

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, 49-6-2206. **BE IT ENACTED BY THE 2025 TENNESSEE 4-H CONGRESS:**

- Section 1: This act shall be known as the "The Classroom Focus Bill."
- **Section 2:** As enacted, this bill would require all public schools in Tennessee to enforce this bill.
- **Section 3:** Students in grade 1-12 will only be allowed to utilize cell phones during class time in case of emergency, to manage their health, or when specifically given permission by teacher.
- *Section 4:* Students may use cell phone before school, after school, and between classes.
- **Section 5:** School districts may create their own discipline code for breaking cell phone rules including taking cell phones away for the rest of the day and banning student from using cell phone at school for a period of time after multiple infractions.
- **Section 6:** This act shall become effective January 1, 2026 upon passage by the legislature and approval by the Governor or upon its otherwise becoming a law.

Passed:

Speaker of the Senate

Tennessee 4-H Congress



AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, 49-6-2206. **BE IT ENACTED BY THE 2025 TENNESSEE 4-H CONGRESS:**

SECTION 1: This act shall be known as the "The Student AI Assistance Bill."

SECTION 2: Teachers in grades 6-12 may allow students to utilize artificial intelligence (AI) tools as a resource for completing assignments.

SECTION 3: Teachers will be equipped with AI tools and training to ethically and effectively use AI in classrooms to enhance learning.

Section 4: Schools using AI in the classroom must implement guidelines to ensure that students responsibly use AI without compromising academic integrity.

Passed:

Speaker of the Senate

Tennessee 4-H Congress



AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated Title 55, Chapter 50 relative to licensed driver knowledge and skill competency for all Tennessee licensed drivers. **BE IT ENACTED BY THE 2025 TENNESSEE 4-H CONGRESS:**

Section 1: This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Tennessee Driver Competency and Safety Act".

Section 2: This Act will require all licensed drivers to periodically repeat a driver's test as part of the license renewal process (10 years). The renewal process will include both written and road skill testing.

Part A: Special Provisions: Drivers under the age of 25 AND over the age of 65 will be required to repeat the test every five years, addressing the increased risks associated with aging drivers and ensuring they remain capable of safely operating a vehicle.

Section 3: This Act aims to ensure that drivers remain knowledgeable about current traffic laws, road safety practices, and modern vehicle technologies, thus reducing the risk of accidents and improving overall driving competence.

Section 4: This Act will address the challenges of evolving road conditions, changing regulations, and the growing age of the driving population, ultimately promoting safer driving habits and reducing traffic- related incidents.

Passed:

Speaker of the Senate Tennessee 4-H Congress



AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated Title 47, Chapter18, Part 107 relative to addressing growing concerns regarding the security risks and privacy violations associated with the use of TikTok, a social media platform owned by the Chinese company ByteDance. **BE IT ENACTED BY THE 2025 TENNESSEE 4-H CONGRESS:**

Section 1: This act shall be known and may be cited as the "TikTok Security and Privacy Protection Bill".

Section 2: This Act will safeguard Tennesseans' personal data by prohibiting the use of TikTok on government-owned devices and networks, ensuring compliance with U.S. privacy laws, subsequent TN laws, and mitigating the potential for foreign threats through the collection and misuse of sensitive information.

Section 3: This Act will establish a framework for ongoing oversight of foreign-operated social media platforms in our state, ensuring that these companies adhere to rigorous cybersecurity standards to protect national security and public welfare. This oversight committee will collaborate with federal oversight bodies to maintain Tennesseans' personal privacy and data security.

Section 4: This Act mandates that Tennesseans' personal data cannot be transferred or stored outside the U.S. without strict privacy protections and compliance with U.S. and TN laws.

Section 5: This Act provides the Governor with the authority to implement a ban on TikTok unless the company meets U.S. cybersecurity, data protection, and privacy standards.

Passed:

Speaker of the Senate Tennessee 4-H Congress



2025 Tennessee 4-H State Congress