

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2007**

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**HOUSE BILL 699**

Short Title: Funds for Academically Gifted Students. (Public)

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Sponsors: Representatives Glazier, Allen, Weiss, England (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Carney, Faison, Harrison, Lucas, Parmon, Stiller, Wainwright, E. Warren, and Wray.

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Referred to: Appropriations.

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March 15, 2007

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO INCREASE FUNDING FOR ACADEMICALLY OR  
2 INTELLECTUALLY GIFTED CHILDREN.  
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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the  
6 Department of Public Instruction the sum of six million eight hundred six thousand two  
7 hundred forty dollars (\$6,806,240) for the 2007-2008 fiscal year and the sum of six  
8 million eight hundred six thousand two hundred forty dollars (\$6,806,240) for the  
9 2008-2009 fiscal year to increase funding for academically or intellectually gifted  
10 students. The State Board of Education shall allocate funds for academically or  
11 intellectually gifted children on the basis of one thousand sixty-two dollars and sixty  
12 cents (\$1,062.60) per child.

13 The State Board shall allocate funds for no more than 62,124 students, which  
14 is four and one-fourth percent (4.25%) of statewide total allotted average daily  
15 membership, for the 2007-2008 school year.

16 **SECTION 2.** This act becomes effective July 1, 2007.