

Community Linkage Meeting
Exploring the Impact of Early Childhood Learning (E-1, E-2, E-2.1, E-3, E-4)

The Bellingham School Board's second community linkage meeting under policy governance will focus on early childhood education and its role in helping the Board of Directors meet the desired ends or outcomes for students. These Board-adopted governance policies are:

- [E-1, Strategic Mission](#)
- [E-2, Academic Achievement](#)
- [E-2.1 Academic Competence](#)
- [E-3, Life and Learning Skills](#)
- [E-4, Personal Attributes and Ethics](#)

The essential questions the Board will explore with the group are:

- How does early childhood education help Bellingham Public Schools achieve the School Board's ends/desired outcomes for all students?
- From your early childhood perspective, how might the ends/desired outcomes be refined or adjusted to better match our community's values and needs?
- What do you recommend as our next step(s) in visioning for preschool/early childhood education?