
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1179

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By House Committee on Higher Education (originally sponsored by Representatives Jacobsen, Ogden and Ludwig)

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1 AN ACT Relating to accountability and collaboration in higher
2 education and K-12 education; and adding new sections to chapter 28B.10
3 RCW.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW
6 to read as follows:

7 The legislature finds that some college students who have recently
8 graduated from high school must immediately enroll in one or more
9 precollege classes before they can proceed successfully through
10 college. The legislature also finds that these students should have
11 received basic skills in English, reading, spelling, grammar, and
12 mathematics before graduating from high school. It is the intent of
13 the legislature that colleges and universities provide information to
14 school districts about recent graduates who enroll in precollege
15 classes. It is also the intent of the legislature to encourage
16 institutions of higher education and the common schools to work
17 together to solve problems of common concern.

1 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW
2 to read as follows:

3 By May 1st of each year, each community and technical college shall
4 provide a report on students enrolled in precollege classes to the
5 state board for community and technical colleges. By June 30th of each
6 year, each state-funded four-year institution of higher education, and,
7 for community and technical colleges, the state board for community and
8 technical colleges, shall provide a report to the office of the
9 superintendent of public instruction and to the commission on student
10 learning under RCW 28A.630.885. The report shall contain the following
11 information on students who, within three years of graduating from a
12 Washington high school, enrolled in a state-supported precollege level
13 class at the institution: (1) The numbers of such students enrolled in
14 a state-supported precollege level class in mathematics, reading,
15 grammar, spelling, writing, or English; (2) the types of precollege
16 classes in which each such student was enrolled; and (3) the name of
17 the Washington high school from which each such student graduated.

18 For students who enrolled in a precollege class within three years
19 of graduating from a Washington high school, each institution of higher
20 education shall also report to the Washington high school from which
21 each such student graduated. The report shall include information on
22 the numbers of students from that high school enrolled in precollege
23 classes, and the types of classes taken by such students.

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