

2 **SB 6438** - CONF REPT
3 By Conference Committee

4 ADOPTED HSE ED COMM (H4374.2) AS AMENDED ON P.1, L 16 & 26

5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
6 following:

7 **"Sec. 1.** RCW 28A.600.300 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 401 are each
8 amended to read as follows:

9 ~~((As used in RCW 28A.600.300 through 28A.600.390, community college~~
10 ~~means a public community college as defined in chapter 28B.50 RCW))~~ For
11 the purposes of RCW 28A.600.310 through 28A.600.400, "participating
12 institution of higher education" or "institution of higher education"
13 means:

14 (1) A community or technical college as defined in RCW 28B.50.030;
15 and

16 (2) Central Washington University, Eastern Washington University,
17 and Washington State University, if the institution's governing board
18 decides to participate in the program in RCW 28A.600.310 through
19 28A.600.400.

20 **Sec. 2.** RCW 28A.600.310 and 1993 c 222 s 1 are each amended to
21 read as follows:

22 (1) Eleventh and twelfth grade students or students who have not
23 yet received a high school diploma or its equivalent and are eligible
24 to be in the eleventh or twelfth grades may apply to a ~~((community~~
25 ~~college or technical college))~~ participating institution of higher
26 education to enroll in courses or programs offered by the ((community
27 college or technical college)) institution of higher education.
28 However, students are eligible to enroll in courses or programs in
29 participating universities only if the board of directors of the
30 student's school district has decided to participate in the program.
31 Participating institutions of higher education, in consultation with
32 school districts, may establish admission standards for these students.
33 If ((a community college or technical college)) the institution of
34 higher education accepts a secondary school pupil for enrollment under
35 this section, the ((community college or technical college))

1 institution of higher education shall send written notice to the pupil
2 and the pupil's school district within ten days of acceptance. The
3 notice shall indicate the course and hours of enrollment for that
4 pupil.

5 (2) The pupil's school district shall transmit to the (~~community~~
6 ~~college or technical college~~) institution of higher education an
7 amount per each full-time equivalent college student at state-wide
8 uniform rates for vocational and nonvocational students. The
9 superintendent of public instruction shall separately calculate and
10 allocate moneys appropriated for basic education under RCW 28A.150.260
11 to school districts for purposes of making such payments and for
12 granting school districts seven percent thereof to offset program
13 related costs. The calculations and allocations shall be based upon
14 the estimated state-wide annual average per full-time equivalent high
15 school student allocations under RCW 28A.150.260, excluding small high
16 school enhancements, and applicable rules adopted under chapter 34.05
17 RCW. The superintendent of public instruction, the higher education
18 coordinating board, and the state board for community and technical
19 colleges shall consult on the calculation and distribution of the
20 funds. The (~~community college or technical college~~) institution of
21 higher education shall not require the pupil to pay any other fees.
22 The funds received by the (~~community college or technical college~~)
23 institution of higher education from the school district shall not be
24 deemed tuition or operating fees and may be retained by the (~~community~~
25 ~~college or technical college~~) institution of higher education. A
26 student enrolled under this subsection shall not be counted for the
27 purpose of determining any enrollment restrictions imposed by the state
28 on the (~~community colleges~~) institution of higher education.

29 **Sec. 3.** RCW 28A.600.320 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 403 are each
30 amended to read as follows:

31 A school district shall provide general information about the
32 program to all pupils in grades ten (~~and~~), eleven, and twelve and the
33 parents and guardians of those pupils. To assist the district in
34 planning, a pupil shall inform the district of the pupil's intent to
35 enroll in (~~community college or a vocational technical institute~~)
36 courses at an institution of higher education for credit. Students are
37 responsible for applying for admission to the (~~community college or~~
38 ~~vocational technical institute~~) institution of higher education.

1 **Sec. 4.** RCW 28A.600.330 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 404 are each
2 amended to read as follows:

3 A pupil who enrolls in (~~(a community college or a vocational-~~
4 ~~technical institute)~~) an institution of higher education in grade
5 eleven may not enroll in postsecondary courses under RCW 28A.600.300
6 through 28A.600.390 for high school credit and (~~(community college or~~
7 ~~vocational-technical institute)~~) postsecondary credit for more than the
8 equivalent of the course work for two academic years. A pupil who
9 first enrolls in (~~(a community college or vocational-technical~~
10 ~~institute)~~) an institution of higher education in grade twelve may not
11 enroll in postsecondary courses under this section for high school
12 credit and (~~(community college or vocational-technical institute)~~)
13 postsecondary credit for more than the equivalent of the course work
14 for one academic year.

15 **Sec. 5.** RCW 28A.600.340 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 405 are each
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Once a pupil has been enrolled in a postsecondary course(~~()~~) or
18 program(~~(or vocational-technical institute)~~) under (~~(this section)~~)
19 RCW 28A.600.300 through 28A.600.400, the pupil shall not be displaced
20 by another student.

21 **Sec. 6.** RCW 28A.600.350 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 406 are each
22 amended to read as follows:

23 A pupil may enroll in a course under RCW 28A.600.300 through
24 28A.600.390 for both high school credit and (~~(college-level academic~~
25 ~~and vocational or vocational-technical institute)~~) postsecondary
26 credit.

27 **Sec. 7.** RCW 28A.600.360 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 407 are each
28 amended to read as follows:

29 A school district shall grant academic credit to a pupil enrolled
30 in a course for high school credit if the pupil successfully completes
31 the course. If no comparable course is offered by the school district,
32 the school district superintendent shall determine how many credits to
33 award for the course. The determination shall be made in writing
34 before the pupil enrolls in the course. The credits shall be applied
35 toward graduation requirements and subject area requirements. Evidence
36 of the successful completion of each course in (~~(a community college or~~

1 ~~vocational-technical institute))~~ an institution of higher education
2 shall be included in the pupil's secondary school records and
3 transcript. The transcript shall also note that the course was taken
4 at ~~((a community college or vocational-technical institute))~~ an
5 institution of higher education.

6 **Sec. 8.** RCW 28A.600.370 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 408 are each
7 amended to read as follows:

8 Any state institution of higher education may award postsecondary
9 credit for college level academic and vocational ~~((or vocational-~~
10 ~~technical institute))~~ courses successfully completed by a student while
11 in high school and taken at ~~((a community college or vocational-~~
12 ~~technical institute))~~ an institution of higher education. The state
13 institution of higher education shall not charge a fee for the award of
14 the credits.

15 **Sec. 9.** RCW 28A.600.380 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 409 are each
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Transportation to and from the ~~((community college or vocational-~~
18 ~~technical institute))~~ institution of higher education is not the
19 responsibility of the school district.

20 **Sec. 10.** RCW 28A.600.390 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 410 are each
21 amended to read as follows:

22 The superintendent of public instruction, the state board for
23 community and technical colleges ~~((education))~~, and the higher
24 education coordinating board shall jointly develop and adopt rules
25 governing RCW 28A.600.300 through 28A.600.380, if rules are necessary.
26 The rules shall be written to encourage the maximum use of the program
27 and shall not narrow or limit the enrollment options under RCW
28 28A.600.300 through 28A.600.380.

29 **Sec. 11.** RCW 28A.600.400 and 1990 1st ex.s. c 9 s 412 are each
30 amended to read as follows:

31 RCW 28A.600.300 through ~~((28A.600.395))~~ 28A.600.390 are in addition
32 to and not intended to adversely affect agreements between school
33 districts and ~~((community college districts or vocational-technical~~
34 ~~institutes))~~ institutions of higher education in effect on April 11,
35 1990, and in the future.

