

 KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY YOUTH ASSEMBLY Commonwealth Bill	Blue CW 12						
	Referred to Committee: Senate 2						
Authors: Shelby Hamm, Renee Fielding, Kamryn Daily, Hannah Terry	Action on the Bill <table> <tr> <th>House</th> <th>Senate</th> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed</td> </tr> <tr> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> <td>___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated</td> </tr> </table>	House	Senate	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Passed	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated	___ <input type="checkbox"/> Defeated
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School: Martha Layne Collins HS							
City: Shelbyville							

1 An act to Reduce Dating Violence in Kentucky by Implementing Educational Classes
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3 **Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky**
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5 Section 1: This bill will help to eliminate the amount of dating violence in KY. On average, nearly 20
6 people per minute are physically abused by a partner in the U.S. Three fourths of women will
7 experience dating violence in the U.S. alone. This is a problem not only in Kentucky, but also in the U.S.
8 Between 21-60% of victims will lose their jobs because of the violence. In the years 2003-2008, 142
9 people were murdered in their workplace by former partners and that number increased again between
10 2009-2015.
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12 Section 2: With this bill, we well require a mandatory class, which will consist of watching a video 2
13 times a year for every grade 8-12. The material will get more intense as the students get older. This
14 bill will be enforced by the school board.
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16 Section 3: We will partner with organizations such as "Break the Silence," "Break the Cycle", or "DVIP".
17 They will help us with funds for the curriculum.
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19 Section 4: This bill will take effect on January 1, 2017.