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House Higher Education Act reauthorization bill introduced

Last Friday, the House Education and Workforce Committee released the Promoting Real Opportunity, Success, and Prosperity through Education Reform (PROSPER) Act, which would make sweeping changes to federal student aid and other programs under the Higher Education Act.

While the PROSPER Act takes some important steps to address the evolving needs of 21st century students, educators, and community partners, the bill falls short of helping working adults enter the postsecondary education system and misses key opportunities to bring businesses and other stakeholders to the higher education conversation.

Read National Skills Coalition's [preliminary analysis](#) of key provisions impacting students, institutions, and other partners.



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