

HB 1086 -- Public School Enrollment

Sponsor: Shively

This bill allows, beginning in school year 2010-2011, any school district to adopt a policy that permits a child who turns five years of age for kindergarten or six years of age for first grade between August 1 and October 1 to attend school. Schools adopting a policy will be eligible to receive state aid for these children. Currently, only the Kansas City and St. Louis school districts may establish a younger entry age.