



Education Bills for the 113th Congress

Early Education Package

- ❖ **Tax Credit for Early Educators Act**
 - Increases child care tax credit to help enroll kids in early childhood development programs.
- ❖ **Preparing and Reinvesting in Early Education Act**
 - Student loan forgiveness for graduates of early education college programs.
- ❖ **Child Care Public-Private Partnership Act**
 - Grant incentives to promote public-private partnerships to establish on-site childcare programs.

Career Readiness Package

- ❖ **Counseling for Career Choice Act**
 - Brings stakeholders together and provides resources to help counselors make students aware of all postsecondary opportunities and high-demand careers.
- ❖ **Professional Development for Educators Act**
 - Advances teaching and student readiness by improving professional development for teachers and principals.
- ❖ **Career and Technical Education Facilities Modernization Act**
 - Modernizes career technical education and science facilities into high performing and safe facilities to better prepare our students for Alaska jobs.
- ❖ **Investing in Innovation Act**
 - Scales-up local, innovative education ideas through grant opportunities.

Rural Education

- ❖ **Rural Educator and American Community Housing Act**
 - Provides grants, loan repayment, and payments of interest to improve housing for educators in rural communities.
- ❖ The *Investing in Innovation Act* and the *Career and Technical Education Facilities Modernization Act* both dedicate a minimum of 25 percent of funds to projects in rural areas.