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I strongly support this bill.

This is a bill with a simple purpose and zero cost - make the law match best practices. Anyone should be able to refer a child for assessment for TAG services. Parents, guardians, daycare workers, and others who know the child best should be able make this request. Teachers shouldn't be the only ones able to do this (districts can require this since there is no clear law) as they have enough on their plate. Diversity in TAG assessment is increased by allowing those who know the child best to ask for an assessment.