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## Council to discuss statewide policy priorities at October meeting

**Olympia**—The Washington Student Achievement Council will meet on Oct. 12 to review and discuss a report on Washington's dual-credit programs, as well as the draft 2017-19 strategic action plan, which makes short-term budget and policy recommendations to increase educational attainment. The council will send a final plan to the Legislature in December 2016.

The council will also hear from Paul Francis, executive director of the Council of Presidents, who will discuss the 2017 legislative agenda of the four-year baccalaureate sector in relation to the 2017-19 strategic action plan.

All materials will be available online the day of the meeting.

### **Meeting Location**

State Board for Community and Technical Colleges 1300 Quince St. SE, 4th Floor Olympia, WA 98504

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## About the Washington Student Achievement Council (WSAC)

The Washington Student Achievement Council is committed to increasing educational opportunities and attainment in Washington. The council has three main functions:

- 1. Lead statewide strategic planning to increase educational attainment.
- 2. Administer programs that help people access and pay for college.
- 3. Advocate for the economic, social and civic benefits of higher education.

The Council has <u>nine members</u>. Four members represent each of Washington's major education sectors: four-year public baccalaureates, four-year private colleges, public community and technical colleges and K-12 public schools. Five are citizen members, including one current student.

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