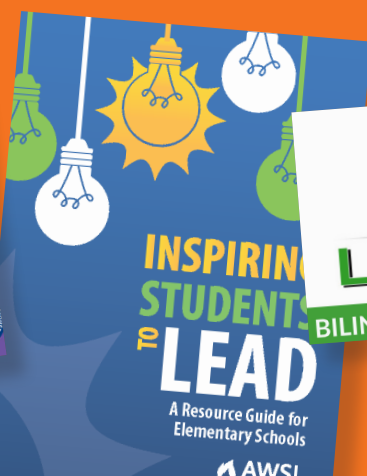
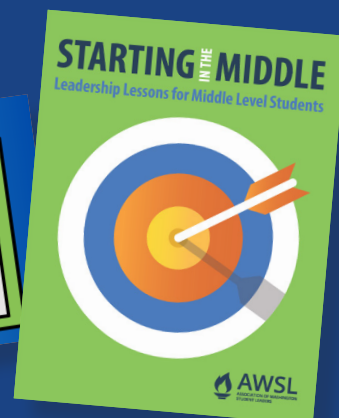
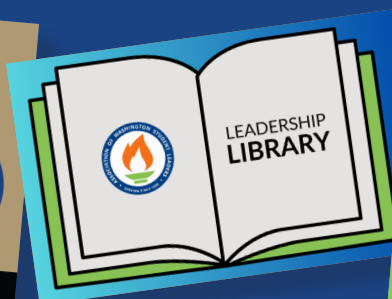




See What's New from the

Association of Washington Student Leaders

2023-24





Inspiring Students to Lead!

The Association of Washington Student Leaders (AWSL) is your go-to destination to empower students to lead and make positive decisions within their schools, communities, and themselves. Through life-changing and personalized programs, curriculum, and experiences, AWSL prepares students for success academically and in life.

We strive to create opportunities and increase access so each and every student can develop as leaders, so they can lead themselves, lead others, and become vibrant leaders in their schools and communities.

The Association of Washington Student Leaders:

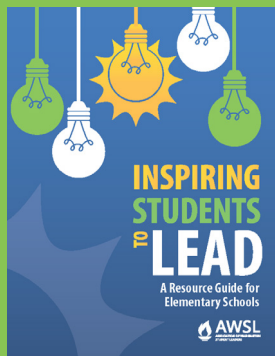
- Trains and empowers students to lead in school and life.
- Supports adults engaged in student success.
- Provides resources for engagement and empowerment.
- Promotes the value of students as leaders.

Learn more at www.AWSLeaders.org.

ELEMENTARY

Inspiring Students to Lead

Category: Publication



Inspiring Students to Lead now includes an additional 85 pages of elementary curriculum developed by AWSL! You'll find:

- 34 pages of guidance and models for creating an elementary leadership program
- 42 pages of lesson materials and other teacher resources, including:
 - 15 ready-to-print student handouts in English and Spanish
 - And more!

Reimagining Recess

Category: Adult Professional Learning

Reimagining Recess is an engaging and dynamic training program for paraeducators, recess staff, counselors, interventionists, and other student



support specialists designed and facilitated by the Association of Washington Student Leaders.

Reimagining Recess Concepts:

- Socially distant games that require no props, or equipment
- Conflict resolution techniques and strategies (student to adult and student to student)
- Incorporates teachings from AWSL's *Calling All Superheroes* Elementary SEL program
- Purposeful play and relationship-building strategies
- Discussions around the science of play
- Becoming while doing. Participants will do with the AWSL facilitators and will be active during the training

Training objectives:

- 50% Games
- 25% Conflict-Resolution Strategies
- 25% SEL and Implementation Strategies

Calling All Superheroes

Category: Resource



Calling All Superheroes is a school-wide elementary program offered online or through socially-distant platforms. The program aligns with Washington State and CASEL social-emotional learning standards to provide dynamic, multi-faceted tier-one opportunities for schools and communities.

Complete with exciting modules, songs, stories, and a parent and family engagement guide. *Calling all Superheroes* is the perfect program

for all elementary schools. *Calling All Superheroes* is FREE with AWSL membership!

Lesson Format:

- Learning modules designed to promote school-wide climate, enhance classroom culture, and provide brain breaks for students!
- Modules built for 20 minutes of direct student engagement with the flexibility to shorten or lengthen each lesson.
- Suggested follow-up activities for writing, art, and visual and performing arts.
- A teacher resource guide, which includes the use of summary stories.
- Key concepts include:
 - Explore the powers of Hope, Confidence, and Relationships
 - Group Roles & Conflict Resolution
 - Communication and Connection
 - Listening
 - All Play: Play fair, play fun; everyone plays with everyone!
 - Be NICE: Notice others to Invite, Compliment & Engage in empathy
 - Feelings wheel
 - Shift or stay?
 - Self-management and moods
 - Becoming...



PTO/ASB Workshop

Category: Adult Professional Learning

Parent/Booster/Support groups are extremely important in supporting students. But navigating the school public finance world (our job) with private money (the booster groups) can be extremely challenging. We offer workshops bringing together staff and parent/community members to navigate ourselves away from possible audit issues. Bring your various schools/staff and parent volunteers together for a dive into the nuances of public and private money—and learn how to best support our students' needs.



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James Layman, all in a format that lets you customize the program to fit your school day. Engage your students in the ideas of leadership, personal stories, and humanity.

“In this [post-pandemic] world...Reimagining Recess is just what children (and adults) need to begin healing.”

— Dr. Dedy Fauntleroy (Principal, Northgate Elementary)

MIDDLE LEVEL

Starting in the Middle

Category: Publication

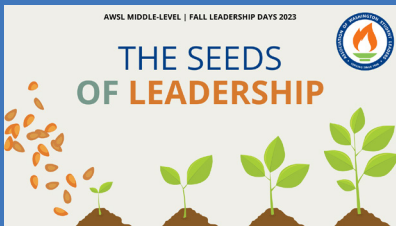


The second edition of *Starting in the Middle* has been rewritten and redesigned as a resource book for teaching leadership concepts to middle-level students. In addition to 84 brand-new and revamped lessons for formal and informal classrooms, a section of “20 for 20” contains twenty-minute lessons designed for school-wide use in advisory or homeroom settings. Also included are resources for structuring a middle-level student leadership

program, aligning leadership instruction to standards, workshop/ large group icebreakers, and organizational tools.

Fall Leadership Days

Category: Program



Regional, day-long workshops equip students with skills and ideas to understand themselves and their futures and to lead in their schools. Fall Leadership Days are rooted in the principles of “Who am I?” “Who are

we?” “Where do we want to go?” How do we get there?”

Workshop topics include improving school climate, leader responsibility, team building, project planning, school engagement strategies, and an interactive idea exchange!

Middle-Level Regionals

Category: Program

Middle-Level Regionals are one-day leadership workshops designed to introduce younger students to the world of leading themselves and their school community while energizing emerging and established leaders for the end of the year. MLRs will occur at regional locations throughout the state in February and March!



Middle-Level Team Retreat

Category: Program

The Team Retreat allows schools to train and unite their leadership team and program. The leadership training is designed to increase a school's teamwork skills and explore relevant leadership concepts, including:

- Equipping students with skills and ideas to understand themselves and their futures, and to lead in their schools.
- Creating a culture, Ensuring School Safety, and Engaging the School Community.
- Assembly techniques, crowd involvement, and leadership styles.

The Team Retreat occurs at the Cispus Learning Center (Western Washington) and Camp Reed (Eastern Washington).



¡La Chispa! (The Spark)

Category: Program

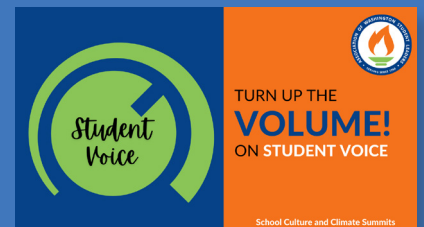
¡La Chispa! (The Spark) is an engaging, bilingual (English-Spanish) program for middle-level Latinx student settings! The culturally responsive program builds positive academic and self-identity agency within Latinx students. *¡La Chispa!* supports students to build self-confidence, strengthen their cultural identity, and increase academic success. Student success largely depends on positive adult role models, involvement in school, and community service. *¡La Chispa!* offers students advancement in all three areas.



Student Voice Summits

Category: Program

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Middle-Level Summer Programs

Category: Program

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- Communication skills
- Positive teamwork
- Problem-solving
- Decision-making
- School climate



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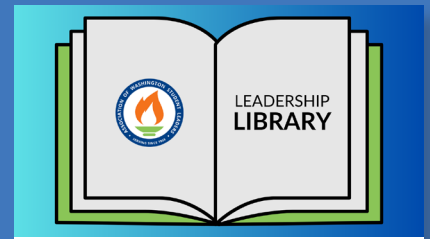
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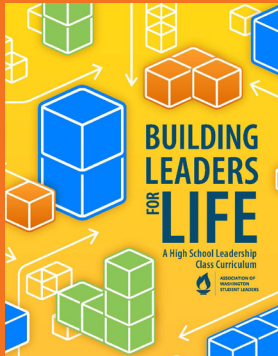
“It’s been about a week since we attended ¡La Chispa! and students I never knew before have sought me out in the halls telling me what it means to be Latino. The ¡La Chispa! experience gave them recognition many have never had before.”

— Marla Green, Teacher, Coweeman Middle School (Kelso)

HIGH SCHOOL

Building Leaders for Life

Category: Publication



The *Building Leaders for Life* goals provide a balanced framework for teaching leadership. The curriculum is divided into five areas: communication, group process, managerial skills, self-awareness, and human relations. Within each of the five curricular areas, there are lessons that address specific objectives. Each lesson is designed to stand independently, allowing you to select and choose as needed. The appendix contains sample

course outlines and grading formats.

High School Fall Conferences

Category: Program

Each year the in-person conferences are hosted by two different high schools in the state (one in Western Washington and one in Eastern Washington). The conference will feature dynamic keynote speakers, breakouts, and learning opportunities for high school students and adults.



We invite ALL high schools to join us for a dynamic conference that will bring together different school teams for a day of learning, networking, and fun so that each school is inspired to return to their homes and communities to make a significant difference in their schools and communities.

High School Regionals

Category: Program



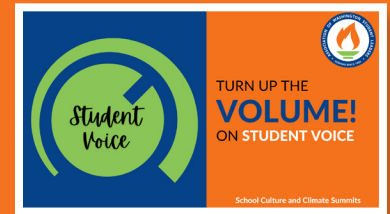
Need a dynamic program for high school students in your region? High School Regionals bring area high school students together to learn, network, and further develop their leadership skills. This regional, day-

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- Communication skills
- Positive teamwork
- Self efficacy, awareness, and management
- Social awareness, management, and connections
- School culture and climate

Mt. Sky | Native American Leadership

Category: Program



At Mt. Sky Leadership Camp, students participate in a curriculum that is culturally responsive and recognized nationally as a model of excellence. Through an interactive retreat

experience, students learn and practice essential skills such as team building, communication, creative thinking, and resiliency. Mt. Sky Leadership Camp staff is composed of teachers, counselors, administrators, professionals, and college-age role models dedicated to serving Native American youth.

AWSL Student Voice Network

Category: Student Opportunity

AWSL seeks interested high school students to join our AWSL Student Voice Network (SVN) for the 2023-2024 school year! The AWSL Student Voice Network comprises high school students from every region of the state. The AWSL SVN lends student voice to local, state, national, and legislative issues while providing insight and perspective to the Association of Washington Student Leaders. Any interested high school student passionate about school culture, school climate, equity, advocacy, student voice, and AWSL should join our team. No experience is necessary!



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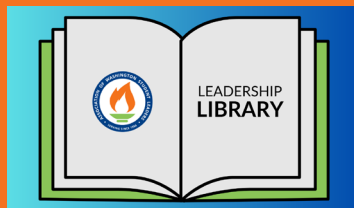
Our *La Cima* (The Summit) Summer Program impacts leadership and identity development for Latinx youth. Delegates are equipped with the

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Summer Residential Counselor

Category: Student Opportunity

The Resident Counselor (RC) position is essential to our Middle-Level Summer Programs! The RC staff works with the adult staff (Team Counselors or TCs) to provide all delegates with a positive leadership camp experience. Being an RC is an opportunity to:

- Serve middle-level students.
- Gain practical teaching experience.
- Work as a team with other Washington state student leaders.
- Grow in positive, life-changing ways.



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— Erik Heinz (Assistant Principal, Henry Jackson HS)



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