care assistance and child care provider provisions modifications	<a href="#">HF 1466 Pryor</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill passed and sent to General Orders.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1013 Housley</a>	2/15/21 Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. 2/23 Bill heard and laid over for consideration. <b>3/2 Bill sent to General Orders.</b>
Pregnant and postpartum inmate placement in community-based program authorized, and reports required	<a href="#">HF 1403 Becker-Finn</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Public Safety and Criminal Justice Reform. 3/5 bill passed and sent to General Orders. 3/10 Second Reading. <b>4/15 Referred to Chief Clerk for comparison with SF 1315. Bills identical, SF substituted on General Register. Second reading.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1315 Kiffmeyer</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy. 3/15 bill passed and sent to General Orders. 3/17 Second Reading. <b>4/13 Special order. Bill passed 65-0.</b>

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Early childhood family education obsolete language removed	<a href="#">HF 2231</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/18 Bill heard and referred to General Orders.</b>		
<b>BILLS INCLUDED IN OMNIBUS BILLS</b> (In whole or in part)- Note that Tax and bonding bills (marked in orange) are pending				
COVID-19; state appropriations replaced with federal funds, child care providers public health support funds funding provided, basic sliding fee program	<a href="#">HF 5</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	1/7/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. 2/16 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion. <b>3/16 Bill amended and referred to Ways and Means.</b>	<a href="#">SF 469</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Office of the Ombudsperson for Child Care Providers created, appointments provided, reports required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 61</a> <a href="#">Demuth</a>	1/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/16 Bill heard and referred to Referred to Judiciary &amp; Civil Law</b>	<a href="#">SF 21</a> <a href="#">Howe</a>	1/7/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>3/9 Bill heard and referred to State Government.</b>
Increase Teachers of Color Act strengthened, teachers of color and American Indian teachers in Minnesota percentage increase sought, reports required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 217</a> <a href="#">Hassan</a>	1/21/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. 1/28 Committee report to adopt and re-refer to Education Finance. <b>2/3 Bill heard in Education Finance and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 446</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy. <b>2/24 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Family child care regulation modernization project established, report required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 245</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	1/21/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>2/3 Bill referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee.</b>	<a href="#">SF 269</a> <a href="#">Kiffmeyer</a>	1/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Licensing Policy. <b>2/2 Bill passed in committee and referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.</b>

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Retaining early educators through attaining incentives now grant program established, reports required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 260</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	1/21/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. 2/25 Bill passed and re-referred to the Workforce and Business Development Committee. <b>3/8 Bill heard and re-referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy.</b>	<a href="#">SF 270</a> <a href="#">Draheim</a>	1/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Family, friend, and neighbor child care grant program established; report required; and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 316</a> <a href="#">Howard</a>	1/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>2/23 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 467</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Nursing mothers, lactating employees, and pregnancy accommodations amended	<a href="#">HF 357</a> <a href="#">Koegel</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Labor, Industry, Veterans, and Military Affairs Finance and Policy. <b>2/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1180</a> <a href="#">Coleman</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Labor and Industry Policy. Jobs and Economic Growth Committee. <b>3/17 Bill heard and re-referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Committee.</b>
Child care provider grant to increase numbers funding provide, reports required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 412</a> <a href="#">Olson, L.</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. 2/25 Bill passed and re-referred to the Workforce and Business Development Committee. <b>3/8 bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1043</a> <a href="#">Rarick</a>	2/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy. <b>3/10 bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Minnesota Initiative Foundation funding provided, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 413</a> <a href="#">Olson, L.</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Workforce and Business Development Finance and Policy. 1/8 Bill passed and re-referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>2/25 Bill heard and laid over for for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 929</a> Nelson	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy. <b>3/10 bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion.</b>

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Community education teacher continuing contract and tenure status provisions modified	<a href="#">HF 505 Lee</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy Committee. <b>1/8/21 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 631 Cwodinzki</a>	2/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy
Black Men Teach Twin Cities grant authorized to increase the number of black male teachers	<a href="#">HF 517 Kresha</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy. <b>3/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 526 Koran</a>	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy Committee. <b>2/6 Bill heard in Higher Education Committee and laid over for consideration. 2/24 Bill heard in Education Finance and Policy Committee and laid over for consideration.</b>
Medical assistance postpartum coverage extended.	<a href="#">HF 521 Morrison</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health Finance and Policy. <b>3/2 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 735 Wiklund</a>	2/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>3/8 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Preschool and kindergarten screen time limit; appropriation	<a href="#">HF 570 Morrison</a>	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. <b>3/2 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 237 Cwodzinski</a>	1/21/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy. <b>2/15 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
FATHER Project grant appropriation	<a href="#">HF 610 Noor</a>	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Workforce and Business Development Committee. <b>2/10 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 300 Koran</a>	1/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy. <b>2/1 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
ParentChild+ program funding	<a href="#">HF 617 Youakim</a>	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/4 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 706 Nelson</a>	2/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy. <b>3/1 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>

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Dignity in Pregnancy and Childbirth Act established, anti-racism training and implicit bias continuing education required, commissioner of health maternal death studies expanded to include maternal morbidity	<a href="#">HF 660</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health Finance and Policy Committee. 2/10 Bill passed and re-referred to Judiciary and Civil Law Committee. <b>3/4 Bill heard and referred to Health Finance and Policy Committee</b>	<a href="#">SF 877</a> <a href="#">Torres</a> <a href="#">Ray</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy
Child care for children with disabilities access expansion grants	<a href="#">HF 668</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	2/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to the Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>2/18 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1735</a> <a href="#">Housley</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>3/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Teacher licensure requirement for early education programs established	<a href="#">HF 711</a> <a href="#">Sandell</a>	2/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to the Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>2/25 Bill passed and referred to the General Register.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1552</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	3/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy
Child care providers administrative law procedures modification	<a href="#">HF 866</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	2/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee	<a href="#">SF 517</a> <a href="#">Kiffmeyer</a>	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Licensing Policy. <b>2/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
School readiness plus program continued	<a href="#">HF 871</a> <a href="#">Bernardy</a>	2/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/9 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1549</a> <a href="#">Kunesh</a>	3/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy
Head Start appropriation distribution modified, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 911</a> <a href="#">Kotyza-</a> <a href="#">Witthuhn</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/11 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1014</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	2/15/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Education Finance and Policy

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Governor's Education Policy Bill- Prekindergarten through 12th grade education funding provided including general education, education excellence, health and well-being, nutrition, libraries, early childhood, and post secondary enrollment options and graduation	<a href="#">HF 950</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/10/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy Committee. <b>2/24 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 788</a> <a href="#">Chamberlain</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy Committee. <b>2/17 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Prenatal substance use reporting requirements modified.	<a href="#">HF 1026</a> <a href="#">Morrison</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy Committee. <b>2/26 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1182</a> <a href="#">Benson</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>2/24 Bill heard, passed as amended and re-referred to Civil Law</b>
Child care center regulation modernization project established, report required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1036</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/4 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2216</a> <a href="#">Franzen</a>	3/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Children and family services, community supports, direct care and treatment, health care, human service licensing and background studies, and chemical and mental health service provisions modified; forecast adjustments made; reports required; money transferred; technical and conforming changes made	<a href="#">HF 1040</a> <a href="#">Schultz</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy	<a href="#">SF 982</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	2/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Licensing Policy Committee. <b>3/24 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Increase Teachers of Color Act in higher education strengthened, and student teacher grants and teacher shortage loan forgiveness provisions modified	<a href="#">HF 1041</a> <a href="#">Keeler</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy. <b>3/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 797</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Labor and Industry Policy Committee. <b>2/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Prekindergarten through grade 12 education program legislative grant evidence-based standard established, and report required	<a href="#">HF 1057</a> <a href="#">Bennett</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance. <b>3/3 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 987</a> <a href="#">Dornink</a>	2/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy. <b>2/22 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>



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<b>Education Omnibus Policy Bill</b> Commissioner of education reporting requirements clarified, and obsolete language removed.	<a href="#">HF 1081</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. 3/12 Bill passed as amended and referred to Education Finance. 3/17 Committee held informational hearing. 3/18 Hearing Judiciary and Civil Law Committee and referred to the Education Finance Committee. <b>3/24 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1662</a> <a href="#">Wiger</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy.
Child care assistance program modified	<a href="#">HF 1126</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	2/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy	<a href="#">SF 1956</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	3/10/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform and Policy Committee. <b>3/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Doula certifying organization list modified, and doula registry governing provisions modified	<a href="#">HF 1178</a> <a href="#">Edelson</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health Finance and Policy	<a href="#">SF 2155</a> <a href="#">Coleman</a>	3/17/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>3/22 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Pregnant women and family home visiting program established, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1197</a> <a href="#">Bahner</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/4 Bill passed and referred to Health Finance and Policy</b>	<a href="#">SF 1360</a> <a href="#">Coleman</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>3/8 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>

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Paid family, pregnancy, bonding, and applicant's serious medical condition benefits provided; employment leaves regulated and required	<a href="#">HF 1200</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. 2/23 Bill heard and referred to State Government Finance and Elections Committee. 3/2 Bill passed as amended and referred to Commerce Committee. 3/9 Bill heard and referred to Human Services Finance and Policy. 3/12 Bill heard and referred to Labor and Industry, Veteran's and Military Affairs. 3/16 Bill heard and re-referred to Health Finance and Policy. 3/17 Bill heard and referred to Judiciary Finance and Civil Law. 3/18 Bill heard and referred to Workforce and Business Development. <b>3/24 bill heard and laid over for consideration</b>	<a href="#">SF 1205</a> <a href="#">Kent</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Labor and Industry Policy	
Early care and education affordability and workforce compensation established, report required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1278</a> <a href="#">Baldon</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/2 Bill heard in committee and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1814</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	3/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to State Government Finance and Policy and Elections	

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Health care service and consultation telehealth coverage modified	<a href="#">HF 1412</a> <a href="#">Morrison</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Commerce Finance and Policy. 3/4 Bill heard and referred to Health Finance and Policy. <b>3/8 Bill laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1160</a> <a href="#">Rosen</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. 2/25 Bill heard and referred to Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy. 3/4 Bill heard and referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. 3/10 Bill heard and referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. 3/18 Bill heard and referred to State Government Finance and Policy and Elections. <b>3/24 Bill heard and referred to Rules Committee. 3/26 Bill heard and referred to Finance Committee.</b>
Child care assistance funding priorities modified for eligible families, and allocation of funds adjusted	<a href="#">HF 1467</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/2 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1980</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	3/10/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform and Policy Committee.
Workforce development and scholarships clarified and expanded	<a href="#">HF 1519</a> <a href="#">Haley</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Workforce and Development Finance and Policy Committee	<a href="#">SF 1301</a> <a href="#">Tomassoni</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/2 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
COVID-19 executive orders human services programs background study requirements modifications waiver extension	<a href="#">HF 1564</a> <a href="#">Frederick</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy	<a href="#">SF 496</a> Utke	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Licensing Policy. 2/9 Bill passed and re-referred to Civil Law and Data Practices. <b>2/23 Bill heard and Passed as amended, re-referred to Human Services Reform and Finance.</b>

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Group family day care child-adult capacity ratios and age distribution restrictions modifications	<a href="#">HF 1581</a> <a href="#">Grossell</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee	<a href="#">SF 827 Utke</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to the Human Services Reform Finance and Policy Committee. 2/16 Bill passed as amended and re-referred to Human Services Reform Committee. <b>3/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Kindergarten readiness assessment modified, report required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1568</a> <a href="#">Kottlyza-Witthuhn</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/11 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2164</a> <a href="#">Duckworth</a>	3/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy
Licensed family child care provider funding provided to establish a peer mentoring program, reports required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1652</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1573</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy
Human Services Background Study Disqualification Review Task Force establishment and appropriation	<a href="#">HF 1825</a> <a href="#">Edelson</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 297 Abeler</a>	1/25/21 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Licensing Policy. 2/2 Heard in Committee. Referred to Referred to State Government Finance and Policy. 2/23 Heard in Committee and referred to Rules Committee. <b>3/22 Bill heard and referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. 3/23 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Parent Aware; early childhood program quality rating and improvement system modified, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1876</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/9 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2174</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	3/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy

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Family Child Care Task Force recommendations implementation	<a href="#">HF 2003</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	3/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1762</a> <a href="#">Kiffmeyer</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Licensing Policy. 3/9 Bill heard in committee and referred to State Government Finance. 3/11 Bill heard in committee and refererd to Civil Law and Data Practices. <b>3/15 bill heard and referred to Judiciary and Public Safety. 3/15 Withdrawn and referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. 3/16 bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Commissioner of human services directed to enter into contract with public-private African-American community-driven partnership to support high-risk pregnant women integrated care grant program	<a href="#">HF 2136</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	3/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health Finance and Policy. <b>3/15 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2281</a> <a href="#">Torres Ray</a>	3/24/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy
Early learning scholarships program modified	<a href="#">HF 2203</a> <a href="#">Davnie</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2310</a> <a href="#">Wiger</a>	3/25/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Education Finance and Policy
Lake Crystal Little Lakers Day Care Center appropriation	<a href="#">HF 2287</a> <a href="#">Munson</a>	3/17/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/24 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1689</a> <a href="#">Rosen</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy. <b>3/10 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Property tax credit established for licensed in-home child care providers, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 2474</a> <a href="#">Hamilton</a>	4/9/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes	<a href="#">SF 2334</a> <a href="#">Weber</a>	4/6/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes
Child care assistance program disqualification for child care providers that rely upon representations of compliance prohibition			<a href="#">SF 795</a> <a href="#">Murphy</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/23 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>

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<b>BILLS HEARD BUT NOT INCLUDED IN OMNIBUS BILLS</b>					
COVID-19; actions to combat the educational effects of the pandemic implemented, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 4 Hassan</a>	1/7/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. 1/21 Committee report to adopt and re-refer to Education Finance. <b>1/28 Bill heard-informational hearing only.</b>	<a href="#">SF 64 Wiger</a>	1/14/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy	
Parental notice of and participation required in maltreatment determination reconsideration and human services licensing sanction appeal hearings	<a href="#">HF 60 Koegel</a>	1/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>2/17 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion.</b>	<a href="#">SF 79 Hoffman</a>	1/14/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy	
Education partnership program modified, Tier 3 grants defined, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 156 Wolgamott</a>	1/19/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance. <b>2/10 Bill heard and laid over for for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 707 Nelson</a>	2/8/2021 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy. <b>2/2 Bill heard and laid over for for consideration.</b>	
Greater Minnesota child care facility program funding provided, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 411 Olson, L.</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. 2/25 Bill passed and re-referred to the Workforce and Business Development Committee. <b>3/8 bill heard and laid over for consideration..</b>	<a href="#">SF 1169 Weber</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Committee. <b>3/10 Bill heard and laid over for for consideration.</b>	
Greater Minnesota child care facility program funding provided, bonds issued, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 414 Olson, L.</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Capital Investment. <b>3/11 Informational Hearing.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1618 Weber</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Capital Investment	
Full-service community schools grants appropriations	<a href="#">HF 587 Murphy</a>	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance. <b>2/18 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 199 Wiger</a>	1/21/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy	
After-school community learning programs modified	<a href="#">HF 786 Lee</a>	2/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy Committee. <b>2/24 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 821 Eichorn</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy	

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Unused dependent care flexible spending account fund carryover required in benefit plan years 2020 and 2021.	<a href="#">HF 821</a> <a href="#">Koegel</a>	2/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/9 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1082</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	2/17/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes.	
Department of Early Childhood established, and rulemaking authorized	<a href="#">HF 1024</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. 2/16 Bill heard and referred to Education Finance Committee. <b>2/23 Bill heard and referred as amended to Human Services Finance and Policy Committee. 2/26 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2170</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	3/18/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Education Finance and Policy	
Intensive in-home children's mental health stabilization and support services established, and commissioner of human services instructed to identify existing and emerging federal matching funds for intensive children's mental health services and supports	<a href="#">HF 1025</a> <a href="#">Morrison</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy Committee. 2/12 Referred by Chair to the Behavioral Policy Committee.	<a href="#">SF 1321</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard and Health and Human Services Finance and Policy Committee.</b>	
Individual income tax child care professional supply and retention credit; appropriation	<a href="#">HF 1125</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	2/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>2/25 Bill passed and referred to Tax Committee.</b>	<a href="#">SF 934</a> Nelson	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes Committee. <b>4/8 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	
Healthy development of babies during pregnancy and postpartum grant for black, indigenous, or people of color families funding provided; and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1268</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health Finance and Policy Committee. 2/23 Bill heard and laid over for consideration. <b>3/23 Informational hearing in Early Childhood Committee.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1744</a> <a href="#">Torres-Ray</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy	
Department of education early learning scholarship appropriations	<a href="#">HF 1293</a> <a href="#">Kotzya-</a> <a href="#">Witthuhn</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/11 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 705</a> Nelson	2/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy	

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Individual income tax educator expense credit establishment	<a href="#">HF 1317</a> <a href="#">Keeler</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. <b>3/17 Bill heard and referred to the committee on Taxes.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1577</a> <a href="#">Kunesh</a>	3/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>3/11 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Reach Out and Read Minnesota grant program funding provided, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1384</a> <a href="#">Kotyza-Witthuhn</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/2 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2000</a> <a href="#">Housley</a>	3/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy Committee
Dependent care credit amount increased	<a href="#">HF 1401</a> <a href="#">Becker-Finn</a>	2/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>3/15 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1777</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>3/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration</b>
Child care assistance rates modified, and commissioner of management and budget directed to forecast basic sliding fee child care assistance program	<a href="#">HF 1747</a> <a href="#">Boldon</a>	3/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/9 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1574</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	3/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Department of Human Services fiscal year 2021 forecasted childcare assistance program appropriations adjusted	<a href="#">HF 2112</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	3/10/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/15 Bill heard and referred to Ways and Means.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2129</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	3/17/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Department of Human Service fiscal year 2021 forecasted program appropriations adjusted	<a href="#">HF 2129</a> <a href="#">Liebling</a>	3/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health Finance and Policy. <b>3/18 Bill heard and referred to Ways and Means.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2050</a> <a href="#">Benson</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>3/18 bill heard and referred to Finance.</b>
K-12 education expense credit modified	<a href="#">HF 2171</a> <a href="#">Keeler</a>	3/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes	<a href="#">SF 570</a> <a href="#">Eichorn</a>	2/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>2/16 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>
Department of Employment and Economic Development Child Care Business Development appropriation	<a href="#">HF 2352</a> <a href="#">Kottyza-Witthuhn</a>	3/22/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy	<a href="#">SF 465</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	1/28/2021 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth and Policy. <b>3/10 Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>



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Early Childhood Learning and Child Protection Facilities	<a href="#">HF 2369</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	3/23/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Capital Investment. <b>4/6 Bill given an informational hearing.</b>			
Workforce training and entrepreneurship investments intended to help close the state's opportunity gaps for Minnesotans of color appropriation			<a href="#">SF 2150</a> <a href="#">Champion</a>	3/17/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy. <b>Bill heard and laid over for consideration.</b>	
<b>BILLS INTRODUCED BUT NOT HEARD IN EITHER BODY</b>					
Child care assistance program, basic sliding fee child care and MFIP child care provisions repealed	<a href="#">HF 145</a> <a href="#">Mortensen</a>	1/19/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy			
Minnesota Reads task force established to review adult and children literacy programs	<a href="#">HF 591</a> <a href="#">Christensen</a>	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy committee	<a href="#">SF 45</a> <a href="#">Wiger</a>	1/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy	
Municipal officers or employees personal child care providers licensing liability exemption modifications	<a href="#">HF 865</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	2/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee	<a href="#">SF 518</a> <a href="#">Kiffmeyer</a>	2/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Civil Law and Data Practices Policy	
Working tax credit eligibility expanded	<a href="#">HF 1022</a> <a href="#">Gomez</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes	<a href="#">SF 2123</a> <a href="#">Dziedzic</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes	
Educator expense credit established	<a href="#">HF 1316</a> <a href="#">Keeler</a>	2/18/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy	<a href="#">SF 1578</a> <a href="#">Kunesh</a>	3/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes	
Older adult continuing care, children and family services, community supports, health care and licensing and background studies policies modified; and technical and conforming changes made	<a href="#">HF 1510</a> <a href="#">Schultz</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy Committee	<a href="#">SF 1414</a> <a href="#">Benson</a>	2/25/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy Committee.	
Black Men Teach Twin Cities grant authorized to increase the number of black male teachers, report required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1773</a> <a href="#">Frazier</a>	3/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance	<a href="#">SF 1685</a> <a href="#">Koran</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy	

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Home-visiting program funding provided for pregnant women and families, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1930 Bahner</a>	3/4/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy		
Working family tax credit eligibility modified	<a href="#">HF 2006 Her</a>	3/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Tax Committee.	<a href="#">SF 1842 Murphy</a>	3/8/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes.
Day care providers insurance policies provisions modifications	<a href="#">HF 2042 Demuth</a>	3/9/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Commerce Finance and Policy	<a href="#">SF 150 Kiffmeyer</a>	1/19/21 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Commerce and Consumer Protection Finance and Policy
School readiness plus program continued	<a href="#">HF 2158 Lucero</a>	3/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Judiciary Finance and Civil Law	<a href="#">SF 1607 Mathews</a>	3/1/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Civil Law and Data Practices Policy
Joyce Preschool funding provided, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 2443 Gomez</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Workforce and Business Development Finance and Policy	<a href="#">SF 2109 Franzen</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy
Child care assistance program fraud investigation department of human services transfer to the department of public safety	<a href="#">HF 2217 Lucero</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Human Services Finance and Policy.	<a href="#">SF 175 Koran</a>	1/19/21 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy
Early learning scholarship eligibility and funding amended, and statutory appropriation made	<a href="#">HF 2402 Robbins</a>	3/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy		
YWCA Minneapolis grant appropriation	<a href="#">HF 2408 Xiong, J.</a>	3/25/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Workforce and Business Development Finance and Policy	<a href="#">SF 2108 Franzen</a>	3/15/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy
Full-service community schools grants appropriations			<a href="#">SF 198 Wiger</a>	1/21/21 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Education Finance and Policy
First Children's Finance Child Care Site Assistance Grant Program and appropriation			<a href="#">SF 470 Wiklund</a>	1/28/21 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy

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Ramsey County day school child care assistance overpayment appropriation authorization			<a href="#">SF 796</a> <a href="#">Murphy</a>	2/11/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to the Committee on Human Services Reform Finance and Policy Committee
Early learning scholarships appropriation			<a href="#">SF 2353</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	4/6/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Finance and Policy
Early learning scholarships appropriation			<a href="#">SF 2388</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	4/8/21 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Education Finance and Policy
Income and corporate franchise onetime tax subtraction for peacetime emergency child care grants			<a href="#">SF 2407</a> <a href="#">Eken</a>	4/13/21 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes