	Red   Bill # 21
the KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Legislative Bill	<b>Referred to Committee:</b> Senate 5
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School: Henderson Co. HS	House Senate
City: Henderson	Passed  Passed  Passed  Defeated  Defeated

1	An act to award Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES) money to all students who receive a
2	qualifying score on all AP/IB exams.
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4	Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky
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6	Section 1: This bill is proposing an amendment regarding the current KEES money legislation to include all
7	students, regardless of their financial standing, to be awarded additional KEES money for qualifying scores
8	on Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate exams. AP qualifying scores are that of a 3, 4, and
9	5. The IB scores must be a 5, 6, or 7.
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11	Section 2: Awards will be given in sums of \$200, \$250, and \$300 respectively increasing with the score
12	received.
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14	Section 3: Money earned from these test scores will be added to money earned from other opportunities
15	including ACT tests and GPA. It will also be renewable.
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17	Section 4: The funding for KEES money awards is provided by the Kentucky lottery and the Kentucky Higher
18	Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA). The funding is already in place for the expansion of this program. If
19	attending an out of state college, the funds are not awarded and go back into the program for another
20	qualifying student

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