

SENATE No. 291

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Nick Collins

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to civics education.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Nick Collins

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

First Suffolk

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By Mr. Collins, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 291) of Nick Collins for legislation relative to civics education. Education.

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-Second General Court
(2021-2022)

An Act relative to civics education.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, all school districts shall
2 submit to the Joint Committee on Education, the House and Senate Committee on Ways and
3 Means, and the Clerks of the House and the Senate their plans to implement a culturally
4 competent civics education curriculum including but not limited to the history and contributions
5 of: women, people of color, immigrants, the civil rights movement, the women's suffrage
6 movement, the abolitionist movement, native peoples, religious minorities, the LGBT
7 community, veterans, and other underrepresented groups in history, by June 30, 2022