

# The Washington State Board of Education

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## State Board of Education

### 2009-2012 Key Accomplishments and Activities

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By Statute or Assignment	<p>Initiated work towards a revised Achievement Index to meet the requirements of the ESEA flexibility waiver</p> <p>Initiated adoption of criteria for 180-day waivers.</p> <p>Basic Education Compliance</p> <p>Approved Biology EOC standard setting process and cut scores and the Washington Alternate Assessment System Portfolio Standard Setting and cut scores</p> <p>Produced joint report with the PESB</p>	<p>Identified four districts for Required Action</p> <p>Approved Mathematics EOC and MSP Science standard setting process and cut scores</p> <p>Basic Education Compliance</p> <p>Coordinated with OSPI to host the Washington Achievement Awards</p>	<p>Obtained intervention authority through Required Action for Low Performing Schools</p> <p>Basic Education Compliance</p> <p>SBE has seat on school district reorganization committee</p> <p>SBE has seat on STEM work Group</p> <p>SBE must consult with the Achievement Gap and Oversight Committee</p> <p>SBE consulted on Science EOC for Biology</p> <p>Produced joint report with the PESB</p> <p>Coordinated with OSPI to host the Washington Achievement Awards</p>	<p>Created framework for statewide accountability</p> <p>Developed recognition program for schools with SBE accountability index</p> <p>Basic Education Compliance</p> <p>Completed Math Curriculum Review (Strategic Teaching)</p> <p>Completed Science Curriculum Review (SBE Science Panel)</p> <p>Completed new efficiency waiver pilot for small school Districts</p> <p>SBE has seat on QEC and Data Governance Committee (on going)</p>
Self-Initiated	<p>Coordinated the work of developing a Revised Achievement Index and</p>	<p>Added 1 credit of English, .5 credit social studies (graduation requirement)</p>	<p>Acted as a catalyst to help move State Ed Reform Plan and RTTT Grant forward</p>	<p>Completed High School Transcript study (BERC)</p>

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	<p>statewide accountability framework</p> <p>Convened and facilitated the Achievement and Accountability Workgroup</p> <p>Revised the SBE website, including archiving of old materials into pdf for easy visitor access</p> <p>Co-authored with OSPI Washington's waiver from the Elementary and Secondary Education Act requirements.</p> <p>Developed a user-friendly online version of the Washington Achievement Index</p> <p>Analyzed Long-term English Language Learner data</p> <p>Chair Vincent appointed as Chair of Joint Task Force on Basic Education Funding</p>	<p>changes determined to have no fiscal impact), and increased local flexibility to state's graduation requirements framework</p> <p>Created an extension opportunity for districts wishing to postpone the 2016 graduation requirements to 2018.</p> <p>Completed a survey of middle-level career and college-ready best practices</p>	<p>with review/oversight and obtaining resources for project manager</p> <p>Participated in coalition to obtain RTTT legislation to be competitive for grant</p> <p>Created new 180 day waiver process to enhance innovation</p> <p>Presented SBE Accountability Index to USED for waiver or consideration under ESEA Reauthorization</p> <p>Completed post high school transcript study (BERC Group)</p> <p>Almost completed NBCT Mobility/Incentives Study (CSTP)</p> <p>Launched New Board Web Site</p> <p>Launched Social Media Networking</p> <p>Launched Student Video</p>	<p>Completed policy barriers study (NW Lab)</p> <p>Completed report on helping challenged schools (Mass Insight)</p> <p>Participated in building coalition around HB 2261 to address basic education funding and education reform issues</p> <p>Held joint forum with PESB on teacher quality issues with NCTQ teaching quality expert</p>

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			Contest Approved the 24 credit Career and College Ready Graduation Requirements, with the intention of moving forward with changes with no fiscal impact	