

WSPTA Bill Status Report – Week 4

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2017-19 Budget bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2299 (SB 6032)	Supp. operating budget	Making supplemental operating appropriations.	H Approps	Ormsby		
HB 2394 (SB 6094)	State gen. obligation bonds	Concerning state general obligation bonds and related accounts.	H Cap Budget	Tharinger		
HB 2395 (SB 6095)	Capital budget 2017-2019	Concerning the capital budget.	H Cap Budget	Tharinger		
SB 6032 (HB 2299)	Supp. operating budget	Making supplemental operating appropriations.	S Ways & Means	Rolfes		
SSB 6089	State gen. obligation bonds	Concerning state general obligation bonds and related accounts.	S 2nd Reading	Frockt		
SSB 6090	Capital budget 2017-2019	2017-19 Capital Budget from Frockt, Mullet and Honeyford	C 2 L 18	Frockt		
SB 6094 (HB 2394)	State gen. obligation bonds	Concerning state general obligation bonds and related accounts.	S Ways & Means	Frockt		
SB 6095 (HB 2395)	Capital budget 2017-2019	2017-19 capital budget	S Ways & Means	Frockt		

2242 Fixes

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2366 (SB 6447)	Federal Way school district	Concerning the Federal Way school district regionalization factor used for compensation.	H Approps	Reeves		
HB 2717 (SB 6397)	Public schools	Concerning public schools.	H Approps	Dolan		
HB 2721 (SSB 6362)	Basic education	Modifying basic education provisions.	H Approps	Sullivan		
HB 2748	Learning assistance program	Modifying the learning assistance program.	H Education	Santos		
HB 2763 (SB 6394)	Poverty-based learn. assist.	Concerning additional poverty-based learning assistance program allocation.	H Approps	Jenkin		
HB 2810 (SB 6494)	Oly. & Tum. school factors	Concerning the Olympia and Tumwater school district regionalization factors.	H Approps	Dolan		
SSB 6362 (HB 2721)	Basic education	Modifying basic education provisions.		Wellman		
SB 6394 (HB 2763)	Poverty-based learn. assist.	Concerning additional poverty-based learning assistance program allocation.	S EL/K-12	Walsh		

SB 6397 (HB 2717)	Public schools	Concerning public schools.	S EL/K-12	Hunt		
SB 6439	Property taxes, 2018-2019	Reducing the state property taxes payable in calendar years 2018 and 2019.	S Ways & Means	Ericksen		
SB 6447 (HB 2366)	Federal Way school district	Concerning the Federal Way school district regionalization factor used for compensation.	S EL/K-12	Miloscia		
SB 6483	Education funding reform	Revising education funding reform provisions to enhance uniformity, flexibility, and special education funding.	S EL/K-12	Conway		
SB 6494 (HB 2810)	Oly. & Tum. school factors	Concerning the Olympia and Tumwater school district regionalization factors.	S EL/K-12	Hunt		
SB 6524	Special education funding	Concerning special education funding.	S EL/K-12	Braun		
SB 6525	Education funding reform	Concerning final implementation of education funding reform.	S EL/K-12	Mullet		
SB 6568	Pasco, etc./regionalization	Adjusting the Pasco and Kennewick school district regionalization factors.	S EL/K-12	Brown		

Access and affordability to Higher Ed

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
2SHB 1293	College bound sch./approval	Eliminating the parent or guardian approval requirement for the college bound scholarship pledge.	S Higher Ed & Wor	Ortiz-Self		
SHB 1452 (SB 5361)	Opportunity scholarship prog	Creates a new scholarship under the Opportunity Scholarship Program for students pursuing professional technical degrees or professional technical certificates at institutions of higher education in programs approved by the State Board of Community & Technical Colleges. Big focus in on STEM and medical certificates and degrees, in shortage areas.	H not subst	Holy	Medium	Support
E2SHB 1561	Open educational resources	Concerning open educational resources.	S Higher Ed & Wor	Frame		
HB 2252	IB exam credit policies	Concerning policies for granting academic credit at institutions of higher education for international baccalaureate (IB) examinations.	H Hi Ed	Dolan		

HB 2386	College bound/room & board	Providing room and board for certain college bound scholarship students.	H Hi Ed	Hudgins		
HB 2504	Op. scholarship prg. funding	Concerning funding for the opportunity scholarship program.	H Approps	Hansen		
HB 2720	Student loans	Concerning student opportunity, assistance, and relief for student loans.	H Hi Ed	Orwall		
HB 2854	Homeless college students	Establishing pilot programs to plan for the needs of certain college students experiencing homelessness.	H Hi Ed	Sells		
HB 2860	Children ed. savings account	Creating the Washington children's educational savings account program.	H Hi Ed	Kilduff		
SB 5923	Tuition, college saving prgs	GET replacement	S Higher Ed & Wor	Mullet		
SSB 6101	Evergreen free college act	Establishing the evergreen free college act.	S Ways & Means	Ranker		
SB 6260	Running start costs	Covering costs for low-income running start students.	S EL/K-12	Ranker		
SB 6261	State need grant eligibility	Modifying eligibility for state need grants.	S Higher Ed & Wo	Ranker		
SSB 6262	Homeless college students	Establishing pilot programs to plan for the needs of certain college students experiencing homelessness.	S Ways & Means	Ranker		
SB 6263	Passport to college promise	Expanding the passport to college promise program to include youth experiencing homelessness and foster youth thirteen and older.	S Higher Ed & Wo	Ranker		
SSB 6274 (HB 2867)	Apprenticeships/foster, etc.	Helping former foster youth and youth experiencing homelessness access and complete college and registered apprenticeships.	S Ways & Means	Ranker		

Ample Funding

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2303 (SB 6004)	State property tax reduction	Reducing the state property tax in calendar year 2018.	H Finance	Condotta		
HB 2434 (SB 6033)	State property tax reduction	Reducing the state property tax in calendar year 2018.	H Finance	Van Werven		
SB 6004 (HB 2303)	State property tax reduction	Reducing the state property tax in calendar year 2018.	S Ways & Means	Mullet		
SB 6389 (HB 2815)	CTE/alt. learning exp. prgs.	Regarding career and technical education in alternative learning experience programs.	S EL/K-12	Zeiger		

Assessments

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
ESHB 1046	Certificates of achievement	Eliminates requirement to pass state assessments to graduate.	H 3rd Reading	MacEwen	Medium	Support
HB 2621	Certificates of achievement	Concerning certificates of academic and individual achievement.	H Education	Stonier		
SB 6144	Student assessment reqs.	Reducing state assessment requirements to only those required for federal purposes in order to facilitate removal of inequitable barriers to students.	S EL/K-12	Wellman	High	Support
SB 6209 (HB 2868)	High school success	Facilitating high school success.	S EL/K-12	Mullet		

Breakfast after the Bell

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
2ESHB 1508 (Inactive)	Student meals & nutrition	Promoting student health and readiness through meal and nutrition programs.	S Rules 2	Stonier	High	Support
ESB 6003	Student meals and nutrition	Concerning breakfast after the bell programs in certain public schools. (REVISED FOR ENGROSSED: Promoting student health and readiness through meal and nutrition programs.)	H Education	Wellman		

Budget bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2470 (SB 6174)	Budget stabilization account	Concerning budget stabilization account transfers.	H Approps	Ormsby		
SB 6174 (HB 2470)	Budget stabilization account	Concerning budget stabilization account transfers.	S Ways & Means	Rolfes		

Career-connected, STEM, CTE

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2685	High sch. preapprenticeships	Promoting preapprenticeship opportunities for high school students.	H Education	Ortiz-Self		
HB 2686	High school and beyond plans	Concerning high school and beyond plans.	H Education	Ortiz-Self		

CTE

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
2SHB 1600 (Inactive)	Career and college readiness	Increasing the career and college readiness of public school students.	H Approps	Santos		

HB 2494 (SSB 6133)	CTE course equivalency opts	Expanding statewide career and technical education course equivalency options.	H Education	Santos		
HB 2641	Expert volunteers in CTE	Promoting the use of expert volunteers in career and technical education courses offered in grades seven and eight.	H EDDP	McCaslin		
SSB 5853 (Inactive)	Career & technical education	CTE MSOC	S Rules X	Walsh		
SSB 6133 (HB 2494)	CTE course equivalency opts	Expanding statewide career and technical education course equivalency options.	S 2nd Reading	Zeiger		

Discipline, safety and justice

No bills.

Dual credit programs

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2656 (SB 6398)	College prep. programs	Concerning concurrent enrollment programs and college preparatory with examination programs.	H Hi Ed	Orwall		
SB 6153	Online credit search tool	Informing high school students enrolled in dual credit courses about the online credit search tool.	S EL/K-12	Ranker		
SB 6398 (HB 2656)	College prep. programs	Concerning concurrent enrollment programs and college preparatory with examination programs.	S Higher Ed & Wo	Palumbo		

Early Learning

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2659	Early child ed & assist prog	Expanding eligibility for the early childhood education and assistance program.	H Erly Lrn/H Svc	Goodman		
HB 2898 (SB 6458)	Early learning enrich. levy	Concerning additional enrichment levy amounts to fund early learning programs.	H Erly Lrn/H Svc	Kagi		
SB 6458 (HB 2898)	Early learning enrich. levy	Concerning additional enrichment levy amounts to fund early learning programs.	S Ways & Means	Billig		

Family engagement

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
ESHB 1618	Engagement coordinators	Concerning family and community engagement coordinators.	S EL/K-12	Ortiz-Self	Medium	Support

Foster Youth

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2832	Passport to college/foster	Ensuring the passport to college promise program is available to certain populations of foster youth.	H Hi Ed	Kilduff		
HB 2877 (SB 6223)	Foster children ed. outcomes	Concerning equitable educational outcomes for foster children and youth from preschool to postsecondary education.	H Erly Lrn/H Svc	Kagi		
SB 6223 (HB 2877)	Foster children ed. outcomes	Concerning equitable educational outcomes for foster children and youth from preschool to postsecondary education.	S EL/K-12	Carlyle		

Gender-based Violence

No bills.

Highly Capable

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2927 (SB 6508)	Highly capable students	Concerning highly capable students.	H Education	Vick		
SB 6508 (HB 2927)	Highly capable students	Concerning highly capable students.	S EL/K-12	Rivers		

Opportunity Gap

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
SB 6360	Special ed. transition plan	Improving transition planning for students in special education who meet criteria for services from the developmental disabilities administration.	S Human Svcs/Cor	O'Ban		

Paraeducators

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2698 (SB 6388)	Paraeducators	Concerning paraeducators.	H Education	Bergquist		
SB 6388 (HB 2698)	Paraeducators	Concerning paraeducators.	S EL/K-12	Mullet	High	Support

Resolution (Supports)

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HB 2796 (SSB 6162)	Dyslexia	Defining dyslexia as a specific learning disability and requiring early screening for dyslexia.	H Education	Pollet		
HB 2802	Expanded learning	Concerning expanded learning opportunities.	H Education	Kloba		
HB 2878 (SB 6322)	Pesticide exposure	Concerning pesticide exposure and notification of certain pesticide applications.	H HC/Wellness	Ortiz-Self		
SSB 6162 (HB 2796)	Dyslexia	Defining dyslexia as a specific learning disability and requiring early screening for dyslexia.		Zeiger		
SB 6529	Pesticides/ag. workers	Protecting agricultural workers and community members from pesticides.	S Labor & Commer	Saldaña		
SB 6553	Early literacy	Concerning early literacy.	S EL/K-12	Rivers		

Restorative Justice/School Safety

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2442	Students/reporting system	Creating a students protecting students program.	H Education	Manweller		
HB 2767	Student suspens. & expulsion	Concerning suspension and expulsion of students including kindergarten and early elementary school students.	H Education	Ortiz-Self		
HB 2848	Truancy reduction processes	Modifying school and court processes to promote attendance and reduce truancy.	H Education	Orwall		

School construction

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2953 (SB 6531)	School construction	Regarding the school construction assistance program.		Pollet		
SB 6531	School construction	Regarding the school construction assistance program.	S Ways & Means	Pedersen		

School Meal Policies

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
HB 2610	School meal payment	Creating the hunger-free students' bill of rights act.	H EDDP	Peterson		
HB 2712	Reduced-price lunch copays	Eliminating lunch copays for students who qualify for reduced-price lunches.	H Approps	Gregerson		

Simple majority for bonds

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
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SB 6246	School district bonds, 55%	Providing for approval of school district bonds by fifty-five percent of the voters voting.	S State Govt/Tri	Mullet		
SJR 8213	School district bonds, 55%	Amending the Constitution to allow at least fifty-five percent of voters voting to authorize school district bonds.	S State Govt/Tri	Mullet		

Social Emotional Learning

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
2SHB 1377 (Inactive)	Student mental health	Improving students' mental health by enhancing nonacademic professional services.	H Approps	Ortiz-Self	High	Support
HB 2496 (SB 6141)	Student distress response	Strengthening school district plans for recognition, screening, and response to emotional or behavioral distress in students.	H Education	Santos		
SHB 2558	Student stigmatization	Preventing public identification or stigmatization of public school students.	H EDDPS	Kirby		
SHB 2779 (SB 6485)	Children mental health serv.	Improving access to mental health services for children and youth.	H Approps	Senn		
SSB 5766	Bullying, etc., in schools	Preventing harassment, intimidation, bullying, and discrimination in public schools.	H Education	Liias	Low	Support
SB 6141 (HB 2496)	Student distress response	Strengthening school district plans for recognition, screening, and response to emotional or behavioral distress in students.	S Ways & Means	McCoy		
SB 6148	Homeless education equity	Creating a work group on educational equity for homeless children and youth.	S EL/K-12	Palumbo		

Teacher Shortages

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
3SHB 1827	Educator workforce supply	Expanding the current and future educator workforce supply through evidence-based strategies to improve and incentivize the recruitment and retention of highly effective educators, especially in high-need subject, grade-level, and geographic areas, and to establish a cohesive continuum of high quality professional learning from preparation programs to job embedded induction, mentoring, collaboration, and other professional development opportunities.	H Approps	Santos	Medium	Support
HB 2379 (SB 6289)	School substitutes/2008 ERF	Addressing the need for substitutes in schools.	H Approps	Doglio		

Uncategorized Bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Priority	Position
SHB 2390 (SB 6469)	Opioid medications/schools	Regulating opioid medications at educational institutions.	H EDDPS	Pollet		