

## HB333 INTRODUCED



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2      U935BDD-1  
3      By Representatives Colvin, Kiel  
4      RFD: Education Policy  
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## 4     SYNOPSIS:

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6                 This bill would require athletic associations to  
7                 adjust a public high school's athletic classification  
8                 to reflect the number of English language learner  
9                 students who do not participate in athletics that are  
10                enrolled at the school.

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13                         A BILL

14                         TO BE ENTITLED

15                         AN ACT

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17                 Relating to public high schools; to require athletic  
18                 associations to adjust schools' athletic classifications to  
19                 reflect enrolled English language learners who do not  
20                 participate in athletics.

21     BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

22                 Section 1. (a) For purposes of this section, the term  
23                 "athletic association" has the same meaning as provided in  
24                 Section 16-1-52.1, Code of Alabama 1975.

25                 (b) Solely for purposes of classifying public high  
26                 schools for competition in athletic association championship  
27                 programs or other interscholastic athletic events, an athletic  
28                 association of which a public high school is a member shall

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29      adjust the school's athletic classification to reflect the  
30      number of English language learner students enrolled at the  
31      school who do not participate in any interscholastic athletic  
32      events.

33                (c) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules to  
34      implement this section.

35                (d) This section shall apply beginning with the  
36      athletic classifications in effect for the 2028-2029 academic  
37      school year.

38                Section 2. This act shall become effective on June 1,  
39      2026.