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I have 3 students enrolled in virtual charter school through Baker Web Academy and Baker Early College. This learning model allows my students to thrive by meeting their academic needs on a personalized level. In our city, we have ONE elementary school, ONE middle school, and ONE high school. Having an alternative educational option through a virtual charter school has allowed my kids to get the education they need and deserve. Virtual charter students deserve fair access to the same resources as every other public school student. The Student Success Act was designed to help students who need it most, yet virtual charter students are excluded. HB 2583 is about fairness—ensuring all students have access to SIA funds, no matter where they learn.