

Opportunity Gap Reduction Plan 2023-2024

School District: Lynden
High School: Lynden High School

School FRPL % 47%

ASB Card Possession Opportunity Gap %:	22%	Gap Plan Required?	Yes
Extracurricular Participation Opportunity Gap %:	67%	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 2023-2024 are required for either Opportunity Gaps over 8%.

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	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

Other:

2. What are some of your students' barriers to student possession of ASB Cards?

	Barriers
Interest	Yes
Timing	No
Identifying eligible students	No
Communication/Marketing	No
Cultural responsiveness/awareness	No

Other:

3. What are some of your students' barriers to student participation in extracurricular activities?	Barriers
Transportation	No
Cost	No
Timing/Schedule	No
Availability/Options	Yes
Communication/Marketing	No
Cultural responsiveness/awareness	No
Interest	Yes

Other:

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.

The ASB will create a document, listing the benefits of HB 1660 that maps out the process to access the benefits for students & families.

ASB will host a table at Back to School Day and Future Freshman Night and be available to answer any questions.

The principal will send out information in the family newsletters prior to both events. The Counseling & ASB offices will have this information and forms readily available for all students.