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3 By Senator Finkbeiner

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5 On page 2, after line 20, insert the following:

6 "Sec. 201. RCW 28A.150.210 and 1993 c 336 s 101 are each amended  
7 to read as follows:

8 The goal of the Basic Education Act for the schools of the state of  
9 Washington set forth in this chapter shall be to provide students with  
10 the opportunity to become responsible citizens, to contribute to their  
11 own economic well-being and to that of their families and communities,  
12 and to enjoy productive and satisfying lives. To these ends, the goals  
13 of each school district, with the involvement of parents and community  
14 members, shall be to provide opportunities for all students to develop  
15 the knowledge and skills essential to:

16 (1) Read with comprehension, write with skill, and communicate  
17 effectively and responsibly in a variety of ways and settings;

18 (2) Know and apply the core concepts and principles of mathematics;  
19 social, physical, and life sciences; civics and history; and geography;  
20 (~~arts; and health and fitness;~~)

21 (3) Think analytically, logically, and creatively, and to integrate  
22 experience and knowledge to form reasoned judgments and solve problems;  
23 and

24 (4) Understand the importance of work and how performance, effort,  
25 and decisions directly affect future career and educational  
26 opportunities."

27 Renumber the sections consecutively and correct any internal  
28 references accordingly.

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32 On page 22, line 31, after "geography," strike "arts, health,  
33 fitness,"

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4 On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "RCW" insert "28A.150.210,"

EFFECT: Eliminates the arts and the health and fitness goal and student assessments of the Washington Assessment of Student Learning and corrects the title.

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