

WSPTA Bill Status Report & Upcoming Events Report Week 8

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Upcoming Events

Ways & Means (Senate) - SHR 4, JACB - 3/2 @ 10:00am

- E2SHB 1272 - Exec Session - Concerning school lunch durations.
- E2SHB 2467 - Exec Session - Establishing a centralized single point of contact background check system for firearms transfers.
- SHB 2555 - Exec Session - Concerning background check requirements for firearms classified as other under federal firearms laws.
- ESHB 2660 - Exec Session - Increasing the availability of school meals provided to public school students at no student cost.
- 2SHB 2737 - Exec Session - Updating the children's mental health work group.
- 2SHB 2864 - Exec Session - Establishing a running start summer school pilot program.
- SSB 6254 - Exec Session - Protecting public health and safety by enhancing the regulation of vapor products.
- SSB 6512 - Exec Session - Providing housing to school district employees.

Transportation (Senate) - SHR 1, JACB - 3/2 @ 1:30pm

- E2SHB 1110 - Public Hearing - Reducing the greenhouse gas emissions associated with transportation fuels.
- SHB 1256 - Exec Session - Increasing monetary penalties for the unlawful use of a personal electronic device while driving a motor vehicle in a school, playground, or crosswalk speed zone.

2019-21 Budget Bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 2324 (ESSB 6248)	Capital budget, supplemental	Concerning the capital budget.	H Rules R	Tharinger		
ESSB 6168 (SHB)	Operating budget, supplement	Making 2019-2021 fiscal biennium supplemental operating appropriations.	H Passed 3rd	Rolfes		

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ESSB 6248 (SHB 2324)	Capital budget, supplemental	Concerning the capital budget.	S Passed 3rd	Frockett		

Access and Affordability to Higher Ed

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
2SHB 2864	Running start summer pilot	Establishing a running start summer school pilot program.	S Ways & Means	Paul		
ESSB 6141 (SHB 2523)	Higher education access	Expanding access to higher education.	H Rules R	Randall		
SB 6374	Apprenticeship materials	Concerning apprenticeship materials for dual credit scholarship programs.	H Rules R	Holy		
2SSB 6561 (HB 2801)	Undocumented student support	Creating the undocumented student support loan program.	H Approps	Liias		

General Education Watch List

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1256	Driving w/ electronic device	Increasing monetary penalties for the unlawful use of a personal electronic device while driving a motor vehicle in a school, playground, or crosswalk speed zone.	S Transportation	Lovick		
SHB 2589 (SB 6449)	Suicide prevention/ID cards	Requiring contact information for suicide prevention and crisis intervention organizations on student and staff identification cards.	S Rules 2	Callan		
SHB 2883 (SB 6634)	Adolescent behavioral health	Expanding adolescent behavioral health care access.	S Rules 2	Eslick		
2ESSB	Telehealth	Establishing a	H Approps	Becker		

5389	program/youth	telehealth training and treatment program to assist youth.				
ESSB 6189	SEBB coverage eligibility	Clarifying eligibility for school employees' benefits board coverage.	H Approps	Wellman		

High School Graduation Requirements

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
ESSB 6141 (SHB 2523)	Higher education access	Expanding access to higher education.	H Rules R	Randall		
SSB 6521	Innovative learning pilot	Creating an innovative learning pilot program.	H Approps	Wellman		

Preventing Gun Violence

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1010	Forfeited firearms/WSP	Concerning the disposition of forfeited firearms by the Washington state patrol.	S Rules 2	Senn		
E2SHB 2467	Firearm background checks	Establishing a centralized single point of contact background check system for firearms transfers.	S Ways & Means	Hansen		
SHB 2555	Other firearms/background	Concerning background check requirements for firearms classified as other under federal firearms laws.	S Ways & Means	Goodman		
SHB 2622	Firearm orders compliance	Concerning procedures for ensuring compliance with court orders requiring surrender of firearms, weapons, and concealed pistol licenses.	S Rules 2	Kilduff		
EHB 2623	Firearm	Prohibiting the	S Rules 2	Walen		

	possession/crimes	possession of firearms by persons convicted of certain criminal offenses.				
HB 2947	Firearms safety measures	Establishing firearms-related safety measures.	H Finance	Valdez		
ESSB 5434 (HB 1530)	Weapons in certain locations	Restricting possession of weapons in certain locations.	H Rules R	Wilson		
ESSB 6288	Office of firearm safety	Creating the Washington office of firearm violence prevention.	H Approps	Dhingra		

Resolution (Supports)

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
E2SHB 1110 (SB 5412)	Greenhouse gas/transp. fuels	Reducing the greenhouse gas emissions associated with transportation fuels.	S Transportation	Fitzgibbon		
ESHB 2551 (SB 6607)	Tribal regalia/graduation	Permitting students to wear traditional tribal regalia and objects of cultural significance at graduation ceremonies and related events.	S Rules 2	Lekanoff		
SHB 2711 (SSB 6511)	Educational outcomes	Increasing equitable educational outcomes for foster care and homeless children and youth from prekindergarten to postsecondary education.	S Ways & Means	Johnson		
ESSB	Sexual health	Concerning	H Rules R	Wilson		

5395 (HB 1407)	education	comprehensive sexual health education.				
E2SSB 6518	Pesticide, chlorpyrifos	Reducing prenatal exposure and harm to children by limiting environmental exposure to certain pesticides.	H Approps	Rolfes		

School Meal Policies

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
E2SHB 1272	School lunch durations	Concerning school lunch durations.	S Ways & Means	Thai	Support	High
ESHB 2660	School meals at no cost	Increasing the availability of school meals provided to public school students at no student cost.	S Ways & Means	Riccelli		

School Safety, Planning & Emergency Preparedness

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
2SHB 1191 (SB 5554)	School notifications	Concerning school notifications.	S Rules 2	Goodman		
SSB 5247 (HB 1200)	Catastrophic incidents	Addressing catastrophic incidents that are natural or human-caused emergencies.	H Approps	Frockt		

Social Emotional Learning

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
2SHB 2737 (SB 6588)	Child. mental health wk grp	Updating the children's mental health work group.	S Ways & Means	Callan		
ESHB 2816	School & classroom climates	Nurturing positive social and emotional school and classroom climates.	S Rules 2	Corry		
SSB 6191	Adverse childhood experience	Assessing the prevalence of adverse childhood experiences in middle and high school students to inform decision making and	H Approps	Braun		

		improve services.				
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Strategic K-12 Investments to Close Gaps

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 2728	Funding model/telehealth	Implementing a sustainable funding model for the services provided through the children's mental health services consultation program and the telebehavioral health video call center.	S Ways & Means	Slatter		
2SSB 6117 (HB 2258)	Special education	Concerning appropriations for special education programs.	H Approps	Wellman		

Teacher Shortages

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SSB 6512	School employee housing	Providing housing to school district employees.	S Ways & Means	Rolfes		

Tobacco 21 and Vaping

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SSB 6254 (HB 2454)	Vapor products	Protecting public health and safety by enhancing the regulation of vapor products.	S Ways & Means	Kuderer		