

## 2024-25 Opportunity Gap Reduction Plan

School District: Northshore  
High School: Inglemoor HS

School FRPL % 18%

ASB Card Possession Opportunity Gap %:	26%	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			No
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> <p>Starting in late June, we make sure that all families know what ASB cards are, what they can be used to help offset the cost of and what clubs or sports require the purchase of an ASB card. We then advertise to the community throughout the summer and school year how to purchase an ASB card and how to obtain the forms to request a fee waiver. We work closely with our counselors and family liaison on how to obtain fee waiver paperwork and how to complete the paperwork.</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			Yes
Cultural responsiveness/awareness			Yes
<p>Other:</p> <p>For many students, the clubs that they want to participate in do not require the purchase of an ASB card. They do not want to be a spectator in a sporting event or participate in a sport. The cost of the card is continuing to increase with set prices at the district level and this impacts what families choose they want to purchase at the school setting.</p>			

3. What are some of your students' barriers to student participation in extracurricular activities?	Barriers
Transportation	Yes
Cost	Yes
Timing/Schedule	Yes
Availability/Options	Yes
Communication/Marketing	No
Cultural responsiveness/awareness	No
Interest	No
Other: Students have other responsibilities, outside of the school setting, including having to work or take care of younger siblings that limit their participation in extracurricular activities. The limited number of sports that do not cut can be a factor in a student participating in a sport. Increase in outside of school homework can also be a factor in determining what activities students participate in.	
<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> As a school, we will provide students with the latest district statement around HB1660 availability and access. We will send this information to families and students in our bi-monthly newsletters, promote it on our athletic & club sites, over social media, and in our weekly announcements. We will continue to work with coaches and club advisors to evaluate the necessary needed items for their club/sport. We will continue to advocate for consistency across all high schools in our district. We believe, no matter the school's income level opportunities for students should be the same across the district. We will provide families with information on how to access free/low-cost athletic physicals and how to get younger siblings involved in low-cost youth sports programs to increase their chances for high school athletic success. We will also link these resources on our athletic website and have paper copies available in the counseling and athletic offices for families who cannot attend the in-person event.	