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Ask Your Senator to Pass Comprehensive Sex Education Bill

The comprehensive sex education bill, S.2048 (formerly S.2013), An Act relative to healthy youth, is expected to come up for a vote in the Senate Wednesday, Nov. 18.

Please call or email your Senator now and ask for a vote in favor of S.2048. You do not have to explain the fine points of the bill, just express your support. You can find contact information for your Senator [here](#).

This bill was reported favorably out of the Joint Committee on Education and, on Friday, Nov. 6, out of the Senate Ways & Means Committee. The Senate is likely to vote on it before the legislature's holiday recess begins; the House vote will probably come after that recess and we will be asking you to contact your State Representative then.

Every young person in Massachusetts deserves access to comprehensive, inclusive, age-appropriate and medically-accurate information about their health. We have a real opportunity here to empower young people to take control of their health - and combat serious issues like teen dating violence, sexual assault, and sexually-transmitted infections.

LWVMA has been working on this bill for years. You can read our testimony (on an earlier version of the bill) [here](#). Now is the time to make comprehensive sex education a reality in Massachusetts.

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