



## **A Resolution Addressing Preschool Dismissal**

**COMMITTEE: Education**

**RESOLUTION: EDU-20-02**

1. **WHEREAS**, a pupil enrolled in a preschool or pre kindergarten program, including a
2. child participating in early childhood family education, school readiness, school readiness
3. plus, voluntary prekindergarten, Head Start, or other school-based preschool or
4. prekindergarten program may not be subject to dismissals. Expulsions and exclusions
5. may be used only after resources as outlined in the following clause have been exhausted,
6. and only in circumstances where there is an ongoing serious safety threat to the child or
7. others; and
8. **WHEREAS**, a school district or charter school must ensure that a pupil described in the
9. previous clause fully participates in a preschool or pre kindergarten program described in
10. the previous clause by providing one or more of the following services: collaborating
11. with the pupil's family or guardian, child mental health consultant or provider, education
12. specialist, or other community-based support;
13. (2) creating a plan, written with the parent or guardian, that details the action and support
14. needed for the pupil to fully participate in a preschool or pre kindergarten program;
15. (3) providing a referral for needed support services, including parenting education, home
16. visits, or other supportive educational interventions; or
17. (4) an evaluation to determine if the pupil is eligible for special education services or
18. section 504 services.
19. **BE IT RESOLVED** that NOBEL Women assert that there should be full and equitable
20. participation in preschool and prekindergarten programs in the United States of America.

**Introduced by:  
The Honorable Rena Moran  
Minnesota State Representative**