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Bill Analysis

The CS for SB 642 requires each public school district and public charter school in the state to offer students in grades 10 through 12 the opportunity to take the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) test and consult with a military recruiter beginning in the 2021-22 school year. It directs the ASVAB test to be administered during normal school day hours at a time that doesn't conflict with extracurricular activities. It requires the district or charter school to provide notice of the date, time and location of the test to students in grades 10 through 12 and their parents or legal guardians. The bill allows a district or charter school to provide an alternative test that is free and assesses a student's aptitude for success in a career field that does not require postsecondary education.

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