

WSPTA Bill Status & Upcoming Events Report

Week 12

Upcoming Events

Capital Budget (House) - Virtual, - 3/29 @ 9:00am

1. HB 1080 - Public Hearing - Concerning the capital budget. (Remote testimony.) (Support/High)

Appropriations (House) - Virtual, - 3/29 @ 1:30pm

2. HB 1094 - Exec Session - Making 2021-2023 fiscal biennium operating appropriations.

Transportation (House) - Virtual, - 3/29 @ 1:30pm

3. ESSB 5439 - Exec Session - Facilitating the coordinated installation of broadband along state highways. (Support/Low)

Ways & Means (Senate) - Virtual, - 3/29 @ 1:30pm

4. E2SHB 1099 - Exec Session - Improving the state's climate response through updates to the state's comprehensive planning framework. (Support/Monitoring)
5. SB 5092 - Exec Session - Making 2021-2023 fiscal biennium operating appropriations.

Appropriations (House) - Virtual, - 3/30 @ 1:30pm

6. SSB 5066 - Public Hearing - Concerning a peace officer's duty to intervene. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Monitoring)
7. E2SSB 5141 - Public Hearing - Reducing environmental and health disparities and improving the health of all Washington state residents by implementing the recommendations of the environmental justice task force. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Monitoring)
8. SSB 5151 - Public Hearing - Concerning foster care and child care licensing by the department of children, youth, and families. (Remote testimony.)
9. SSB 5401 - Public Hearing - Authorizing community and technical colleges to offer bachelor degrees in computer science. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Monitoring)

Transportation (Senate) - Virtual, - 3/30 @ 1:30pm

10. ESHB 1457 - Exec Session - Facilitating the installation of broadband facilities on limited access highways. (Support/Low)

Ways & Means (Senate) - Virtual, - 3/30 @ 1:30pm

11. E2SHB 1050 - Public Hearing - Reducing greenhouse gas emissions from fluorinated gases. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Medium)
12. E3SHB 1091 - Exec Session - Reducing greenhouse gas emissions by reducing the carbon intensity of transportation fuel. (Support/Medium)
13. SHB 1225 - Public Hearing - Concerning school-based health centers. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Medium)
14. ESHB 1273 - Public Hearing - Concerning menstrual products in schools. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Low)

15. E2SHB 1310 - Public Hearing - Concerning permissible uses of force by law enforcement and correctional officers. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Monitoring)
16. E2SHB 1320 - Public Hearing - Modernizing, harmonizing, and improving the efficacy and accessibility of laws concerning civil protection orders. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Medium)
17. ESHB 1476 - Exec Session - Enrollment stabilization funding to address enrollment declines due to the COVID-19 pandemic. (Support/High)
18. E2SHB 1504 - Public Hearing - Modifying the workforce education investment act. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Medium)

Capital Budget (House) - Virtual, - 3/31 @ 9:00am

19. HB 1080 - Exec Session - Concerning the capital budget. (Support/High)
20. HB 1081 - Exec Session - Concerning state general obligation bonds and related accounts. (Support/Monitoring)

Ways & Means (Senate) - Virtual, - 3/31 @ 1:30pm

21. SHB 1016 - Public Hearing - Making Juneteenth a legal holiday. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Monitoring)
22. SHB 1166 - Public Hearing - Expanding access to the homeless and foster care college students pilot program. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Low)
23. ESHB 1241 - Public Hearing - Planning under the growth management act. (Remote testimony.)
24. ESHB 1267 - Public Hearing - Concerning investigation of potential criminal conduct arising from police use of force, including custodial injuries, and other officer-involved incidents. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Monitoring)
25. E2SHB 1335 - Public Hearing - Concerning review and property owner notification of recorded documents with unlawful racial restrictions. (Remote testimony.)
26. E2SHB 1365 - Public Hearing - Procuring and supporting appropriate computers and devices for public school students and instructional staff. (Remote testimony.) (Support/High)

Ways & Means (Senate) - Virtual, - 4/1 @ 1:30pm

27. E2SHB 1139 - Public Hearing - Taking action to address lead in drinking water. (Remote testimony.) (Support/Medium)

Bill Status List

1. Mental, Physical Health & SEL

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1225	School-based health centers	Concerning school-based health centers.	S Ways & Means	Stonier	Support	Medium
SHB 1363	Secondary trauma/K-12	Addressing secondary trauma in the K-12 workforce.	S Rules 2	Ortiz-Self	Neutral	Monitoring
SHB 1373	Behavioral health/students	Promoting student access to information about behavioral health resources.	S Rules 2	Callan	Support	Medium

2. Preserving Education Funding

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1208	Learning assistance program	Modifying the learning assistance program.	S 2nd Reading	Santos	Support	Medium
ESHB 1332 (SB 5402)	Property tax deferral/COVID	Concerning property tax deferral during the COVID-19 pandemic.	S Ways & Means	Sullivan	Concerns	Monitoring
ESHB 1476	Enrollment declines/OSPI	Addressing enrollment declines due to the COVID-19 pandemic.	S Ways & Means	Dolan	Support	High
E2SSB 5128	Student transportation funds	Concerning student transportation funding during a local, state, or national emergency.	H Rules R	Wellman	Concerns	High

3. Closing the Digital Divide

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
ESHB 1336	Public telecomm. service	Creating and expanding unrestricted authority for public entities to provide telecommunications services to end users.	S Rules 2	Hansen	Neutral	Monitoring
E2SHB 1365	Schools/computers & devices	Procuring and supporting appropriate computers and devices for public school students and instructional staff.	S Ways & Means	Gregerson	Support	High
ESHB 1457	Broadband/limited highways	Facilitating the installation of broadband facilities on limited access highways.	S Transportation	Wylie	Support	Low
2SHB 1460	Telecommunications access	Closing the digital divide by establishing excise taxes on telecommunications services to fund the expansion of the universal service programs in Washington.	H Rules C	Gregerson		Monitoring
ESSB 5357	Capital broadband program	Establishing and making appropriations for the capital broadband investment acceleration program.	H Cap Budget	Honeyford	Support	High
2SSB 5383	Public telecomm. services	Authorizing a public utility district to provide retail	H Approps	Wellman		Monitoring

		telecommunications services in unserved areas under certain conditions.				
ESSB 5439	Broadband/state highways	Facilitating the coordinated installation of broadband along state highways.	H Transportation	Saldaña	Support	Low

4. Special Education & Resources

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SSB 5376	Education ombuds awareness	Promoting awareness of the governor's office of the education ombuds.	H Rules R	Wilson	Support	Monitoring

5. Preventing Gun Violence & Suicide

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
E2SHB 1477	National 988 system	Implementing the national 988 system to enhance and expand behavioral health crisis response and suicide prevention services.	S Ways & Means	Orwall	Support	Low
2SSB 5327	Youth safety tip line	Creating a confidential youth safety and well-being tip line.	H Rules R	Brown	Support	High

6. Climate Change Mitigation

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
E2SHB 1050	Fluorinated gases	Reducing greenhouse gas emissions from fluorinated gases.	S Ways & Means	Fitzgibbon	Support	Medium
E3SHB 1091 (SB 5231)	Transportation fuel/carbon	Reducing greenhouse gas emissions by reducing the carbon intensity of transportation fuel.	S Ways & Means	Fitzgibbon	Support	Medium
E2SHB 1099	Comprehensive planning	Improving the state's climate response through updates to the state's comprehensive planning framework.	S Ways & Means	Duerr	Support	Monitoring
ESHB 1241	Growth management act plans	Planning under the growth management act.	S Ways & Means	Duerr		
HB 1280	Greenhouse gas/facilities	Concerning greenhouse gas emissions reductions in the design of public facilities.	S Rules 2	Ramel	Support	Monitoring
2SSB 5126	Climate commitment act	Concerning the Washington climate commitment act.	S Rules 2	Carlyle		Monitoring
E2SSB 5141	Env. justice task force recs	Implementing the recommendations of the environmental justice task force.	H Approps	Saldaña	Support	Monitoring

7. HiCap Screening

No bills.

8. School Safety, Planning & Emergency Preparedness

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1484	Building mapping system	Concerning the statewide first responder building mapping information system.	S Rules 2	Dolan	Concerns	Low

9. Dismantling Racism

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1016	Juneteenth	Making Juneteenth a legal holiday.	S Ways & Means	Morgan	Support	Monitoring
ESHB 1054	Peace officer tactics, equip	Establishing requirements for tactics and equipment used by peace officers.	S 2nd Reading	Johnson	Support	Monitoring
SHB 1074	Fatality reviews	Concerning overdose and suicide fatality reviews.	S Rules 2	Peterson	Support	Monitoring
ESHB 1267	Police use of force	Concerning investigation of potential criminal conduct arising from police use of force, including custodial injuries, and other officer-involved incidents.	S Ways & Means	Entenman	Support	Monitoring
E2SHB 1310	Uses of force by officers	Concerning permissible uses of force by law enforcement and correctional officers.	S Ways & Means	Johnson	Support	Monitoring
E2SHB 1335	Racial restrictions/review	Concerning review and property owner notification of recorded documents with unlawful racial restrictions.	S Ways & Means	Valdez		
SHB 1356	Native American names, etc.	Prohibiting the inappropriate use of Native American names, symbols, or images as public school mascots, logos, or team names.	S Rules 2	Lekanoff	Support	Low
ESSB 5044	Schools/equity training	Concerning professional learning, equity, cultural competency, and dismantling institutional racism in the public school system.	H Approps	Das	Support	Medium
E2SSB 5051 (HB 1082)	Peace & corrections officers	Concerning state oversight and accountability of peace officers and corrections officers.	H Approps	Pedersen	Support	Medium
SSB 5066	Officer duty to intervene	Concerning a peace officer's duty to intervene.	H Approps	Dhingra	Support	Monitoring
ESB 5135	Unlawfully summoning police	Concerning unlawfully summoning a police officer.	H Rules R	Das	Support	Monitoring

E2SSB 5259 (2SHB 1092)	Law enforcement data	Concerning law enforcement data collection.	H Approps	Nobles	Support	High
ESSB 5353	Law enf community engagement	Creating a partnership model that facilitates community engagement with law enforcement.	H Approps	Conway		
ESSB 5405	JLARC racial equity analyses	Instructing the joint legislative audit and review committee to perform racial equity analyses.	H Approps	Hasegawa	Support	Monitoring

Biennial 2021-23 Budget Bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
HB 1080 (SB 5083)	Capital budget 2021-2023	Concerning the capital budget.	H Cap Budget	Tharinger	Support	High
HB 1081 (SB 5084)	State gen. obligation bonds	Concerning state general obligation bonds and related accounts.	H Cap Budget	Tharinger	Support	Monitoring
HB 1094 (SB 5092)	Operating budget 2021-2023	Making 2021-2023 fiscal biennium operating appropriations.	H Approps	Ormsby		
SB 5083 (HB 1080)	Capital budget 2021-2023	Concerning the capital budget.	S Ways & Means	Froct	Support	High
SB 5084 (HB 1081)	State gen. obligation bonds	Concerning state general obligation bonds and related accounts.	S Ways & Means	Froct	Support	Monitoring
SB 5092 (HB 1094)	Operating budget 2021-2023	Making 2021-2023 fiscal biennium operating appropriations.	S Ways & Means	Rolfes		

Budget bills

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
HB 1093 (SB 5091)	Operating budget, 2nd supp.	Making 2019-2021 fiscal biennium second supplemental operating appropriations.	H Approps	Ormsby	Concerns	High
SB 5091 (HB 1093)	Operating budget, 2nd supp.	Making 2019-2021 fiscal biennium second supplemental operating appropriations.	S Ways & Means	Rolfes		

Career-connected, STEM, CTE

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SB 5299	Computer science/HS grad.	Allowing the use of computer science credits for the purpose of graduation requirements.	H Rules R	Wellman	Support	Low
SSB 5401	CTC computer science degrees	Authorizing community and technical colleges to offer bachelor degrees in computer science.	H Approps	Nguyen	Support	Monitoring

COVID/Early Action

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
EHB 1121	Graduation reqs/emergency	Concerning the emergency waiver of graduation requirements.	Del to Gov	Santos	Support	High
ESHB 1368 (SB 5344)	Federal funding/COVID-19	Responding to the COVID-19 pandemic through state actions supported by federal funding.	C 3 L 21	Ormsby	Support	High
E2SSB 5128	Student transportation funds	Concerning student transportation funding during a local, state, or national emergency.	H Rules R	Wellman	Concerns	High
2SSB 5265	Bridge year pilot program	Creating a bridge year pilot program.	H Approps	Hunt		

Dual Credit & High School Graduation

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1302	College in the high school	Concerning college in the high school programs.	S Rules 2	Berg	Support	Medium
SHB 1425	CTC student scholarships	Expanding scholarships for community and technical college students.	S Rules 2	Taylor	Support	Low

Early Learning

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
E2SHB 1213 (E2SSB 5237)	Child care & early dev. exp.	Expanding accessible, affordable child care and early childhood development programs.	S Ways & Means	Senn	Support	Monitoring
ESHB 1370	Early learning fac. grants	Concerning grants for early learning facilities.	S Rules 2	Callan	Support	Monitoring
E2SSB 5237 (E2SHB 1213)	Child care & early dev. exp.	Expanding accessible, affordable child care and early childhood development programs.	H Approps	Wilson	Support	Monitoring

Family Engagement

No bills.

General Education Watch List

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1085	Students w/seizure disorders	Promoting a safe learning environment for students with seizure disorders.	S Rules 2	Kloba		Monitoring
ESHB 1113 (SB 5153)	School attendance	Concerning school attendance.	S Rules 2	Ortiz-Self	Support	Monitoring
ESHB 1273 (SB 5070)	Menstrual products/schools	Concerning menstrual products in schools.	S Ways & Means	Berg	Support	Low
E2SHB 1295	Institutional ed./release	Providing public education to youth in or released from institutional education facilities.	S Rules 2	Callan	Support	Low

SSB 5030	School counseling programs	Developing comprehensive school counseling programs.	H Rules R	Mullet		Monitoring
ESSB 5038	Open carry of weapons	Prohibiting the open carry of certain weapons at public demonstrations and the state capitol.	H 2nd Reading	Kuderer		Monitoring
SSB 5249	Mastery-based learning	Supporting mastery-based learning.	H Approps	Wellman	Support	Low

Higher Ed Access & Affordability

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
SHB 1166	College students pilot	Expanding access to the homeless and foster care college students pilot program.	S Ways & Means	Leavitt	Support	Low
E2SHB 1504	Workforce ed. investment act	Modifying the workforce education investment act.	S Ways & Means	Chopp	Support	Medium
E2SSB 5194 (HB 1318)	Higher ed. equity & access	Providing for equity and access in the community and technical colleges.	H Rules R	Liias	Support	Medium
ESSB 5321	College bound scholarship	Expanding access to the college bound scholarship.	H Approps	Nobles	Support	Low
SB 5430	Advanced tuition payment prg	Concerning the advanced college tuition payment program.	H Rules R	Mullet	Support	Low

New Revenue

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
HB 1406 (SB 5426)	Wealth tax	Improving the equity of Washington state's tax code by creating the Washington state wealth tax and taxing extraordinary financial intangible assets.	H Finance	Frame		
HB 1465	Estate tax	Making the estate tax more progressive by exempting small estates, reducing estate taxes on medium estates, increasing the estate tax on larger estates, and addressing equity in homeownership and homelessness.	H Finance	Orwall		
HB 1496	High valued assets tax	Creating a more progressive tax system in Washington by enacting an excise tax on sales and extraordinary profits of high valued assets.	H Finance	Senn		
ESSB 5096	Capital gains tax	Concerning an excise tax on gains from the sale or exchange of certain capital assets.	H Finance	Robinson	Support	Monitoring

Paraeducators

No bills.

Resolution (Supports)

Bill #	Abbrev. Title	Short Description	Status	Sponsor	Position	Priority
E2SHB 1139	Lead in drinking water	Taking action to address lead in drinking water.	S Ways & Means	Pollet	Support	Medium
E2SHB 1213 (E2SSB 5237)	Child care & early dev. exp.	Expanding accessible, affordable child care and early childhood development programs.	S Ways & Means	Senn	Support	Monitoring
ESHB 1214	K-12 safety & security serv.	Providing K-12 public school safety and security services by classified staff or contractors.	S Rules 2	Senn	Support	High
E2SHB 1320 (SB 5297)	Civil protection orders	Modernizing, harmonizing, and improving the efficacy and accessibility of laws concerning civil protection orders.	S Ways & Means	Goodman	Support	Medium
EHB 1342	Reduced-price lunch copays	Eliminating lunch copays for students who qualify for reduced-price lunches.	S Rules 2	Berg	Support	Medium
SSB 5151	Foster care & child care	Concerning foster care and child care licensing by the department of children, youth, and families.	H Approps	Wilson		
SB 5184	K-12 foster care contact	Establishing a building point of contact in all K-12 public schools for students in foster care.	H Rules R	Nobles	Support	Monitoring

School Construction & Simple Majority

No bills.

Teacher Shortages

No bills.

Uncategorized Bills

No bills.