



GOV. MSG. NO. 1335

EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS  
HONOLULU

DAVID Y. IGE  
GOVERNOR

June 30, 2022

The Honorable Ronald D. Kouchi,  
President  
and Members of the Senate  
Thirty-First State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 409  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

The Honorable Scott K. Saiki,  
Speaker and Members of the  
House of Representatives  
Thirty-First State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 431  
Honolulu, Hawai'i 96813

Dear President Kouchi, Speaker Saiki, and Members of the Legislature:

This is to inform you that on June 30, 2022, the following bill was signed into law:

SB2184 SD1 HD1 CD1

RELATING TO DIGITAL LEARNING.  
**ACT 233**

Sincerely,

DAVID Y. IGE  
Governor, State of Hawai'i

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO DIGITAL LEARNING.

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:**

1           SECTION 1. The legislature finds that digital learning  
2 will continue to be a critical component of education in the  
3 twenty-first century. Digital learning also has the potential  
4 to promote the equitable delivery of high-quality educational  
5 offerings to students statewide. The legislature further finds  
6 that the department of education needs a comprehensive and  
7 dedicated operation to manage the quality and delivery of  
8 digital learning services.

9           The purpose of this Act is to establish a digital learning  
10 center within the department of education and appropriate funds  
11 to staff and administer the digital learning center.

12           SECTION 2. Chapter 302A, part II, subpart C, Hawaii  
13 Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section to be  
14 appropriately designated and to read as follows:

15           "S302A- Digital learning center. There is established  
16 within the department a digital learning center. The purpose of  
17 the digital learning center shall be to:



- 1        (1) Improve the quality and delivery of digital learning
- 2        services throughout the public school system;
- 3        (2) Provide resources and services that help students
- 4        develop and improve their digital literacy skills; and
- 5        (3) Provide resources and services to promote safe
- 6        computing practices."

7        SECTION 3. There is appropriated out of the general  
8 revenues of the State of Hawaii the sum of \$7,099,062.57 or so  
9 much thereof as may be necessary for fiscal year 2022-2023 for  
10 the purposes of establishing a digital learning center,  
11 including but not limited to facilities, equipment, properties,  
12 operating expenses, and personnel.

13        The sum appropriated shall be expended by the department of  
14 education for the purposes of this Act.

15        SECTION 4. New statutory material is underscored.

16        SECTION 5. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2022.



S.B. NO.

2184  
S.D. 1  
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C.D. 1

APPROVED this 30th day of June , 2022

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David I. Ige". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

**THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF HAWAI‘I**

Date: May 3, 2022  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

We hereby certify that the foregoing Bill this day passed Final Reading in the Senate of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawai‘i, Regular Session of 2022.

  
President of the Senate

  
Clerk of the Senate

SB No. 2184, SD 1, HD 1, CD 1

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

Date: May 03, 2022  
Honolulu, Hawaii

We hereby certify that the above-referenced Bill on this day passed Final Reading in the House of Representatives of the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2022.



Scott K. Saiki  
Speaker  
House of Representatives



Brian L. Takeshita  
Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives