

Education (General Provisions) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

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I wish to say that the proposed changes if they go through will cause a great deal of further trauma and difficulty to families already struggling with the school environment. Children that are home schooling have generally ended up this way due to difficulties they already had at school whether it be socially, academically, emotionally etc and have had to work hard to come back from the trauma of that. I have seen children change from going to school to home schooling who have thrived and have gone on to further study such as tafe and uni. Many children especially those that are neurodiverse struggle with the school environment and have been shown to work better in a 1:1 home school environment with learning things that are to their interests. It is in many children's best interests to continue to learn this way. Changing this to follow the Australian curriculum will make things difficult for parents, carers and the children. And losing the 60 days to plan appropriately for this will also have a negative impact on children and their families. Please don't allow these changes to come through.