

NEA Legislative Report Card for the 117th Congress (2021-2022) - U.S. House of Representatives

State	District	Name	117th (1st Session Letter Grade)
AK	AK01	Don Young	D
AL	AL01	Jerry Carl	F
AL	AL02	Barry Moore	F
AL	AL03	Mike Rogers	F
AL	AL04	Robert Aderholt	F
AL	AL05	Mo Brooks	F
AL	AL06	Gary Palmer	F
AL	AL07	Terri Sewell	A
AR	AR01	Rick Crawford	F
AR	AR02	French Hill	F
AR	AR03	Steve Womack	F
AR	AR04	Bruce Westerman	F
AZ	AZ01	Tom O'Halleran	A
AZ	AZ02	Ann Kirkpatrick	A
AZ	AZ03	Raul Grijalva	A
AZ	AZ04	Paul Gosar	F
AZ	AZ05	Andy Biggs	F
AZ	AZ06	David Schweikert	F
AZ	AZ07	Ruben Gallego	A
AZ	AZ08	Debbie Lesko	F
AZ	AZ09	Greg Stanton	A
CA	CA01	Doug LaMalfa	F
CA	CA02	Jared Huffman	A
CA	CA03	John Garamendi	A
CA	CA04	Tom McClintock	F
CA	CA05	Mike Thompson	A
CA	CA06	Doris Matsui	A
CA	CA07	Ami Bera	A
CA	CA08	Jay Obernolte	F
CA	CA09	Jerry McNerney	A
CA	CA10	Josh Harder	A
CA	CA11	Mark DeSaulnier	A
CA	CA12	Nancy Pelosi	A
CA	CA13	Barbara Lee	A
CA	CA14	Jackie Speier	A
CA	CA15	Eric Swalwell	A
CA	CA16	Jim Costa	A
CA	CA17	Ro Khanna	A
CA	CA18	Anna Eshoo	A
CA	CA19	Zoe Lofgren	A

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CA	CA20	Jimmy Panetta	A
CA	CA21	David Valadao	D
CA	CA23	Kevin McCarthy	F
CA	CA24	Salud Carbajal	A
CA	CA25	Mike Garcia	F
CA	CA26	Julia Brownley	A
CA	CA27	Judy Chu	A
CA	CA28	Adam Schiff	A
CA	CA29	Tony Cardenas	A
CA	CA30	Brad Sherman	A
CA	CA31	Pete Aguilar	A
CA	CA32	Grace Napolitano	A
CA	CA33	Ted Lieu	A
CA	CA34	Jimmy Gomez	A
CA	CA35	Norma Torres	A
CA	CA36	Raul Ruiz	A
CA	CA37	Karen Bass	A
CA	CA38	Linda Sanchez	A
CA	CA39	Young Kim	F
CA	CA40	Lucille Roybal-Allard	A
CA	CA41	Mark Takano	A
CA	CA42	Ken Calvert	F
CA	CA43	Maxine Waters	A
CA	CA44	Nanette Barragan	A
CA	CA45	Katie Porter	A
CA	CA46	Lou Correa	A
CA	CA47	Alan Lowenthal	A
CA	CA48	Michelle Steel	F
CA	CA49	Mike Levin	A
CA	CA50	Darrell Issa	F
CA	CA51	Paco Vargas	A
CA	CA52	Scott Peters	A
CA	CA53	Sara Jacobs	A
CO	CO01	Diana DeGette	A
CO	CO02	Joe Neguse	A
CO	CO03	Lauren Boebert	F
CO	CO04	Ken Buck	F
CO	CO05	Doug Lamborn	F
CO	CO06	Jason Crow	A
CO	CO07	Ed Perlmutter	A

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CT	CT01	John Larson	A
CT	CT02	Joe Courtney	A
CT	CT03	Rosa DeLauro	A
CT	CT04	Jim Himes	A
CT	CT05	Jahana Hayes	A
DE	DE01	Lisa Blunt Rochester	A
FL	FL01	Matt Gaetz	F
FL	FL02	Neal Dunn	F
FL	FL03	Kat Cammack	F
FL	FL04	John Rutherford	F
FL	FL05	Al Lawson	A
FL	FL06	Mike Waltz	F
FL	FL07	Stephanie Murphy	A
FL	FL08	Bill Posey	F
FL	FL09	Darren Soto	A
FL	FL10	Val Demings	A
FL	FL11	Dan Webster	F
FL	FL12	Gus Bilirakis	F
FL	FL13	Charlie Crist	A
FL	FL14	Kathy Castor	A
FL	FL15	Scott Franklin	F
FL	FL16	Vern Buchanan	F
FL	FL17	Greg Steube	F
FL	FL18	Brian Mast	F
FL	FL19	Byron Donalds	F
FL	FL21	Lois Frankel	A
FL	FL22	Ted Deutch	A
FL	FL23	Debbie Wasserman Schultz	A
FL	FL24	Freddi Wilson	A
FL	FL25	Mario Diaz-Balart	F
FL	FL26	Carlos Gimenez	F
FL	FL27	Maria Salazar	F
GA	GA01	Buddy Carter	F
GA	GA02	Sanford Bishop	A
GA	GA03	Drew Ferguson	F
GA	GA04	Hank Johnson	A
GA	GA05	Nikema Williams	A
GA	GA06	Lucy McBath	A
GA	GA07	Carolyn Bourdeaux	A
GA	GA08	Austin Scott	F

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GA	GA09	Andrew Clyde	F
GA	GA10	Jody Hice	F
GA	GA11	Barry Loudermilk	F
GA	GA12	Rick Allen	F
GA	GA13	David Scott	A
GA	GA14	Marjorie Greene	F
HI	HI01	Ed Case	A
HI	HI02	Kai Kahele	A
IA	IA01	Ashley Hinson	F
IA	IA02	Mariannette Miller-Meeks	F
IA	IA03	Cindy Axne	A
IA	IA04	Randy Feenstra	F
ID	ID01	Russ Fulcher	F
ID	ID02	Mike Simpson	F
IL	IL01	Bobby Rush	A
IL	IL02	Robin Kelly	A
IL	IL03	Marie Newman	A
IL	IL04	Chuy Garcia	A
IL	IL05	Mike Quigley	A
IL	IL06	Sean Casten	A
IL	IL07	Danny Davis	A
IL	IL08	Raja Krishnamoorthi	A
IL	IL09	Jan Schakowsky	A
IL	IL10	Brad Schneider	A
IL	IL11	Bill Foster	A
IL	IL12	Mike Bost	F
IL	IL13	Rodney Davis	F
IL	IL14	Lauren Underwood	A
IL	IL15	Mary Miller	F
IL	IL16	Adam Kinzinger	D
IL	IL17	Cheri Bustos	A
IL	IL18	Darin LaHood	F
IN	IN01	Frank Mrvan	A
IN	IN02	Jackie Walorski	F
IN	IN03	Jim Banks	F
IN	IN04	Jim Baird	F
IN	IN05	Victoria Spartz	F
IN	IN06	Greg Pence	F
IN	IN07	Andre Carson	A
IN	IN08	Larry Bucshon	F

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IN	IN09	Trey Hollingsworth	F
KS	KS01	Tracey Mann	F
KS	KS02	Jake LaTurner	F
KS	KS03	Sharice Davids	A
KS	KS04	Ron Estes	F
KY	KY01	James Comer	F
KY	KY02	Brett Guthrie	F
KY	KY03	John Yarmuth	A
KY	KY04	Thomas Massie	F
KY	KY05	Hal Rogers	F
KY	KY06	Andy Barr	F
LA	LA01	Steve Scalise	F
LA	LA02	Troy Carter	N/R
LA	LA03	Captain Higgins	F
LA	LA04	Mike Johnson	F
LA	LA05	Julia Letlow	N/R
LA	LA06	Garret Graves	F
MA	MA01	Richie Neal	A
MA	MA02	Jim McGovern	A
MA	MA03	Lori Trahan	A
MA	MA04	Jake Auchincloss	A
MA	MA05	Katherine Clark	A
MA	MA06	Seth Moulton	A
MA	MA07	Ayanna Pressley	A
MA	MA08	Steve Lynch	A
MA	MA09	Bill Keating	A
MD	MD01	Andy Harris	F
MD	MD02	Dutch Ruppersberger	A
MD	MD03	John Sarbanes	A
MD	MD04	Anthony Brown	A
MD	MD05	Steny Hoyer	A
MD	MD06	David Trone	A
MD	MD07	Kweisi Mfume	A
MD	MD08	Jamie Raskin	A
ME	ME01	Chellie Pingree	A
ME	ME02	Jared Golden	A
MI	MI01	Jack Bergman	F
MI	MI02	Bill Huizenga	F
MI	MI03	Peter Meijer	F
MI	MI04	John Moolenaar	F

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MI	MI05	Dan Kildee	A
MI	MI06	Fred Upton	D
MI	MI07	Tim Walberg	F
MI	MI08	Elissa Slotkin	A
MI	MI09	Andy Levin	A
MI	MI10	Lisa McClain	F
MI	MI11	Haley Stevens	A
MI	MI12	Debbie Dingell	A
MI	MI13	Rashida Tlaib	A
MI	MI14	Brenda Lawrence	A
MN	MN01	Jim Hagedorn	F
MN	MN02	Angie Craig	A
MN	MN03	Dean Phillips	A
MN	MN04	Betty McCollum	A
MN	MN05	Ilhan Omar	A
MN	MN06	Tom Emmer	F
MN	MN07	Michelle Fischbach	F
MN	MN08	Pete Stauber	F
MO	MO01	Cori Bush	A
MO	MO02	Ann Wagner	F
MO	MO03	Blaine Luetkemeyer	F
MO	MO04	Vicky Hartzler	F
MO	MO05	Emanuel Cleaver	A
MO	MO06	Sam Graves	F
MO	MO07	Billy Long	F
MO	MO08	Jason Smith	F
MS	MS01	Trent Kelly	F
MS	MS02	Bennie Thompson	A
MS	MS03	Michael Guest	F
MS	MS04	Steven Palazzo	F
MT	MT01	Matt Rosendale	F
NC	NC01	G.K. Butterfield	A
NC	NC02	Deborah Ross	A
NC	NC03	Greg Murphy	F
NC	NC04	David Price	A
NC	NC05	Virginia Foxx	F
NC	NC06	Kathy Manning	A
NC	NC07	David Rouzer	F
NC	NC08	Richard Hudson	F
NC	NC09	Dan Bishop	F

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NC	NC10	Patrick McHenry	F
NC	NC11	Madison Cawthorn	F
NC	NC12	Alma Adams	A
NC	NC13	Ted Budd	F
ND	ND01	Kelly Armstrong	F
NE	NE01	Jeff Fortenberry	F
NE	NE02	Don Bacon	C
NE	NE03	Adrian Smith	F
NH	NH01	Chris Pappas	A
NH	NH02	Annie Kuster	A
NJ	NJ01	Donald Norcross	A
NJ	NJ02	Jeff Van Drew	F
NJ	NJ03	Andy Kim	A
NJ	NJ04	Chris Smith	C
NJ	NJ05	Josh Gottheimer	A
NJ	NJ06	Frank Pallone	A
NJ	NJ07	Tom Malinowski	A
NJ	NJ08	Albio Sires	A
NJ	NJ09	Bill Pascrell	A
NJ	NJ10	Donald Payne	A
NJ	NJ11	Mikie Sherrill	A
NJ	NJ12	Bonnie Watson Coleman	A
NM	NM01	Melanie Stansbury	N/R
NM	NM02	Yvette Herrell	F
NM	NM03	Teresa Leger Fernandez	A
NV	NV01	Dina Titus	A
NV	NV02	Mark Amodei	F
NV	NV03	Susie Lee	A
NV	NV04	Steve Horsford	A
NY	NY01	Lee Zeldin	F
NY	NY02	Andrew Garbarino	F
NY	NY03	Tom Suozzi	A
NY	NY04	Kathleen Rice	A
NY	NY05	Gregory Meeks	A
NY	NY06	Grace Meng	A
NY	NY07	Nydia Velazquez	A
NY	NY08	Hakeem Jeffries	A
NY	NY09	Yvette Clarke	A
NY	NY10	Jerry Nadler	A
NY	NY11	Nicole Malliotakis	F

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NY	NY12	Carolyn Maloney	A
NY	NY13	Adriano Espaillat	A
NY	NY14	Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez	A
NY	NY15	Ritchie Torres	A
NY	NY16	Jamaal Bowman	A
NY	NY17	Mondaire Jones	A
NY	NY18	Sean Maloney	A
NY	NY19	Antonio Delgado	A
NY	NY20	Paul Tonko	A
NY	NY21	Elise Stefanik	F
NY	NY22	Claudia Tenney	F
NY	NY23	Tom Reed	F
NY	NY24	John Katko	B
NY	NY25	Joe Morelle	A
NY	NY26	Brian Higgins	A
NY	NY27	Chris Jacobs	F
OH	OH01	Steve Chabot	F
OH	OH02	Brad Wenstrup	F
OH	OH03	Joyce Beatty	A
OH	OH04	Jim Jordan	F
OH	OH05	Bob Latta	F
OH	OH06	Bill Johnson	F
OH	OH07	Bob Gibbs	F
OH	OH08	Warren Davidson	F
OH	OH09	Marcy Kaptur	A
OH	OH10	Mike Turner	F
OH	OH11	Shontel Brown	N/R
OH	OH12	Troy Balderson	F
OH	OH13	Tim Ryan	A
OH	OH14	Dave Joyce	D
OH	OH15	Mike Carey	N/R
OH	OH16	Anthony Gonzalez	F
OK	OK01	Kevin Hern	F
OK	OK02	Markwayne Mullin	F
OK	OK03	Frank Lucas	F
OK	OK04	Tom Cole	F
OK	OK05	Stephanie Bice	F
OR	OR01	Suzanne Bonamici	A
OR	OR02	Cliff Bentz	F
OR	OR03	Earl Blumenauer	A

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OR	OR04	Peter DeFazio	A
OR	OR05	Kurt Schrader	A
PA	PA01	Brian Fitzpatrick	A
PA	PA02	Brendan Boyle	A
PA	PA03	Dwight Evans	A
PA	PA04	Madeleine Dean	A
PA	PA05	Mary Scanlon	A
PA	PA06	Chrissy Houlahan	A
PA	PA07	Susan Wild	A
PA	PA08	Matt Cartwright	A
PA	PA09	Dan Meuser	F
PA	PA10	Scott Perry	F
PA	PA11	Lloyd Smucker	F
PA	PA12	Fred Keller	F
PA	PA13	John Joyce	F
PA	PA14	Guy Reschenthaler	F
PA	PA15	G.T. Thompson	F
PA	PA16	Mike Kelly	F
PA	PA17	Conor Lamb	A
PA	PA18	Mike Doyle	A
RI	RI01	David Cicilline	A
RI	RI02	Jim Langevin	A
SC	SC01	Nancy Mace	F
SC	SC02	Joe Wilson	F
SC	SC03	Jeff Duncan	F
SC	SC04	William Timmons	F
SC	SC05	Ralph Norman	F
SC	SC06	Jim Clyburn	A
SC	SC07	Tom Rice	F
SD	SD01	Dusty Johnson	F
TN	TN01	Diana Harshbarger	F
TN	TN02	Tim Burchett	F
TN	TN03	Chuck Fleischmann	F
TN	TN04	Scott DesJarlais	F
TN	TN05	Jim Cooper	A
TN	TN06	John Rose	F
TN	TN07	Mark Green	F
TN	TN08	David Kustoff	F
TN	TN09	Steve Cohen	A
TX	TX01	Louie Gohmert	F

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TX	TX02	Dan Crenshaw	F
TX	TX03	Van Taylor	F
TX	TX04	Pat Fallon	F
TX	TX05	Lance Gooden	F
TX	TX06	Jake Ellzey	N/R
TX	TX07	Lizzie Fletcher	A
TX	TX08	Kevin Brady	F
TX	TX09	Al Green	A
TX	TX10	Michael McCaul	F
TX	TX11	August Pfluger	F
TX	TX12	Kay Granger	F
TX	TX13	Ronny Jackson	F
TX	TX14	Randy Weber	F
TX	TX15	Vicente Gonzalez	A
TX	TX16	Veronica Escobar	A
TX	TX17	Pete Sessions	F
TX	TX18	Sheila Jackson Lee	A
TX	TX19	Jodey Arrington	F
TX	TX20	Joaquin Castro	A
TX	TX21	Chip Roy	F
TX	TX22	Troy Nehls	F
TX	TX23	Tony Gonzales	F
TX	TX24	Beth Van Duyne	F
TX	TX25	Roger Williams	F
TX	TX26	Mike Burgess	F
TX	TX27	Michael Cloud	F
TX	TX28	Henry Cuellar	A
TX	TX29	Sylvia Garcia	A
TX	TX30	Eddie Johnson	A
TX	TX31	John Carter	F
TX	TX32	Colin Allred	A
TX	TX33	Marc Veasey	A
TX	TX34	Filemon Vela	A
TX	TX35	Lloyd Doggett	A
TX	TX36	Brian Babin	F
UT	UT01	Blake Moore	F
UT	UT02	Chris Stewart	F
UT	UT03	John Curtis	F
UT	UT04	Burgess Owens	F
VA	VA01	Rob Wittman	F

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VA	VA02	Elaine Luria	A
VA	VA03	Bobby Scott	A
VA	VA04	Donald McEachin	A
VA	VA05	Bob Good	F
VA	VA06	Ben Cline	F
VA	VA07	Abigail Spanberger	A
VA	VA08	Don Beyer	A
VA	VA09	Morgan Griffith	F
VA	VA10	Jennifer Wexton	A
VA	VA11	Gerry Connolly	A
VT	VT01	Peter Welch	A
WA	WA01	Suzan DelBene	A
WA	WA02	Rick Larsen	A
WA	WA03	Jaime Herrera Beutler	F
WA	WA04	Dan Newhouse	D
WA	WA05	Cathy McMorris Rodgers	F
WA	WA06	Derek Kilmer	A
WA	WA07	Pramila Jayapal	A
WA	WA08	Kim Schrier	A
WA	WA09	Adam Smith	A
WA	WA10	Marilyn Strickland	A
WI	WI01	Bryan Steil	F
WI	WI02	Mark Pocan	A
WI	WI03	Ron Kind	A
WI	WI04	Gwen Moore	A
WI	WI05	Scott Fitzgerald	F
WI	WI06	Glenn Grothman	F
WI	WI07	Tom Tiffany	F
WI	WI08	Mike Gallagher	F
WV	WV01	David McKinley	D
WV	WV02	Alex Mooney	F
WV	WV03	Carol Miller	F
WY	WY01	Liz Cheney	F

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State	Name	117th (1st Session Letter Grade)
AK	Lisa Murkowski	B
AK	Dan Sullivan	F
AL	Richard Shelby	F
AL	Tommy Tuberville	F
AR	John Boozman	F
AR	Tom Cotton	F
AZ	Kyrsten Sinema	A
AZ	Mark Kelly	A
CA	Dianne Feinstein	A
CA	Alex Padilla	A
CO	Michael Bennet	A
CO	John Hickenlooper	A
CT	Dick Blumenthal	A
CT	Chris Murphy	A
DE	Tom Carper	A
DE	Chris Coons	A
FL	Marco Rubio	F
FL	Rick Scott	F
GA	Jon Ossoff	A
GA	Raphael Warnock	A
HI	Mazie Hirono	A
HI	Brian Schatz	A
IA	Chuck Grassley	F
IA	Joni Ernst	F
ID	Mike Crapo	F
ID	Jim Risch	F
IL	Dick Durbin	A
IL	Tammy Duckworth	A
IN	Todd Young	F
IN	Mike Braun	F
KS	Jerry Moran	F
KS	Roger Marshall	F
KY	Mitch McConnell	F
KY	Rand Paul	F
LA	Bill Cassidy	F
LA	John Kennedy	F
MA	Elizabeth Warren	A
MA	Ed Markey	A
MD	Ben Cardin	A
MD	Chris Van Hollen	A

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State	Name	117th (1st Session Letter Grade)
ME	Angus King	A
ME	Susan Collins	C
MI	Debbie Stabenow	A
MI	Gary Peters	A
MN	Amy Klobuchar	A
MN	Tina Smith	A
MO	Roy Blunt	F
MO	Josh Hawley	F
MS	Roger Wicker	F
MS	Cindy Hyde-Smith	F
MT	Steve Daines	F
MT	Jon Tester	A
NC	Richard Burr	D
NC	Thom Tillis	F
ND	John Hoeven	F
ND	Kevin Cramer	F
NE	Deb Fischer	F
NE	Ben Sasse	F
NH	Jeanne Shaheen	A
NH	Maggie Hassan	A
NJ	Bob Menendez	A
NJ	Cory Booker	A
NM	Martin Heinrich	A
NM	Ben Ray Lujan	A
NV	Catherine Cortez Masto	A
NV	Jacky Rosen	A
NY	Chuck Schumer	A
NY	Kirsten Gillibrand	A
OH	Sherrod Brown	A
OH	Rob Portman	F
OK	Jim Inhofe	F
OK	James Lankford	F
OR	Ron Wyden	A
OR	Jeff Merkley	A
PA	Pat Toomey	F
PA	Bob Casey	A
RI	Jack Reed	A
RI	Sheldon Whitehouse	A
SC	Lindsey Graham	F
SC	Tim Scott	F

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SD	John Thune	F
SD	Mike Rounds	F
TN	Marsha Blackburn	F
TN	Bill Hagerty	F
TX	Ted Cruz	F
TX	John Cornyn	F
UT	Mike Lee	F
UT	Mitt Romney	D
VA	Mark Warner	A
VA	Tim Kaine	A
VT	Bernie Sanders	A
VT	Pat Leahy	A
WA	Patty Murray	A
WA	Maria Cantwell	A
WI	Ron Johnson	F
WI	Tammy Baldwin	A
WV	Joe Manchin	A
WV	Shelley Capito	D
WY	Cynthia Lummis	F
WY	John Barrasso	F

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SCORED VOTES

Votes cast in the full U.S. House and Senate remain the single largest criteria on which Report Card grades are based. Members of Congress are notified in writing any time a pending vote will or may be scored in the Legislative Report Card. Votes are selected for inclusion in the Report Card based on their relevance to advancing NEA's identified legislative priorities.

The following votes cast in 2021 were scored in this Report Card:

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

- **Impeaching Donald John Trump, President of the United States, for high crimes and misdemeanors (H. Res. 24) by Rep. David Cicilline (D-RI).** NEA supported this resolution because Trump incited an attack on Congress, a co-equal branch of government, as it was fulfilling its constitutional duty and certifying the presidential election Joe Biden clearly won—the popular vote by 7 million and the Electoral College by the same margin as Trump in 2016. The House approved the resolution by a vote of 232-197 on January 13, 2021. ([House Vote 1-17](#))
- **Equality Act (H.R. 5) by Rep. David Cicilline (D-RI):** NEA supported this bill to provide consistent non-discrimination protections based on sexual orientation and gender identity by amending federal laws such as the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Fair Housing Act, the Equal Credit Opportunity Act, and the Jury Act. Doing so would help educators cultivate nurturing and supportive school environments for LGBTQ students and safeguard LGBTQ educators. The legislation passed by a vote of 224-206 on February 25, 2021. ([House Vote 1-39](#))
- **American Rescue Plan Act (H.R. 1319) by Rep. John Yarmuth (D-KY):** NEA supported this bill, which included \$170 billion in dedicated funding to advance the process of returning to in-person instruction in K-12 school buildings. It also provided \$350 billion in state and local aid to help avoid layoffs of educators and other essential public servants and \$7 billion in emergency funding for the Federal Communications Commission's E-Rate program to address the homework gap and students' lost opportunities to learn. The legislation passed by a vote of 219-212 on February 27, 2021. ([House Vote 1-49](#)).
- **George Floyd Justice in Policing Act (H.R. 1280) by Rep. Karen Bass (D-CA).** NEA supported this bill, which takes initial steps to end police brutality, protect civil rights and liberties, and change the culture of law enforcement agencies. It would end racial and religious profiling and no-knock warrants, make de-escalation training for police mandatory, prohibit chokeholds and other potentially fatal maneuvers, and require police to use dashboard and body cameras. The legislation passed by a vote of 220-212 on March 3, 2021 ([House Vote 1-60](#))
- **For the People Act (H.R. 1) by Rep. John Sarbanes (D-MD).** NEA supported this bill, which rests on three pillars: reaffirming and expanding voting rights, strengthening oversight to end big money in politics, and ensuring an ethical government. Provisions include automatic voter registration, voluntary public financing of campaigns, and new limits on partisan practices like gerrymandering and purging voter rolls. The legislation passed by a vote of 220-210 on March 3, 2021. ([House Vote 1-62](#))
- **Protecting the Right to Organize (PRO) Act (H.R. 842) by Rep. Bobby Scott (D-VA):** NEA supported this bill to amend labor laws such as the National Labor Relations Act to protect employees' right to organize and bargain collectively in the workplace. The legislation passed by a vote of 225-206 on March 9, 2021 ([House Vote 1-70](#)).

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- **Bipartisan Background Checks Act (H.R. 8) by Rep. Mike Thompson (D-CA):** NEA supported this bill to require a background check for every gun sold as well as most transfers. Firearms are the leading cause of death for African American children, and the second leading cause of death for all American children. The legislation passed by a vote of 227-203 on March 11, 2021. ([House Vote 1-75](#))
- **Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act (H.R. 1620) by Rep. Sheila Jackson Lee (D-TX):** NEA supported this bill to protect victims, invest in preventing sexual assaults, improve access to safe housing and economic stability, and close the “boyfriend loophole” by keeping firearms out of the hands of convicted abusers, stalkers, and people under court-issued restraining orders. The legislation passed by a vote of 244-172 on March 17, 2021. ([House Vote 1-86](#))
- **American Dream and Promise Act (H.R. 6) by Rep. Lucille Roybal-Allard (D-CA):** NEA supported this bill to provide a pathway to citizenship for Dreamers brought to this country as minors, Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) recipients, and people granted Temporary Protected Status (TPS) for humanitarian reasons—populations that include tens of thousands of students and educators. The legislation passed by a vote of 228-197 on March 18, 2021. ([House Vote 1-91](#))
- **Paycheck Fairness Act (H.R. 7) by Rep. Rosa DeLauro (D-CT):** NEA supported this bill to require employers to demonstrate that gender is not the reason they pay employees different wages for the same jobs. It also prohibits employers from asking job candidates about their salary histories and protects employees from retaliation for discussing their pay with colleagues. The legislation passed by a vote of 217-210 on April 15, 2021. ([House Vote 1-108](#)).
- **Pregnant Workers Fairness Act (H.R. 1065) by Rep. Jerry Nadler (D-NY):** NEA supported this bill to create a uniform national standard for reasonable accommodations for pregnancy, childbirth, and related conditions. It would also prohibit employers from denying pregnant workers employment opportunities. The legislation passed by a vote of 315-101 on May 14, 2021 ([House Vote 1-143](#))
- **COVID-19 Hate Crimes Act (S. 937) by Rep. Mazie Hirono (D-HI):** NEA supported this bill to strengthen federal efforts to address hate crimes targeting Asian-Americans. It requires the Department of Justice to designate an employee to expedite the review of COVID-19 hate crimes, provide guidance for state and local officials for online reporting of such crimes, and issue guidance to mitigate racially discriminatory language in describing the pandemic. The legislation passed by a vote of 364-62 on May 18, 2021. ([House Vote 1-145](#))
- **Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, Agriculture, Rural Development, Energy and Water Development, Financial Services and General Government, Interior, Environment, Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, 2022 (H.R. 4502) by Rep. Rosa DeLauro (D-CT):** NEA supported this historic investment in our nation’s students, educators, and schools. Overall, U.S. Department of Education funding would rise by 41 percent. Key elements include a \$19.5 billion increase for Title I, a \$400 increase in the maximum Pell Grant, a \$3.1 billion boost for special education, and \$443 million for full-service community schools—far above the \$30 million provided this year. The legislation passed by a vote of 219-208 on July 29, 2021 ([House Vote 1-247](#))
- **John Lewis Voting Rights Advancement Act (H.R. 4) by Rep. Sewell (D-AL):** NEA supported this bill to require states and localities with recent histories of voter discrimination to seek approval from the Department of Justice before making any changes in their election laws. The measure is a direct response to the Supreme Court’s 2013 decision in *Shelby v. Holder*, which invalidated key provisions of the Voting

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Rights Act first passed in 1965. The legislation passed by a vote of 219-212 on August 24, 2021. ([House Vote 1-260](#))

- **Consider Teachers Act of 2021 (S. 848) by Sen. Mike Braun (R-IN):** NEA supported this bill to fix the system that has burdened teachers with unfair loans by converting their TEACH grants into loans they must repay with interest. The bill also gives teachers more time to complete service requirements in light of the COVID-19 pandemic. The legislation passed the House by a vote of 406-16 on September 28, 2021. ([House Vote 1-302](#))
- **Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (H.R. 3684) by Rep. Peter DeFazio (D-OR):** NEA supported this bill to rebuild America's physical infrastructure. It extends the Secure Rural Schools program, begins to eliminate the lead service lines and pipes remaining in schools and child care facilities, and provides the means to electrify thousands of school buses to reduce harmful emissions. The legislation passed by a vote of 228-206 on November 5, 2021. ([House Vote 1-369](#))
- **Build Back Better Act (H.R. 5376) by Rep. John Yarmuth (D-KY):** NEA supported this landmark legislation, a once-in-a-generation opportunity bill to strengthen America's social safety net and take meaningful action on long-ignored challenges: giving all children a strong start in early education, making child care more affordable, expanding affordable health care coverage, and more. The legislation passed the House by a vote of 220-213 on November 19, 2021. ([House Vote 1-385](#))

U.S. SENATE

- **Impeaching Donald John Trump, President of the United States, for high crimes and misdemeanors (H. Res. 24) by Rep. David Cicilline (D-RI).** NEA supported this resolution because Trump incited an attack on Congress, a co-equal branch of government, as it was fulfilling its constitutional duty and certifying the presidential election Joe Biden clearly won—the popular vote by 7 million and the Electoral College by the same margin as Trump in 2016. The Senate voted 57-43 to convict on February 13, 2021, falling short of the required two-thirds supermajority. ([Senate Vote 1-59](#))
- **Miguel Cardona's nomination as U.S. Secretary of Education.** NEA supported the nomination of Cardona, an elementary school teacher and principal, and former Commissioner of Education in Connecticut known for listening to—and actively collaborating with—educators, families, and communities. As a classroom teacher, principal, or state education leader, he pressed for the resources students deserve. Additionally, he worked with higher education leaders to secure and expand students' opportunities for postsecondary education. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of 64-33 on March 1, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-68](#))
- **American Rescue Plan Act (H.R. 1319) by Rep. John Yarmuth (D-KY):** NEA supported this bill, which included \$170 billion in dedicated funding to advance the process of returning to in-person instruction in K-12 school buildings. It also provided \$350 billion in state and local aid to help avoid layoffs of educators and other essential public servants and \$7 billion in emergency funding for the Federal Communications Commission's E-Rate program to address the homework gap and students' lost opportunities to learn. The legislation passed by a vote of 50-49 on March 6, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-110](#))
- **Merrick Garland's nomination as U.S. Attorney General.** NEA supported Garland, who served 23 years on the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia. He is especially well equipped to lead the investigation into the January 6 attack on the Capitol by white supremacists and other extremists seeking to disrupt the peaceful transfer of power fundamental to the rule of law. As a prosecutor in the Department of Justice, Judge Garland

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oversaw the federal response to the Oklahoma City bombing that sought to spark a revolution and topple our government. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of 70-30 on March 10, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-114](#))

- **Vanita Gupta's nomination as U.S. Associate Attorney General.** NEA supported Gupta, who previously headed the Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights, and the Civil Rights Division at the Department of Justice. In that capacity, she led efforts to reform our criminal justice system, investigate unconstitutional policing practices, and enforce federal voting rights laws. She also worked tirelessly to protect LGBTQ and disability rights, prosecute hate crimes, and fight discrimination in education, housing, lending, and employment. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of 51-49 on April 21, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-160](#))
- **COVID-19 Hate Crimes Act (S. 937) by Rep. Mazie Hirono (D-HI):** NEA supported this bill to strengthen federal efforts to address hate crimes targeting Asian-Americans. It requires the Department of Justice to designate an employee to expedite the review of COVID-19 hate crimes, provide guidance for state and local officials for online reporting of such crimes, and issue guidance to mitigate racially discriminatory language in describing the pandemic. The legislation passed by a vote of 94-1 on April 22, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-165](#))
- **Paycheck Fairness Act (H.R. 7) by Rep. Rosa DeLauro (D-CT):** NEA supported this bill to require employers to demonstrate that gender is not the reason they pay employees different wages for the same jobs. It also prohibits employers from asking job candidates about their salary histories and protects employees from retaliation for discussing their pay with colleagues. . The Senate's attempt to advance the House version of the legislation failed on a 50-49 cloture vote on June 8, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-227](#)).
 - **For the People Act (S. 1) by Sen. Jeff Merkley (D-OR):** NEA supported this bill, which rests on three pillars: reaffirming and expanding voting rights, strengthening oversight to end big money in politics, and ensuring an ethical government. Provisions include automatic voter registration, voluntary public financing of campaigns, and new limits on partisan practices like gerrymandering and purging voter rolls. The legislation failed to advance on a 50-50 vote to invoke cloture on June 22, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-246](#))
 - **Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (H.R. 3684) by Rep. Peter DeFazio (D-OR):** NEA supported this bill, an important part of President Biden's Build Back Better agenda. It extends the Secure Rural Schools program, begins to eliminate the lead service lines and pipes remaining in schools and child care facilities, and provides the means to electrify thousands of school buses to reduce harmful emissions. The legislation passed by a vote of 69-30 on August 10, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-314](#))
 - **A concurrent resolution setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for FY2022 and appropriate budgetary levels for FY2023 through FY2031 (S. Con. Res. 14) by Sen. Bernie Sanders (I-VT):** NEA supported this bill to allow budget-related legislation to pass with a simple majority instead of the three-fifths supermajority required for cloture. This legislation passed by a vote of 50-49 on August 11, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-357](#))
 - **Freedom to Vote Act (S. 2747) by Sen. Amy Klobuchar (D-MN):** NEA supported this bill to create national voting standards, make Election Day a public holiday, and ensure that every state offers same-day voter registration at all polling locations by 2024 (and a limited number by 2022). The legislation failed to advance on a 50-49 vote to invoke cloture on October 20, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-420](#))
 - **John Lewis Voting Rights Advancement Act (H.R. 4) by Rep. Sewell (D-AL):** NEA supported this bill to require states and localities with recent histories of voter discrimination to seek approval from the Department of Justice before making any changes in their election laws. The measure is a direct response to the Supreme Court's 2013 decision in *Shelby v. Holder*, which invalidated key provisions of the Voting

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- **Jessica Rosenworcel’s nomination as Chair of the Federal Communications Commission.** NEA supported Rosenworcel, who has nearly a decade of experience as an FCC commissioner, including nine months as acting chair. The first woman to serve as permanent chair of the FCC, she has long championed the E-Rate program that helps students, educators, and library patrons beat the digital divide and the specific aspect of it known as the homework gap—the inability to do schoolwork at home due to lack of internet access. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of 68-31 on December 7, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-479](#))
- **Jennifer Sung’s nomination to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit.** NEA supported Sung, a member of the Oregon Employment Relations Board. Sung is regarded as fair and impartial by management-side and union-side lawyers alike. She brings professional diversity to a federal bench that is woefully lacking it. As a lawyer she represented working people: healthcare workers, warehouse workers, university faculty members, and fast-food workers, helping them recover stolen wages and get health care. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of 50-49 on December 15, 2021. ([Senate Vote 1-500](#))