SB 202  (Rahman-5th)  Bill Link
Provides for the GaDOE to establish and study a pilot program of outdoor learning spaces on elementary and secondary school property in order to determine whether and how to implement best practices and design standards for outdoor learning spaces.
Status: Recommended Do Pass by the Senate Education & Youth Committee. The bill was TABLED in the Senate and did NOT crossover to the House.

SB 207  (Estevez-6th)  Bill Link
Revises the minimum base salary for certificated professional personnel with bachelor’s degrees and from zero to two years of creditable service to no less than $49,092.00. The bill also provides for periodic salary studies.
Status: Senate Education & Youth Committee

SB 208  (Dolezal-27th)  Bill Link
Allows each local board of education of a high growth school system to, by resolution, impose, levy, and collect educational development impact fees within any area of such school system with a total increase in student enrollment of 20% or more during the immediately preceding ten-year period.
Status: Recommended Do Pass by the Senate Education & Youth Committee. The bill rests in Senate Rules Committee.

SB 241  (Hickman-4th)  Bill Link
Lowers the starting age for compulsory education attendance from six years to five years of age.
Status: Senate Education and Youth Committee

SB 252  (Anavitarte-31st)  Bill Link
Authorizes the State Board of Education to establish a program to assist public schools, local school systems, and students in home study programs to use interactive online learning modules for instruction of students in grades six through 12 in United States history based on content standards approved by the State Board of Education.
Status: Senate Education and Youth Committee

SB 261  (Dolezal-27th)  Bill Link
Prohibits the use of political litmus tests in postsecondary educational institutions, local school systems, and elementary and secondary schools and prohibits such entities from passing certain tests or meeting certain qualifications as a condition of admission into, or promotion within, any public educational institution of the state, as teacher, employee, or student.
Status: Senate Education and Youth Committee

SB 264  (Jackson-41st)  Bill Link
Provides that noncitizen students with certain refugee, special immigrant, or humanitarian parolee status under federal law are classified as in-state for tuition purposes subject to certain conditions.
Status: Senate Higher Education Committee

SB 268  (Islam-7th)  Bill Link
Provides for limitations on waiver and variance requests by local school systems requesting flexibility, and removes the requirement that local school systems requesting flexibility must select at least one waiver or variance request from a prescribed list of options.
Status: Senate Education and Youth Committee

SB 275  (Harbin-16th)  Bill Link
Provides for student loan repayment for General Assembly staff members.
Status: Senate Government Oversight Committee

SB 284  (Estevez-6th)  Bill Link
Adds a program for students living in poverty to the table of quality basic education instructional programs with weights and student-teacher ratios.
Status: Senate Education and Youth Committee