

# King County Promise

Building a robust system for students advising supports in high school and community college

## What does strong support look like?

Washington  
College Grant



**Financial support to cover costs of attendance**



**Help exploring and choosing a postsecondary path during the school day**



**Help completing required applications and financial aid forms**



**Support making the transition from K-12 to postsecondary**



**At college, help selecting a program of study and navigating academic and life barriers as they arrive**

**Integrated K-12 and postsecondary system with aligned policies and practices that increase equity in access and success**



# Develop and model an equitable system, leverage dollars, and related efforts

				<u>Potential Leverage Opportunities</u>
<b>Financial support</b>	Last dollar scholarship	Equity scholarship	Emergency fund	More generous state aid United Way Benefits Hub
<b>Advising support</b>	High School supports	College supports	College success services from CBOs	State funding for counseling (K-12) & Guided Pathways (CTCs) New high poverty LAP funding Connection to public benefits
<b>System improvement</b>	Data sharing	Eliminate pre-college coursetaking	Policy and practice changes	Road Map longitudinal data base College & Career Leadership Institute Alternative assessment project

# Lets Take Action Together!

1. **FIND** your King County council member by using the maps on your table.
2. **TAKE** a picture with the King County Promise signs to include in your post.
3. **USE** sample messages or write your own.
4. **INCLUDE** the hashtags:  
**#KingCountyPromise**  
**#EdResults**
5. **SEND** message to council member.





<b>Rod Dembowski</b> District 1	Twitter: @RDembowski
<b>Larry Gossett</b> District 2	Twitter: @LarryGossett
<b>Kathy Lambert</b> District 3	Twitter: @KathyLambert
<b>Jeanne Kohl-Welles</b> District 4	Twitter: @KCCKohlWelles
<b>Dave Upthegrove</b> District 5	Twitter: @DaveUpthegrove
<b>Claudia Balducci</b> District 6	Twitter: @KccClaudia
<b>Pete von Reichbauer</b> District 7	Facebook: Pete von Reichbauer, King County Councilmember
<b>Joe McDermott</b> District 8	Twitter: @JoeMcDermottWA
<b>Reagan Dunn</b> District 9	Twitter: @KCCReaganDunn

# Sample Posts

Tuition funds are great, but not enough #KingCountyPromise provides the critical support that students say they need to access and succeed in college

96% of King County students say they want education after high school and want more support from school staff - #KingCountyPromise delivers more equitable, high-quality support in schools, colleges, and communities

#KingCountyPromise responds to students and fills in the gaps

Systemic barriers to college require systemic solutions –through #KingCountyPromise we respond to students and improve systems!

7,000 students say #LetUsSucceed –funding #KingCountyPromise shows that @KCCouncil is listening

Achieve #EdResults by supporting the #KingCountyPromise.

# Upcoming King County Council Meetings



More opportunities to engage

**June 17, 2019 at 1:30 p.m.**

**&**

**July 1, 2019 at 1:30 p.m.**

**At King County Council Chambers**

**Sign on to support: [bit.ly/KCpromise](https://bit.ly/KCpromise)**