LEGISLATIVE IMPACT ON YOUR DISTRICT POLICIES

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2015A SUMMARY OF ENACTED EDUCATION LEGISLATION

2015 Legislative Summary

The Oregon Legislature adjourned its biennial long session Monday, July 6. Overall the session got mixed reviews and was initially marred by the resignation of Gov. John Kitzhaber. Secretary of State Kate Brown moved to the Capitol's middle office and lawmakers got back on track.

K-12 education had a reasonably good session garnering \$7.4 billion into the State School Fund. That's about a half billion more than was in the governor's recommended budget. The Legislature also created a new \$125 million school facilities bond fund and put \$175 million into a seismic upgrade fund for K-12 schools.

This is a short version look at bills passed this session related to K-12 education. Gov. Brown has until August 17, 2015, to decide whether to sign many of them. OSBA and COSA are preparing a more detailed analysis of the session in a full Legislative Report, set for release in advance of school opening.

The effective date for bills not containing an emergency clause or a specific effective date is January 1, 2016. If a bill contained an emergency clause or a different effective date, that date will be noted.

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Senate Bill (SB) 129 - Modifies distribution of Gain Share Revenues. Declares an emergency, effective upon passage.

SB 135 - Directs Department of Education to pay for costs of education of students in eligible day treatment programs and eligible residential treatment programs by making grants in aid to school districts where programs are located. Effective July 1, 2015.

SB 439 – Directs Oregon State University Extension Service to assist school districts and education service districts in providing outdoor school programs. Effective July 1, 2015.

SB 501 - Program Change Bill. Among other program changes: Establishes Task Force on Capital Construction Budget Process. Modifies Department of Education Farm-to-School Grant Program. Repeals language requiring that 40 percent of the increase in General Fund revenue for the 2015-17 biennium (between the February and May 2015 revenue forecasts) be for the State School Fund (actually appropriated in SB 5507). Specifies that if amount of declared earnings from Education Stability Fund deposited in Oregon Education Fund exceeds amount needed to pay for education lottery bond debt service, amount of excess earnings is transferred to Higher Education Coordinating Commission for Oregon Opportunity Grant program. Declares an emergency, effective upon passage.

more small high schools until June 30, 2020. Effective June 8, 2015.

SB 800 – Establishes Task Force on Reserve Funds to study performance of Education Stability Fund and Oregon Rainy Day Fund and make recommendations to the 2017 regular session of Legislative Assembly.

\$B 898 - Creates a one-year moratorium on the creation of new fifth-year senior programs. Prohibits school districts from receiving State School Fund distributions for certain students who have satisfied requirements for high school diploma and who are enrolled in one or more college-level courses. Declares an emergency, effective upon passage.

SB 667 - Extends sunset related to grants distributed to small school districts with one or



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INTERDISTRICT TRANSFER

2015 Legislative Session Key Facts: Changes to Interdistrict Transfers

Senate Bill 709 - Modifies Interdistrict Transfer Law - All Changes Effective June 18, 2015. Please note: it does not make any changes to Oregon's Open Enrollment Law.

- Clarifies that districts may revoke transfers for not meeting behavior requirements or attendance standards, but *not* for academic reasons.
- Clarifies that a student whose transfer has been revoked may not apply for a transfer to the same district for the next academic year. Under the old law, if a district revokes a transfer the student can immediately reapply and the district must accept the student if there is an opening available.
- Students who move over the summer are allowed to stay for the subsequent school year. This is similar to the "mid-year" move provision that currently allows students to finish out the school year and requires both districts to approve. This provision is only good for the subsequent school year.
- Changed the law so that a student does not need to get a new transfer to keep attending the same district if their family makes subsequent moves. If a student lives in district A, transfers to B and subsequently moves to C, they won't need a new transfer between B and C. The old law requires a new transfer between B and C.

• Clarifies districts can ask for sibling information and school preference on interdistrict transfer application forms.

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STUDENT SAFETY HB 2661



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Lockout! Secure the Perimeter.

Students

Return inside Follow instructions from Teacher Teachers Bring students into the building Lock exterior doors and windows Increase situational awareness Take roll, when possible Follow staff instructions

Lockdown! Locks, Lights, Out of Sight.

Students Move away from sight Maintain silence

Teachers Lock interior classroom doors and windows[*] Turn out the lights Move away from sight Maintain silence Wait for contact from Emergency Responders Take roll, when possible

Evacuate! Away from the Building.

Students

Leave your stuff behind Form a line Move away from the building

Teachers Direct evacuation from Building Take roll, when possible Notify if missing, extra or injured students

Shelter! Announce Hazard. Students and Teachers - Shelter Types and Shelter Methods:

- 1. For earthquake/tornado Drop, cover and hold on and wait further instruction
- 2. For hazmat Seal and follow EMS instructions

Teachers - Take roll, when possible



[In the case of an active shooter or violent intruder – barricade access points, using an improvised barrier or other object(s), to reinforce and prevent or delay unauthorized entry.]



LOCKOUT 1. Lock exterior doors and windows 2. Remain inside the building 3. Increase situational awareness 4. Follow staff instructions LOCKDOWN 1. Lock interior doors and windows 2. Lights out - move out of sight 3. Remain silent 4. Reinforce the interior door 5. Wait for contact from Emergency Responders **EVACUATE** 1. Evacuate the building 2. Be prepared to take alternative routes 3. Gather in an off-site assembly area 4. Account for students and staff SHELTER. 1. For earthquake/tornado – Drop, cover and hold on 2. For hazmat – Seal and follow EMS instructions If found please return to: [address], [city, state, zip] [phone number]



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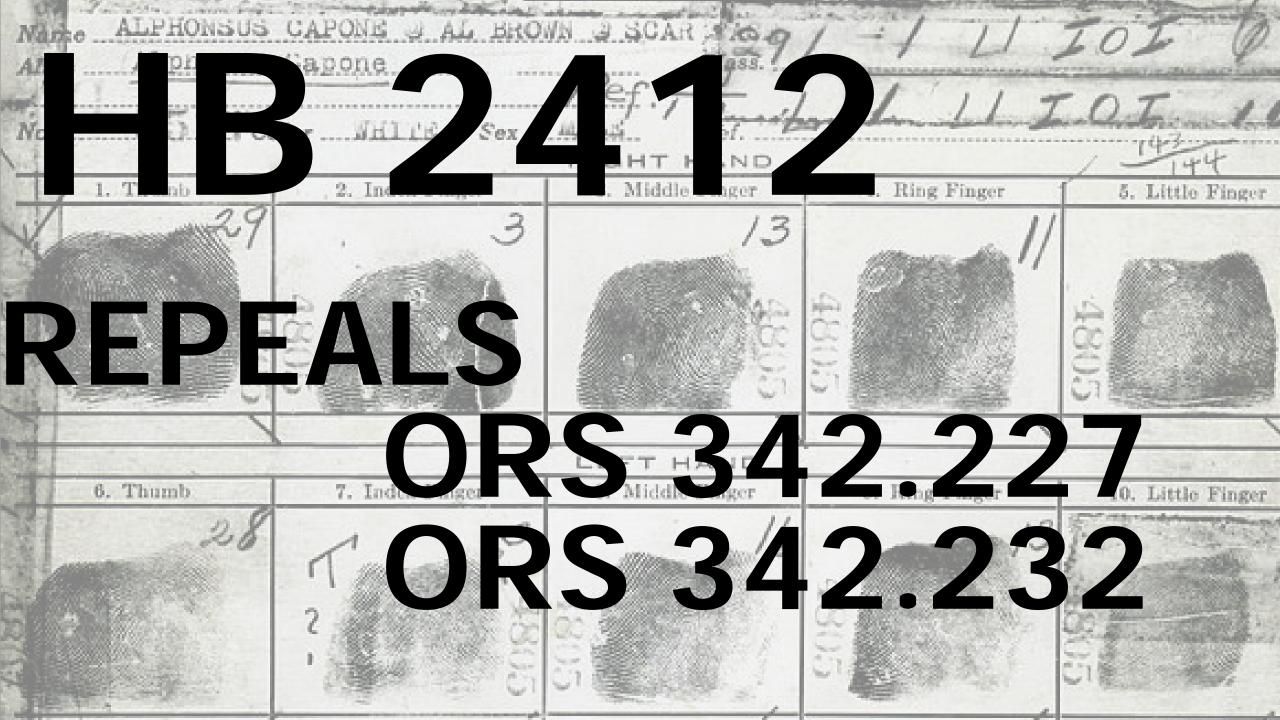
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Executive Numbered Memo 003-2015-16 - Exemption from Statewide Summative Tests Update

TO: Superintendents, Principals, and District Test Coordinators RE: Update on Exemption from Statewide Summative Tests

This is an update to Executive Numbered Memo 003-2015-16 - Exemption from Statewide Summative Tests sent out earlier in the year. New sections are italicized below for your reference. Please note that the deadline for form submissions has also been removed.

Summary: House Bill 2655 establishes a new policy for exempting students from the statewide summative tests.

House Bill 2655 goes into effect January 1, 2016 and establishes a Student Assessment Bill of Rights permitting parents or adult students to annually opt-out of Oregon's *statewide summative tests*, which is defined in OAR 581-022-1910: Exemptions as statewide assessments used to meet both participation and performance requirements for state and federal systems accountability. Under this definition, implementation of HB 2655 applies to the grade-level Smarter Balanced assessments and alternate Oregon Extended Assessments in English language arts and

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Implementation Timeline:

Activity	Date
ODE publishes Notice and Opt-out Form for districts to access	November 9, 2015
Districts disseminate Notice and Opt-out Form to parents	November 9, 2015 – January 9, 2016
HB 2655 goes into effect	January 1, 2016
Deadline for districts to disseminate Notice and Opt-out Form to parents	January 9, 2016
Smarter Balanced statewide test window opens	February 9, 2016
Oregon Extended Assessment statewide test window opens	February 18, 2016

NOTICE

To opt-out of state tests this section must be completed by the parent/guardian or adult student:

Student's Legal Last Name	
Student's Legal First Name	
Student's ID Number	_ Enrolled Grade
Student's School	Date

Please indicate the state test(s) you are opting out of for the 2015-16 school year:

English Language Arts
Mathematics

To best support school district planning, you are encouraged to submit this form to your child's school no later than February 1, 2016. For students who enroll after the statewide testing window begins on February 9, 2016, you are encouraged to submit the form within 2 weeks of enrollment. This form is only valid for the 2015-16 school year. Parents and adult students are required to submit an opt-out form annually should they



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