Saturday, February 6, 2021 10:00 am to 1:30 pm



Hello! We're thrilled you can join us for the WA-SEN 2021 Olympia Days Summit.

Today's students are vital to Washington's economic success—and recovery. Using the strength of a unified collective voice, we're bringing together college students from across the state and across sectors to rise up and speak out about why higher education and equity in financial aid is important to them.

The day's agenda includes a refresher for those who attended the 2020 Fall Summit and an introduction to those new to WA-SEN, group role play in preparation for meetings with legislators in February and March (see chart on page 2), and an opportunity to hear from inspiring speakers. This virtual gathering will connect you with a network of other like-minded students across 50 campuses.

Come prepared to share your interests and journey to and through college, while working in allyship and partnership to tackle the tough issues of today that provide equitable access to higher education.

This event is happening online.

Look for the Zoom link in your email on Friday, February 5th.

Land Acknowledgement

In preparation for the opening remarks and welcome, please come prepared to participate in a system-wide land acknowledgement by visiting: www.Native-Land.ca

This interactive Native Land map allows you to type in your address and pinpoint the land and Indigenous history where you live, school, or work.

Agenda

10:00 am	Welcome Rachel Collins, WA-SEN	
10:10 am	Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Lorna Hernandez Jarvis	
10:45 am	Legislative Overview WA-SEN Team	
11:00 am	Why Your Story Matters Rosette Royale Video	1
11:15 am	Elevating Student Voice WA-SEN Team	
11:30 am	Explanation of Regional Olympia Days and Breakout Group	
11:45 am	Breakout Groups + Take Action	
12:45 pm	Keeping It Social Photo/Video Blitz	
1:00 pm	Inspiration and Call to Action Phyllis Gutierrez Kenny	
1:20 pm	Next Steps WA-SEN Team	
1:30 pm	Prize drawing and end of the day	St

Stay tuned for surprises throughout the day. Must be present to win!

WA-SEN Team

To contact a member of the team, visit <u>wa-sen.org/leadership.</u>

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The following days have been reserved for legislative appointments by region.

Week One: February 11 (Virtual South)

Week Two: February 19 (King North)

Week Three: March 11 (Pierce South) and March 12 (Eastern)

Week Four: March 15 (Virtual North)

October Student Summit Resources Available Online

There are many resources available online from the October 2020 Student Summit. Visit <u>wa-sen.org/resources</u> for these.

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion; Multicultural; and Self-Care/Mental Health Resources (organized by campus)

Graphic facilitator's maps

Voting resources

Videos of the presentations, including speakers, legislators, and panelists