

# Washington State Fellows' Network

English Language Arts, Mathematics, and Science  
2026–27 Assurances

## Important Information

- ✓ The commitments outlined in the Assurances must be read, agreed upon, and signed by the Fellow, their district, building, or program leadership, or their principal.
- ✓ Signed Assurances need to be attached to an application to submit for participation as a 2026–27 Fellow.
- ✓ Applications are due October 30, 2026. Applications are accepted throughout the school year, but most Fellows sessions start in October or November.

## Fellows Commitments

### Professional Learning Convenings

Professional Learning sessions may be offered face-to-face, virtually, or using a hybrid approach. All Fellows will attend a minimum of four 1-day regional convenings.

### New Fellows

- Attend and participate in a required New Fellows' Orientation before first content area convening.

### Participation

- Submit a completed New and Returning Fellows Application.
  - Signed Assurances must be uploaded to apply.
- Attend a minimum of four 1-day regional convenings during the 2026–27 school year.
- In the 2026–27 school year, the Fellow will develop an Action Plan in partnership with their school leadership. The Action Plan outlines how the Fellow's leadership will support implementation efforts within the district, school, and/or community for the Washington State Learning Standards.
- Engage in providing data that could include but is not limited to, student work samples, participation surveys, formative assessment data, the sphere of impact, etc.

### District or Program Leadership and Principal Commitments

- District/program administration and/or principals will support the Fellow(s) and utilize their leadership within existing learning opportunities for teachers.
- The Fellow, district/program leadership, and the principal must collaboratively review and sign the Assurances.
- Support the travel and substitute costs for the Fellow(s) to attend and participate in a minimum of four 1-day regional professional learning convenings.



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**PUBLIC INSTRUCTION**

- Support, as reasonable, a 3-year commitment of involvement in the Fellows' Network.
- Ensure structures within the school(s) to enable the Fellow to share learnings with other teachers after the Fellows' Network convenings.

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### District or Program and School Endorsement

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THE FELLOW SUBMITS THIS NEW OR RETURNING FELLOW'S APPLICATION WITH MY APPROVAL AND FULL SUPPORT. I WILL ENDORSE THE FELLOW'S ACTION PLAN AND I WILL FINANCIALLY SUPPORT AND RELEASE THEM FOR PROFESSIONAL LEARNING TO SUPPORT THIS WORK. I AGREE TO THE ABOVE-LISTED COMMITMENTS.

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Signature of District or Program Representative

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Date

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Signature of Principal

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Date

### New and Returning Fellow Authorization & Release

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT, AS A 2026–27 FELLOW, I AM AGREEING TO BEGIN OR CONTINUE MY WORK AS A FELLOW FOR THE 2026–27 SCHOOL YEAR AND WILL ATTEND ALL IDENTIFIED DAYS OF PROFESSIONAL LEARNING CONVENINGS TO SUPPORT THIS WORK. I AGREE TO THE ABOVE-LISTED COMMITMENTS.

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Typed Name of Fellow

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Signature of Fellow

I HEREBY GIVE MY PERMISSION THAT ALL OF THE ATTACHED MATERIALS, MATERIALS GENERATED AS A RESULT OF THIS APPLICATION, PHOTOS OR VIDEO TAKEN OF ME AS A RESULT OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE FELLOWS' PROGRAM, OR PHOTOS OR VIDEO OF ME PROVIDED TO OSPI IN CONNECTION WITH THE FELLOWS' NETWORK, MAY BE USED TO PROMOTE THE WASHINGTON STATE FELLOWS' NETWORK.

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Signature for Information and Photo Release

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Date