

**LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION STUDY COMMITTEE
BILL ANALYSIS**

Bill Number: SJM 11

51st Legislature, 2nd Session, 2014

Tracking Number: .195559.3

Short Title: Vision for High-Quality Education in New Mexico

Sponsor(s): Senator Jacob Candelaria and Others

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Bill Summary:

Noting the universal need for a high-quality, well-rounded education, which includes consideration of a number of “wraparound issues,” such as mental health, healthcare, meal programs, and technology, as well as acknowledging the systemic problem of poverty in New Mexico, SJM 11 asks the Legislature to:

- recognize the need for a high-quality, inclusive, and equitable public education for all; and
- “renew its commitment to New Mexico’s families, students, educators and communities to focus resources and create policies in a way that moves New Mexico towards its shared vision of universal, high-quality education.”

Fiscal Impact:

Legislative memorials do not carry appropriations.

Committee Referrals:

SRC/SEC