SENATE BILL 236

By: Senators Robinson and Smith
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Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

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CHAPTER _____

AN ACT concerning

State Board of Education – Financial Literacy and Entrepreneurship
Curriculum – Development and Implementation

FOR the purpose of requiring the State Board of Education to develop curriculum content
for a certain course in financial literacy and entrepreneurship; authorizing certain
county boards of education to implement certain curriculum content beginning in a
certain school year; and generally relating to the development and implementation
of a financial literacy and entrepreneurship curriculum.

BY adding to

Article – Education
Section 7–125
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2014 Replacement Volume and 2017 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,
That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article – Education

7–125.

(A) THE STATE BOARD SHALL DEVELOP CURRICULUM CONTENT FOR A
SEMESTER–LONG HIGH SCHOOL ELECTIVE COURSE IN FINANCIAL LITERACY AND
ENTREPRENEURSHIP.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.
[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.
Underlining indicates amendments to bill.
Strikeout indicates matter stricken from the bill by amendment or deleted from the law by
amendment.
(B) Beginning in the 2018–2019 school year, each county board may implement the financial literacy and entrepreneurship curriculum content developed under subsection (A) of this section.

SECTION 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2018.

Approved:

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Governor.

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President of the Senate.

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Speaker of the House of Delegates.