

STRONGER TOGETHER

2018–2019 SCHOOL YEAR



*An introduction of ESD 112-region
superintendents and our work together*



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*Educational Service District
112 equalizes educational
opportunities for learning
communities through
innovative partnerships,
responsive leadership,
and exceptional
programs.*





Dear Superintendents,

The beginning of the 2018-19 school year has been unlike any other in recent times. With challenging circumstances that stem from the Legislature's complex new funding model, Washington School Districts find themselves in uncharted territory. We know everyone in education is impacted by this complex new funding landscape: students, families, teachers, support staff, and administrators. As we look to the year ahead, it's a comfort that we are all in this together. We anticipate a renewed collective focus on the more than 100,000 children, teachers, school staff and education leaders we serve.

In our region, a close working relationship among superintendents allows for the sharing of ideas and opportunities, as well as collaboration and savings on dollars and resources. Our work together creates a strong alliance to support students, educators and families in our region. The opportunities for pooling resources are numerous and this publication also explains the financial partnerships in which we engage (grants, fee-for-service, and cooperatives).

At ESD 112 we are your proud partners in education. I look forward to your continued feedback about our services, suggestions for improvement and innovative ideas as we move forward together.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive that reads "Tim Merlino".

Tim Merlino
Superintendent



BATTLE GROUND

Average FTE: 13,550

County: Clark

Superintendent: **Mark Ross**

ESD 112 Leadership and Committee Appointments:

- » Legislative Ad Hoc Committee

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CAMAS

Average FTE: 7,181

County: Clark

Superintendent: **Dr. Jeff Snell**

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- » Superintendents' Executive Advisory Committee
- » Southwest Washington Risk Management Insurance Cooperative Executive Committee
- » Legislative Ad Hoc Committee

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CASTLE ROCK

Average FTE: 1,370

County: Cowlitz

Superintendent: **Jim Mabbott**

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- » Specialized Transportation Cooperative Executive Advisory Committee

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CENTERVILLE

Average FTE: 90

County: Klickitat

Superintendent: **Dr. Ann Varkados**

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EVERGREEN

Average FTE: 25,703

County: Clark

Superintendent: **Dr. John Steach**

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» Legislative Ad Hoc Committee

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GLENWOOD

Average FTE: 82

County: Klickitat

Superintendent: **Heather Gimlin**

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Pool Executive Committee

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GREEN MOUNTAIN

Average FTE: 156

County: Clark

Superintendent: **Tyson Vogeler**

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- » Legislative Ad Hoc Committee
- » Southwest Washington Unemployment Compensation Pool Executive Committee

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HOCKINSON

Average FTE: 1,974

County: Clark

Superintendent: **Sandra Yager**

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- » Southwest Washington Unemployment Compensation Pool Executive Committee

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KALAMA

Average FTE: 1,037

County: Cowlitz

Superintendent: **Eric Nerison**

ESD 112 Leadership and Committee Appointments:

- » Science and Math Materials Cooperative Executive Advisory Committee
- » Southwest Regional Data Center Executive Advisory Committee

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KELSO

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County: Cowlitz

Superintendent: **Mary Beth Tack**

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KLICKITAT

Average FTE: 74

County: Klickitat

Superintendent: **Kevin Davis**

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- » Superintendents' Executive Advisory Committee
- » Clock Hour Advisory Committee
- » Southwest Washington Workers' Compensation Trust Executive Committee

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LA CENTER

Average FTE: 1,716

County: Clark

Superintendent: **David Holmes**

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- » Superintendents' Executive Advisory Committee
- » Southwest Washington Workers' Compensation Trust Executive Committee

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LONGVIEW

Average FTE: 6,731

County: Cowlitz

Superintendent: **Dr. Dan Zorn**

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- » Superintendents' Executive Advisory Committee
- » Legislative Ad Hoc Committee
- » Southwest Washington Workers' Compensation Trust Executive Committee

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LYLE

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MILL A

Average FTE: 34

County: Skamania

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MOUNT PLEASANT

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Superintendent: **Vicki Sovold-Prendergast**

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NASELLE-GRAYS RIVER VALLEY

Average FTE: 440

County: Pacific

Superintendent: **Lisa Nelson**

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» Special Education ESA Executive Advisory Committee

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OCEAN BEACH

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County: Pacific

Superintendent: **Scott Fenter**

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» Superintendents' Executive Advisory Committee

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RIDGEFIELD

Average FTE: 3,027

County: Clark

Superintendent: **Dr. Nathan McCann**

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» Digital Media Cooperative Executive Advisory Committee
» Southwest Washington Unemployment Compensation Pool Executive Committee
» Southwest Regional Data Center Executive Advisory Committee

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ROOSEVELT

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SKAMANIA

Average FTE: 83

County: Skamania

Superintendent: Dr. Ralph Pruitt

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- » Superintendents' Executive Advisory Committee
- » Science and Math Materials Cooperative Executive Advisory Committee
- » Southwest Washington Unemployment Compensation Pool Executive Committee

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STEVENSON-CARSON

Average FTE: 903

County: Skamania

Superintendent: Karen Douglass

ESD 112 Leadership and Committee Appointments:

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TOUTLE LAKE

Average FTE: 688

County: Cowlitz

Superintendent: **Greg McDaniel**

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- » Digital Media Cooperative Executive Advisory Committee
- » Specialized Transportation Cooperative Executive Advisory Committee

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TROUT LAKE

Average FTE: 241

County: Klickitat

Superintendent: **Doug Dearden**

ESD 112 Leadership and Committee Appointments:

- » Southwest Regional Data Center Executive Advisory Committee
- » Digital Media Cooperative Executive Advisory Committee

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VANCOUVER

Average FTE: 23,657

County: Clark

Superintendent: **Dr. Steven Webb**

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- » Legislative Ad Hoc Committee

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WHITE SALMON VALLEY

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County: Klickitat
Superintendent: Dr. Jerry Lewis

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 - » Specialized Transportation Cooperative Executive Advisory Committee
 - » Southwest Washington Workers' Compensation Trust Executive Committee
 - » Special Education ESA Executive Advisory Committee
 - » Legislative Ad Hoc Committee

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WISHRAM

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Superintendent: Mike Roberts

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WOODLAND

Average FTE: 2,487

County: Cowlitz

Superintendent: Michael Green

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- » Southwest Washington Risk Management Insurance Cooperative Executive Committee

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WASHINGTON STATE SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND

Average FTE:

On-campus: 71; Statewide: 2,000

County: Clark

Superintendent: Scott McCallum

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WASHINGTON SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

Average FTE: 101

County: Clark

Superintendent: Shauna Bilyeu

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GRANT CONTRACTUAL

ESD 112 serves as a partner and fiscal agent for many grants written on behalf of school districts. By working in partnership, districts qualify for funds that would not otherwise be available. ESD 112 assists local districts in writing, submitting, and administering grant programs on behalf of a group of school districts or community organizations.

Some examples of collaborative grants in the areas of:

- » Truancy
- » Prevention/Intervention
- » Case management for youth in the juvenile justice system
- » Support for Beginning Teachers (BEST)
- » Teacher and Principal Evaluation Program (TPEP)
- » System and School Improvement
- » 21st Century Afterschool Programs
- » WaKIDS
- » Early Childhood Education and Assistance Program (ECEAP)
- » Early Headstart
- » Computer Science Grant
- » Climate Science Grant



FEE-FOR-SERVICE

School districts often enter into fee-for-service agreements with ESD 112 based on a specific project or annual contract. Often times these partnerships arise from a district request. The ESD offers a variety of services that may be purchased for a fee by individual districts.

Examples of these services include:

- » Legal
- » Prevention/Intervention
- » Communications Services
- » Specialized Transportation
- » School Nurse Services
- » School Improvement
- » Professional Development
- » Procurement/Purchasing
- » Alternative Education (Student programs)
- » Graphic Design
- » Business Management
- » Construction Management
- » Staffing/Human Resources
- » Network/Information Management
- » Certification
- » Accreditation
- » E-Rate Consortium
- » Threat Assessment
- » 1-2-3 Grow and Learn
- » Financial Advisory Services
- » Instructional Coaching



COOPERATIVES

ESD 112 serves as the fiscal agent for several cooperatives that are governed by an advisory committee comprised of member school districts. These long-term partnerships play an important role in allowing organizations to achieve objectives that might not be realized by acting individually. Key to the structure of cooperatives are superintendents who play a critical role in the operation and joint decision making of a cooperative.

ESD 112 cooperatives have been through both prosperous and lean times. While cooperatives are always an effective way to pool resources, they are even more important when times are tough. Members share the financial risk when they enter into a cooperative and all participants experience a leveling of costs over time.



Districts collaborate through the following cooperatives:

SPECIAL EDUCATION (ESA)

- » Unique in Washington state, the Special Education ESA effectively and economically serves students with disabilities from birth-21 in 28 school districts.

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON CLOCK HOURS COOPERATIVE

- » The Clock Hours Cooperative provides districts with a centralized staff development approval and record keeping system.

DIGITAL MEDIA COOPERATIVE

- » Promoting 21st century learning through the use of technology tools and resources.

STEM MATERIALS CENTER

- » Providing K-8 science teachers standards-based STEM kits and additional resources to efficiently and effectively create a lifelong interest in science and mathematics.

SPECIALIZED TRANSPORTATION COOPERATIVE

- » Transportation services for students with disabilities, homeless students, and students attending the Washington Schools for the Blind and Deaf.

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON REGIONAL DATA CENTER COOPERATIVE

- » Comprehensive student record and fiscal accounting system as part of the statewide Washington School Information Processing Cooperative System (WSIPC).

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON RISK MANAGEMENT INSURANCE COOPERATIVE

- » Provides property and liability insurance coverages for member districts.

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION POOL

- » Provides unemployment compensation benefits for member districts.

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON WORKERS' COMPENSATION TRUST

- » Provides industrial accident insurance coverage for member districts.

SOUTHWEST WASHINGTON STEM NETWORK

- » The STEM Network is a transformative public-private initiative that seeks to provide students equitable access to challenging, relevant and integrated STEM learning experiences for all students in the region.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

ESD 112 is governed by a seven-member board, which is elected by local school board members throughout a six-county geographic region. These volunteers are strong education advocates in our community. They understand education policy and are involved in the issues, opportunities and challenges at both the state and local levels. The ESD 112 board members are the critical link between communities and school districts.



DR. RICHARD GRAHAM
CHAIR, DISTRICT 1

Represents Kelso, Kalama, Woodland, Green Mountain, La Center and Battle Ground



RAINER HOUSER
DISTRICT 2

Represents Ocean Beach, Naselle-Grays River Valley, Wahkiakum, Longview, Castle Rock, Toutle Lake and Kelso



STEVE WRIGHTSON
DISTRICT 3

Represents Hockinson, Battle Ground and Evergreen



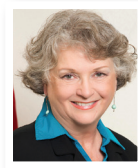
PATRICIA KELLOGG
DISTRICT 4

Represents Battle Ground, Ridgefield and Vancouver



MARILYN KOENNINGER
DISTRICT 5

Represents Vancouver



DARLENE STICKEL
DISTRICT 6

Represents Evergreen



ANN CAMPBELL
DISTRICT 7

Represents Camas, Centerville, Evergreen, Glenwood, Klickitat, Lyle, Mill A, Mount Pleasant, Roosevelt, Skamania, Stevenson-Carson, Trout Lake, Washougal, White Salmon Valley, and Wishram

CABINET

An advisory cabinet comprised of six leaders with a wide range of backgrounds and expertise provide guidance to the superintendent. Cabinet members provide a wealth of experience in instruction; early learning; communications; professional development; special education; business and finance management; technology; and legal and employee relations.

Feel free to call us anytime!



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EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

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We are committed to working collectively to bring equity and opportunity to children and families throughout the region.

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CONFERENCE CENTER

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We have a full-service conference center which accommodates up to 250 people. It includes studios equipped for two-way video conferencing throughout the state. Meeting rooms provide monitors, DVD players, document cameras, screens, and display boards. Computer classrooms are available for training and workshops.

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VISIT US ONLINE: www.esd112.org

Our website offers a general guide to programs and services, training opportunities, special events, employment openings, a map of districts in Southwest Washington, links to their sites and other educational sites, and more!

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SERVING CHILDREN, SCHOOLS
AND THEIR COMMUNITIES
FOR ALMOST 50 YEARS