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Bill Analysis

SB 410 modifies the curriculum requirements for graduation. It adds computer science or acceptance and successful completion of a career and technology program leading to an industry credential/certificate or college credit as an option to fulfill the science units or sets of competencies as part of a core curriculum. It adds computer science as an option to fulfill the laboratory science units or sets of competencies beginning with students entering the eighth grade in the 2025-2026 school year. Beginning with students entering the eighth grade in the 2026-27 school year, the bill requires students to complete one unit of State Department of Education-approved computer science or one unit if an industry-aligned career and technology education course in the foundations of computer science. It allows the unit to fulfill the world or non-English language requirement for core curriculum; or the mathematics requirement for students entering the eighth grade beginning in the 2025-2026 school year.

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