

## **SEL for Washington**

## A CALL TO ACTION

## Greetings!

We are officially over the halfway mark of the 2019 Legisaltive Session! Thank you for your continued advocacy and commitment to ensuring all Washington Schools have the ability to support the Social Emotional skill development of their students. <u>2SSB 5082</u>, which creates a committee to promote and expand social emotional learning was voted out of the Senate last week and now moves to the House.

<u>2SSB 5082</u> is scheduled for public hearing in the House Education Committee on March 14 at 8:00 a.m.. Please contact members of the <u>House Education Committee</u> to provide any feedback you may have and ask for their support.

You can find out the current status of other SEL related bills and bills that impact school climate <u>here</u>. You can find out who your legislators are <u>here</u>.

Additional legislative resources: <u>WA State Legislature</u> <u>Legislative Information Center</u> <u>Weekly Committee Schedules</u>

Thank you for all you do for children in our state!

Warm Regards,

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## STAY CONNECTED...

Feel free to *email us at anytime* and share resources you think would be of value. We also love to highlight examples of SEL happening in schools and classrooms. Thank you for your continued commitment to ensuring youth in Washington Schools have access to Social and Emotional Learning and coordinated supports for mental health and wellbeing.

You can keep up to date by checking our Website, joining us on Facebook, and following us on Twitter.

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