2025-26 Opportunity Gap Reduction Plan

School District: Lake Stevens
High School: Cavelero Mid High

School FRPL % 0.00%

ASB Card Possession Opportunity Gap %:	0.00%	Gap Plan Required?	NO
Extracurricular Participation Opportunity Gap %:	21.00%	Gap Plan Required?	YES

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 2025-2026 are required for either Opportunity Gaps over 5%.

1.Our school used the following approaches to determine barriers to ASB card possession and/ or extracurricular participation:

	Yes/No
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

Other:

We survey students at the beginning of each school year to see their interest in athletics and clubs. We have activity buses that will take students home after practice/club. We send home newsletters with sport and club information to parents so they are aware of opportunities. The free/reduced information is sent out by our district office to all families.

2. What are some of your students' barriers to student possession of ASB Cards?	**Barriers**
Interest	✔
Timing	
Identifying eligible students	
Communication/Marketing	✔
Cultural responsiveness/Awareness	

Other:

Not all students are interested in sports. Many students join one or more of the 20+ clubs that we offer. Students might be unaware of the free/reduced permission to share benefits. We do communicate that to parent/guardian though.

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3. What are some of your students' barriers to student participation in extracurricular activities?	Barriers
Transportation	✔
Cost	
Timing/Schedule	✔
Availability/Options	✔
Communication/Marketing	
Cultural responsiveness/Awareness	
Interest	✔

Other:

Transportation can be a barrier when games are late and parents need to pick up students at school and are looking in to other pick up options. The Community Transit Zip shuttles that are available to use have been wonderful! Students at Cavelero use them all of the time for after school events along with our activity buses.

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.

Students met on May 14 and discussed the gap of 21% in participation. They discussed having promotions in Sept with information about the free/reduced benefits/permission to share form. This will include newsletters, social media, emails, and announcements. Students discussed the idea of having an equipment drive and senior athlete/coach reach out to help students that may need sport equipment. Not all students are athletic. We would like to include our 20+ clubs in the extracurricular #'s.