
HOUSE BILL 1672

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1 AN ACT Relating to administration of the collegiate learning
2 assessment; and adding a new section to chapter 28B.10 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 28B.10 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 (1) Within existing resources and beginning in the 2009-10 academic
7 year, the public baccalaureate institutions of higher education shall
8 annually administer the collegiate learning assessment to a sample of
9 students attending at least half time. The sample of students shall
10 include the following elements:

11 (a) A minimum of one hundred freshmen and one hundred seniors shall
12 be assessed; institutions may include additional students in the sample
13 at the institution's discretion.

14 (b) The freshmen shall be assessed in the fall quarter or semester
15 of their first year; the seniors shall be assessed in the spring
16 quarter or semester before their graduation during the same academic
17 year.

18 (c) The sample shall include students from various majors, students
19 who receive student financial aid, and those who did not receive aid.

1 (2) Services and activities fees, as defined in RCW 28B.15.041,
2 shall be waived or rebated for all students who participate in the
3 testing for the entire academic year in which they were tested.

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