
Superintendent/District Upcoming Issues

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Policy & Practice



- E2SHB 1418 - Creates a statewide dropout re-engagement system – district participation is voluntary
 - SHB 2801 - Requires OSPI to update the model harassment, intimidation, and bullying prevention policy by 8/1/10. Districts must update policies and designate primary contact person and send link to policies to the school safety center website by 8/1/11.
 - SHB 2893 - Extends levy base (shadow), raises levy lid and LEA through 2017.
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- ESHB 2913 - Provides option for non-high districts to partner with other non-highs to create Innovation Academy Cooperatives for resident high school students.
 - E2SHB 3026 - Provides OSPI oversight in district compliance with state and federal civil rights laws.
 - SHB 3036 - Requires public meeting before a district contracts for nonvoter-approved debt over \$250,000.
 - SSB 6367 - Allows districts to direct requesters to public website for requested public records as a mutually agreeable option.
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- SB 6593 - Transfers administration of IDEA Part C to Dept. of Early Learning from DSHS.
 - ESSB 6604 - Reduces requirement for Student Learning Plans to only 8th graders not successful on state assessments or not on track to graduate.
 - 2SSB 6702 - Requires districts, that have adult jails within their boundaries, to provide instructional programs for incarcerated juveniles.
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- E2SSB 6696 - Regarding Education Reform
 - Accountability for lowest achieving schools
 - Plan for improvement
 - Necessary changes in CBAs – PERC mediation
 - OSPI review & SBE approval
 - Implementation following year
 - Progress reports
 - Evaluations - Teachers & Principals
 - Pilot districts 2010-11
 - All districts 2013-14
 - Numerous Assignment/Employment Practice Changes
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- E2SSB 6696 - Regarding Education Reform - Cont'
 - Pre-service Performance Assessment
 - Alternative Routes to Certification
 - Student Teaching Centers in ESDs eliminated
 - Educator Workforce
 - Annual meeting of districts & educator preparation programs to review workforce data – facilitated by ESDs
 - Common Core Standards to legislature in 2011
 - Parents and Community – districts to survey in 2010-11
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Human Resources



- E2SSB 6696 Regarding Education Reform – Sweeping Changes
 - Evaluation
 - Provisional Status of Certificated Staff
 - Assignment of Staff
 - Supplemental Contracts (TRI)
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Human Resources



- HB 1541 – Grants half-time service credits for work prior to 1/1/87 to SRS & PERS 2 & 3 members.
 - ESSB 6724 - Permits employees to share leave with those employed in another agency.
 - SSB 6363 - Gives adult school crossing guards authority to report driver violations that may result in double traffic fines.
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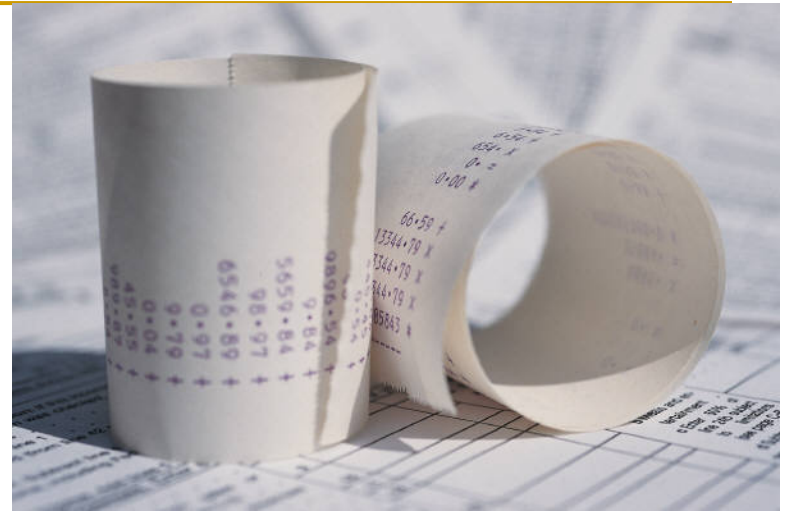
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ESSB 6444 – Supplemental Budget *(Pending Gov's Signature)*

- ❑ Maintains Classified & K-3 ratios, Grade 4 to 47.43/1000
 - ❑ Eliminates 1 LID day
 - ❑ Fringe benefits % (minor changes)
 - ❑ Retirement rates minor changes from biennial budget
 - ❑ Insurance Benefit \$768/mo
 - ❑ Retiree Subsidy \$62.48/mo
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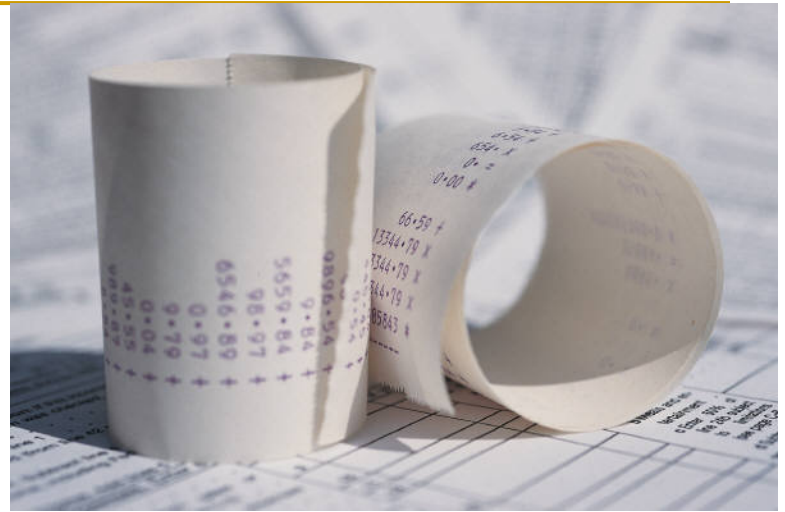
District Financial



■ Big Ticket Items

- ❑ No COLA
 - ❑ I-728 eliminated
 - ❑ LID day eliminated
 - ❑ Levy Lid increased 4% (Expires in 2017)
 - ❑ LEA increase to 14% (Expires 2017)
 - ❑ Levy Per Pupil Inflator = 4%
 - ❑ No change in increase of BEA = 4%
 - ❑ Rate sheets & pivot tables on OSPI website
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District Financial



■ Smaller Stuff

- ❑ Bus depreciation recovery of sales tax – restored in final year
 - ❑ Slight decreases in Transportation, Highly Capable, Trans Bilingual and LAP maintenance funding.
 - ❑ Minimal changes in fringe benefits and retirement rates
 - ❑ MSCTE reduced funding
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“To Do List”



- **Planning for sweeping impact of E2SSB 6696.**
 - ❑ Review collective bargaining agreements for areas of necessary negotiations.
 - ❑ Revise provisional language
 - ❑ Modify TRI language
 - ❑ Follow development of new evaluation models.
 - ❑ Prepare to use SPI or locally developed tool to survey parents/community
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“To Do List”



- Consider participation in Dropout Reengagement System. Authorizes inter-local agreements with CTCs, ESD or other entities. (E2SHB 1418)
 - Begin planning instructional program delivery for incarcerated juveniles within local adult jails. Coordinate with jail facility and submit plan to OSPI by 9/30/10. (SSB 6702)
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Cleaning Up the Left-Overs



From Previous Legislative Sessions

- RCW 28A.210.365 Healthy children goals set for 2010 (State Goals – not required except by local policy)
 - Health advisory committees
 - Healthy food & beverages on campus
 - 150 minutes of PE per week for grades 1-8
 - Restrictions on waiving PE credits for graduation
 - RCW 28A.230.095 Assessment report for Soc. Studies, Arts & Health & Fitness due to OSPI by 7/31/10. At least one Civics CBA in 4th or 5th grade 2010-11
 - RCW 28A.250.050 Requires board policy for student access to online learning – due 8/31/10
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Cleaning Up the Left-Overs



- RCW 28A.300.540 Districts will be required to track expenses in transporting of homeless students. OSPI to develop methods by 12/31/10.
 - RCW 28A.655.066 Statewide EOC assessments for HS Math – implemented in 2010-11.
 - CTE Plans must meet standards of RCW 28A.700.010 by August 31, 2010
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Stay Tuned



- Quality Education Council
 - Five work groups
 - SHB 2776 - Many of the funding formulas in RCW 28A.150, The Basic Education Act, will be translated to a new structure 9/1/11.
 - Transportation Formula by 2014-15
 - MSOC by 2015-16
 - Full-day K by 2017-18
 - K-3 Class Size Reduction by 2017-18
 - Policy and Working Groups from ESSB 6444
 - ALE Separate Financial Accounting of Expenditures
 - STEM Working Group
 - Highly Capable Working Group
 - School District Consolidation Commission
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