

1 **As Amended by House Committee**

2 *Session of 2002*

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4 **HOUSE BILL No. 2353**

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6 By Representative Benlon

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10 AN ACT concerning accredited high schools; requiring provision of a
11 community service ~~class~~ **program** for students.

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13 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

14 Section 1. (a) The state board of education shall provide for a com-
15 munity service ~~class~~ **program** to be ~~given in~~ **offered to** all accredited
16 high schools in this state.

17 (b) As used in this section, the term “community service” means a
18 service performed ~~during the school day~~ by a high school student, without
19 monetary compensation or remuneration, for the purpose of benefiting
20 the student’s community. The service performed may include, but not by
21 way of limitation, mentoring or tutoring elementary school pupils, assist-
22 ing in a nursing home or adult care center, providing lawn care or per-
23 forming other tasks for senior citizens or disabled persons, assisting in a
24 homeless shelter or a soup kitchen, organizing or assisting in fund raisers
25 for disaster victims and other needy persons, assisting community-based
26 nonprofit agencies that provide programs and services for low-income
27 people, the disabled and the elderly, assisting fraternal organizations in
28 charitable activities.

29 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
30 publication in the statute book.

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