



Vote Yes on HB 1282

***Every blind or visually impaired child in grades K-12 deserves to learn braille.**

***What is HB 1282? Sponsored by Representative Carl Gilliard, HB 1282 will assure that the individualized education program (IEP), of each blind or visually impaired child includes provisions for instruction in Braille and the use of Braille appropriate to the child's current and future literacy needs.**

***Why is it important? Instruction in Braille reading and writing will enable each blind or visually im-**

paired child to communicate effectively and efficiently with the same level of proficiency expected of the child's peers of comparable ability and grade level.

***Who does it impact? It impacts every blind and visually impaired student in the state of Georgia.**

***How can I help? Vote yes on HB 1282 when it comes up for a vote in your chamber. Right now, HB 1282 is waiting to be scheduled for a hearing in the next committee.**

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