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Assembly and Senate Education Committees Updates

The assembly committee met to vote on AB 210 to change which students can qualify for the academic excellence high education scholarship. The bill amends the eligibility criteria for academic excellence higher education scholarships, allowing high school seniors with the highest grade point average to receive up to \$2,250 per academic year in tuition at participating institutions. The selection process varies by school enrollment size, with larger schools potentially designating multiple recipients. Additionally, the committee held a public hearing on AB 226, a bill to ban certain ingredients from being provided by schools through the National School Lunch Program or the federal School Breakfast Program.