

**Week 10**  
**Legislative Schedule**  
**March 16-20, 2015**

**Monday, March 16**

**1:30 pm – House Education – HHR A**

**Work Session:** Shortage of Substitute Teachers.

**Public Hearing:** Including [ESSB 5316](#) - Concerning privacy and security of personally identifiable student information.

**1:30 pm – Senate Early Learning & K-12 Education – SHR 1**

**Public Hearing:** Including:

1. [E2SHB 1541](#) - Implementing strategies to close the educational opportunity gap, based on the recommendations of the educational opportunity gap oversight and accountability committee.
2. [SHB 1570](#) - Creating flexibility for the educator retooling conditional scholarship program.
3. [SHB 1031](#) - Expanding participation in college in the high school programs.

**Tuesday, March 17**

**8:00 am – House Higher Education – HHR C**

**Work Session:** Student Consumer Protection at For-Profit, Private Colleges.

- a. The Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board.
- b. Washington Student Achievement Council.
- c. Washington State Attorney General's Office.
- d. Northwest Career Colleges Federation.
- e. Private Career Schools Panel.

**Public Hearing:**

1. [ESSB 5133](#) - Concerning a review of higher education costs.
2. [SB 5977](#) - Decodifying, expiring, and making nonsubstantive changes to community and technical college provisions.

**1:30 pm – Senate Higher Education – SHR 3**

**Public Hearing & Executive Session:** To be announced.

**1:30 pm – Senate Early Learning & K-12 Education – SHR 1**

**Public Hearing:** Including:

1. [SHB 1121](#) - Regarding the financial education public-private partnership.
2. [SHB 1511](#) - Requiring Washington's tribal history, culture, and government to be taught in the common schools.
3. [SHB 1783](#) - Expanding dual language and bilingual instruction for early learners through secondary students.

### 1:30 pm – House Education – HHR A

**Public Hearing:** Including [E2SSB 5688](#) - Providing students with skills that promote mental health and well-being and increase academic performance.

## Wednesday, March 18

### 1:30 pm – House Higher Education – HHR C

**Public Hearing:**

1. [2SSB 5851](#) - Concerning recommendations of the college bound scholarship program work group.
2. [SB 5638](#) - Changing state need grant eligibility provisions.
3. [SB 5318](#) - Creating the wildlife college student loan program.
4. [SSB 5355](#) - Modifying the definition of resident student to comply with federal requirements established by the veterans access, choice, and accountability act of 2014.
5. [SB 5746](#) - Including Everett Community College as an aerospace training or educational program.

### 3:30 pm – Senate Ways & Means – SHR 4

**Work Session:**

1. Teacher Preparation and Capacity.
2. K-12 Compensation.
3. School District Levies.

## Thursday, March 19

### 8:00 am – Senate Early Learning & K-12 Education – SHR 1

**Public Hearing:** Including:

1. [HB 1345](#) - Adopting a definition and standards of professional learning.
2. [E2SHB 1682](#) - Concerning homeless students.
3. [HB 1770](#) - Changing explicit alternative routes to teacher certification program requirements to expectations for program outcomes.
4. [SHB 1813](#) - Expanding computer science education.
5. [2SHB 1999](#) - Coordinating services and programs for foster youth in order to improve educational outcomes.

### 10:00 am – Senate Health Care – SHR 4

**Public Hearing:** Including [E2SHB 1485](#) - Concerning family medicine residencies in health professional shortage areas.

### 8:00 am – House Education – HHR A

**Work Session:** Special Education Task Force Report.

**Public Hearing:** [SSB 5679](#) - Concerning transition services for special education students.

### 1:30 pm – Senate Higher Education – SHR 3

**Public Hearing & Executive Session:** To be announced.