

 <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill</p>	Red Bill # HB 16						
	Referred to Committee: House 4						
Authors: Chase Barnes	Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <td>House</td> <td>Senate</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table>	House	Senate	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
House		Senate					
___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed		___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed					
___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated						
School: Central Hardin High School							
City: Cecilia							

1 An act to require performance based funding for Kentucky colleges and universities.
2
3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
4
5 Section 1: The Commonwealth of Kentucky currently provides incentives such as funding for colleges based
6 on the number of full time students enrolled at the beginning of a semester. This creates the issues of
7 colleges enrolling many students for the sake or receiving more funding. Colleges who enroll many students
8 in the practice of garnering funding do not always work as hard to make sure those reach the end of the
9 semester successfully. Requiring performance based funding would both make colleges work harder at
10 producing successful students, as well as safe the state money in funds being given to colleges to
11 supposedly be used on students who don't even complete their education there.
12
13 Section 2: The bill will help to ensure higher rates of success for college students in Kentucky along with
14 raising over all levels of education for Kentucky citizens. Colleges would be required to help students in the
15 academic path they choose. This would help keep enrolled students better focused and on path to
16 graduation.
17
18 Section 3: This bill require no additional funding . The funds previously used for enrollment incentives will
19 continued to be used for this, but just distributed differently.
20
21 Section 4: A commission will be formed to establish the criteria for what is "success" and what is levels a
22 college must meet to obtain what level of financial assistance for their success. The commission will review
23 data to determine these requirements and levels.
24
25 Section 5: This bill will go into effect on January 1, 2014