

 <b>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill</b>	<b>Red   Bill # SB 46</b>						
	<b>Referred to Committee: Senate 1</b>						
<b>Authors:</b> Haley Wheeler, Jacob Trent, Donovan Poe	<b>Action on the Bill</b>  <table> <tr> <td><b>House</b></td> <td><b>Senate</b></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>	<b>House</b>	<b>Senate</b>	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
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<b>School:</b> Powell County High School							
<b>City:</b> Stanton							

1 An act to provide tuition to students with GPA of 3.5 and ACT of 27.

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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**

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5 Section 1: Currently in the state of Kentucky students who earn the title of valedictorian may receive free  
6 college tuition. While this endeavor is worthwhile, we feel that the same benefits should be extended to a  
7 larger group of deserving students. These students are others who have proven that they are capable of  
8 success in college and could bring back skills to their home communities after receiving a college education.

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10 Section 2: Under this law students who have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher and an ACT of 27 or higher  
11 would receive free tuition to any state college or university for a period of four years.

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13 Section 3: Students who receive this would have to maintain a GPA of 3.5 or higher in college as well. If a  
14 student dropped below the required GPA level then they would have to pay the remainder of their college  
15 tuition, but would not be required to back pay tuition for semesters in which they did meet the requirements.  
16 After four years if a student was not finished with their course work they would be able to fill out an  
17 application for an extension of this funding. These would be handled on a case by case basis.

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19 Section 4: This law would encourage students to stay in state for college and then they would be more likely  
20 to receive job offers within the state as well. There are many students in our high schools who would excel in  
21 college, but feel that they do not have the option due to nothing other than lack of funding. Many students  
22 are warned about being in debt from student loans and try to stay away from this route if at all possible.  
23 This law would ensure that more Kentuckians are able to receive college degrees, a success that our whole  
24 state would reap the benefits from.