

## 2024-25 Opportunity Gap Reduction Plan

School District: Issaquah  
High School: Liberty Sr High School

School FRPL % 18%

ASB Card Possession Opportunity Gap %:	9%	Gap Plan Required?	Yes
Extracurricular Participation Opportunity Gap %:	24%	Gap Plan Required?	Yes
<p><i>The intent of ASB Card Possession/Extracurricular Activity Gap Plan is to reflect on and identify additional barriers that prevent students who are from low income families from participating in optional, noncredit extracurricular activities such as clubs, school events, and athletics. Please share your ASB and athletic fee data with your ASB student council before filling out this gap reduction plan. Gap Plans for 2024-2025 are required for either Opportunity Gaps over 5%.</i></p>			
<p><b>1. Our school used the following approaches to determine barriers to ASB card possession and/or extracurricular participation:</b></p>			
			<b>Yes/No</b>
Survey students on their participation			Yes
Survey parents on their students' participation			No
Evaluate required factors for participation (transportation, materials/uniforms, etc.)			Yes
Compare school data to other schools with similar demographics			No
Conduct a cost benefit analysis of offerings			No
<p>Other:</p>			
<b>2. What are some of your students' barriers to student possession of ASB Cards?</b>			<b>Barriers</b>
Interest			Yes
Timing			Yes
Identifying eligible students			Yes
Communication/Marketing			No
Cultural responsiveness/awareness			Yes
<p>Other:</p> <p>There will always be a handful of students that don't see a need to pay \$60 for an ASB card if they are not interested in attending school sporting events or being involved in a sports activity.</p>			

3. What are some of your students' barriers to student participation in extracurricular activities?	Barriers
Transportation	No
Cost	Yes
Timing/Schedule	Yes
Availability/Options	No
Communication/Marketing	No
Cultural responsiveness/awareness	No
Interest	No
Other: \$200 Sports Fee + \$60 ASB Fee	
<p><b>4. Describe the action steps the school/district will take to reduce the opportunity gap in student possession of ASB cards and/or participation in extracurricular activities for the upcoming school year.</b></p> <p>For extracurricular activities, we will continue to let families know that cost should not be a barrier to participate in sports. The steps to apply for financial aid will be explained clearly. We will continue to include this message across multiple platforms that reach all families of the district, not limited to but including Final Forms e-mails, E-News, Canvas, LHS website, Sports Night presentations, incoming freshman night presentation, and curriculum night.</p> <p>For timing and scheduling, we do not have any control over what days games are scheduled. We try to schedule game times per KingCo League policy, which does take into account making sure students can participate after school. Practice times are also there to accommodate kid's schedules for after school.</p> <p>We have added 2 new female sports in the Issaquah School District, which bumped up overall participation numbers, and we are hoping it will increase those numbers even more in year two of those programs.</p>	