Legislative Update

Winter CTAE Leadership Conference
February 13, 2019

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By the Numbers

- **2019** Legislative Session
- **40** Legislative Days
- **40** New Legislators
- **13** Seats Gained by Democrats
- **$27.5B** Proposed FY 2020 State Budget
- **$3,000** Proposed Teacher Salary Increase
Amended FY 2019

- **$706.5M** Additional Funds Available
- **$69.4M** School Security Grants
- **$8.4M** Apex Program Enhancement
- **$2.5M** AV Technology & Film Grants
FY 2020

• $1.3B Additional Funds Available

• $491.6M Teacher Salary Increase
• $133.5M QBE Enrollment Growth

• $271.7M Construction & Renovation
• $5M Vocational Equipment Grants
Threats (and Opportunities)

- CTAE Transfer
- Educational Savings Accounts / Vouchers
- School Safety & Security
- ESPLOST
Legislation of Note

• **SB 25** (Heath) – Passing School Buses
• **HB 43** (Setzler) – Supervisory Assault
• **SB 48** (Martin) – Dyslexia
• **HB 169** (Hugley) – Financial Education
• **SB 21** (James) – Cybersecurity Education
• **SR 87** (Parent) – Study Committee on Digital Education & Screen Time in Schools
Getting Involved

• CTSO Day at the Capitol – February 21
• ACTE National Policy Forum – March 25-27

Share Your Story!
Questions?

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