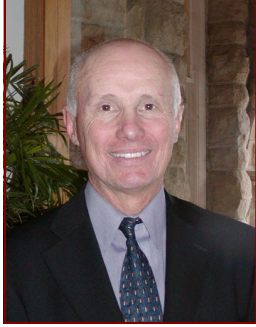


# K-12 Education Agenda for Change: State Curriculum Resources & Updates



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## Description of the Action Lab

Join OSPI teaching and learning leadership and staff to learn about state-level resources and supports available for district curriculum leaders. Participants will receive a comprehensive picture of what's happening with state standards and instructional supports in all content areas. In addition to state roll-out of the revised K-12 mathematics and science standards and instructional materials review results; PreK-12 state systems, collaborations, and partnerships will be highlighted and discussed as essential components to navigating the changing landscape of public education. We will be seeking your input on ways these systems can best support districts in this time of interdependence.

### About Dr. Alan Burke

**Dr. Alan Burke** has been an educator in Washington State for 36 years. Prior to joining Superintendent Dorn's executive team as OSPI's Deputy Superintendent for K-12 Education, he served as the superintendent of Yelm Community Schools for 11 years. He began his career teaching middle school and also held positions of assistant principal, principal, and deputy superintendent. Alan's state service includes collaborative work with many educational organizations and boards including WSASCD, AWSP, WASA, and Education Northwest.

### About Jessica Vavrus

**Jessica Vavrus** has had the honor of serving school districts throughout Washington State for the past 12 years. Jessica's passion for improving education for all students has energized her work as director for Washington Reading Corps, a leader of Washington's nationally recognized federal Reading First program, and as a pivotal coordinator for Washington's mathematics and science standards revisions and curriculum recommendations. She currently serves as the Director of Teaching & Learning at OSPI.

### Target Audience

District Curriculum Directors, School and District Leadership