

BILL SUMMARY
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Bill No.:	SB1170
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Impact:	Please see previous summary of this measure

Research Analysis

The bill repeals EOI testing. School districts will certify and award a standard diploma to students that master state curriculum requirements. The State Board of Education, in consultation with the State Regents and the Board of Career and Technology Education, must adopt an assessment or assessments that measure mastery of English, math and science. School districts will be required to administer these assessments at least once before completion of the twelfth grade, but school districts may apply to the Board to administer more assessments. It provides accommodations for students on an IEP and for ELL. Additionally, the Oklahoma School for the Blind and the Oklahoma School for the Deaf will be considered local education agencies for the purposes of purchasing, administering, and obtaining test results. It provides reporting requirements for school districts including the number of students who graduate with a standard diploma and student performance on assessments. The State Department of Education will provide an annual report to the Governor and Legislature with district-level data and performance rankings.

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Fiscal Analysis

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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Other Considerations

None.