

How to Sign-In or Submit Testimony on Bills Remotely

MAKE SURE YOU ARE ON A PERSONAL DEVICE; NOT A SCHOOL-PROVIDED DEVICE

Step 1: Check this week's Take Action in Olympia on Our Voice for current bill information.

Step 2: Go to www.leg.wa.gov

(note: You will need the date/time of the Committee meeting where your bill is being heard. To find this information you can check the most recent Take Action in Olympia on [OurVoice](#) or look up the bill on the legislature's [Bill Information Page](#) to see if it has been scheduled for a hearing.)

The screenshot shows the Washington State Legislature website. A table titled "Scheduled hearings and their sessions" is visible, with columns for Committee, Agenda, Date/Time, Location, and Last Updated. A red arrow points to the "Participate in Committee Hearings" button in the navigation menu. A red circle highlights the "Let Your Voice Be Heard" section, which contains several navigation options.

Committee	Agenda	Date/Time	Location	Last Updated
State Government & Tribal Relations (S)	Agenda	11/27/2021 8:00 AM	SH Hall	11/26/2021
Health Care & Wellness (H)	Agenda	11/27/2021 8:00 AM	SH Hall	11/26/2021
Environment, Energy & Technology (E)	Agenda	11/27/2021 8:00 AM	SH Hall	11/26/2021
Transportation & Infrastructure (T)	Agenda	11/27/2021 8:00 AM	SH Hall	11/26/2021
State Government & Elections (S)	Agenda	11/27/2021 8:00 AM	SH Hall	11/26/2021
Children, Youth & Families (C)	Agenda	11/27/2021 8:00 AM	SH Hall	11/26/2021
Security & Law Enforcement (S)	Agenda	11/27/2021 8:00 AM	SH Hall	11/26/2021

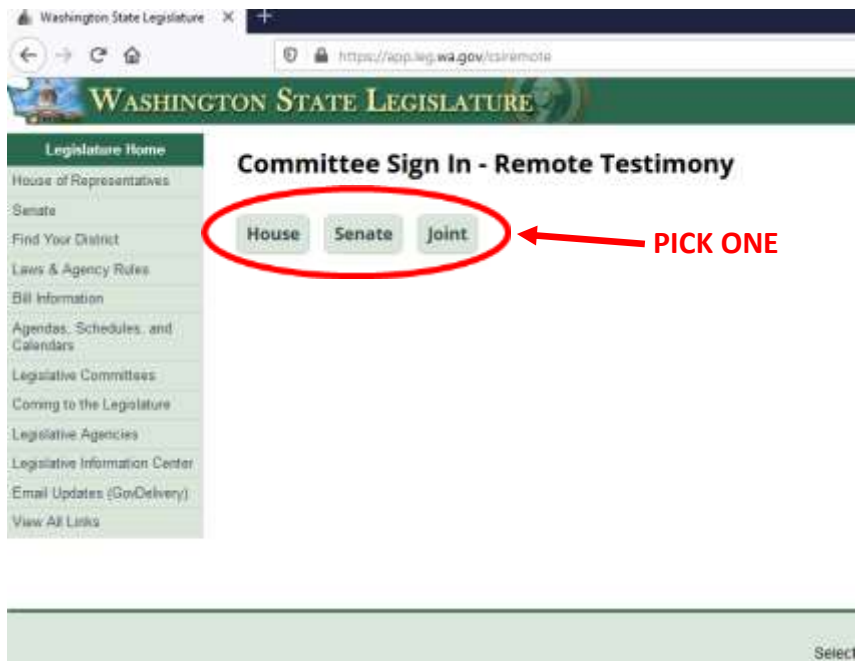
Let Your Voice Be Heard

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Step 3: On the front page, look for the heading that reads "Let Your Voice Be Heard". Under that heading, click the option that says "Participate in Committee Hearings."



Step 4: Select the option marked “Register to Testify Remotely During a Hearing.”



Step 5: Select House, if the bill is being heard in a House Committee. Select Senate if the bill is being heard in a Senate Committee. Select Joint if the bill is being heard in a Joint Committee.

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https://app.leg.wa.gov/CS/Remote/Senate

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Committee: Meetings:

Instructions on how to connect to the meeting: Instruction

How to Register to Testify in a Committee Hearing

1. Select the committee name and meeting date and time, then select the bill for which you would like to testify.
2. Select "I would like to Testify Live During the Hearing." Testimony registration will close 1 hour before the meeting.
3. Ensure your registration information is accurate. It will be a part of the legislative record and used for the meeting.

Additional Information about Testifying

- Registration opens when a bill is scheduled for public hearing.
- Those who have registered for remote testimony will be emailed a link to the meeting. Each link is unique to the registrant. You may participate via videoconference or phone. See instructions above on how to connect to the meeting.
- **Be advised: registering to testify does not guarantee you a chance to speak or testify.**
- You will be connected to the Zoom Webinar meeting in attendee view until you are called to testify.
- The committee Chair may limit public testimony (for example, one minute per testifier) due to time constraints.
- Maintain proper committee protocol, which includes waiting to be acknowledged by the committee chair and professional, and following rules for testimony established by the Chair. Testifiers may include material, including material that is campaign-related, offensive, or otherwise defamatory, will not be permitted.
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Step 6: If you have not already done so, review the instructions on How to Connect to the meeting (if you want to testify) and the general instructions on Testify & Submit Testimony.

Step 7: Select the name of the Committee where the bill is being heard. Next, select the date/time of the Committee meeting.

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Committee: **Early Learning & K-12 Education** Meetings: **1/29/2021 8:00 AM**

Select agenda item

- SB 5181 Low-income school districts
- SB 5200 Scholarships/tax credit
- SB 5202 School depreciation subfunds

Instructions on how to connect to the meeting: [Instructions](#)

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- **Legislative committee and technical staff are unable to assist with any individual connect issues or address any common link or other technical issues.**

Anyone who fails to follow the rules for testimony established by the committee Chair forfeits their opportunity to testify.

Step 8: Select the bill for which you want to sign-in or provide testimony.

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Select type of testimony

- I would like to submit written testimony.
- I would like to testify live during the hearing.
- I would like my position noted for the legislative record.

[See who has signed in for this agenda item](#)

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Step 9: Select the type of testimony you want to provide (written, testify live or have your position noted in the legislative record).

Committee Sign In - Remote Testimony

Complete the fields below and press submit to sign up for remote test

Committee: Early Learning & K-12 Education

Date/Time: 1/29/2021 8:00 AM

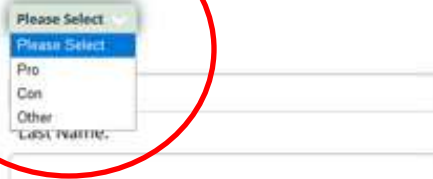
Bill/Issue: SB 5200 Scholarships/tax credit

Location: Remote Public Testimony

Required fields are marked with an asterisk (*).

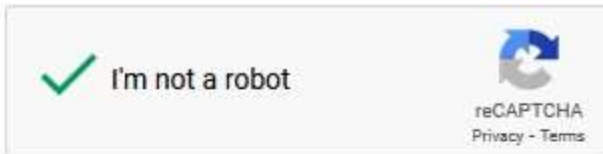
This system is used as a roster to show who has registered and wishes available to legislative committee members and staff of the committee for purposes. Please ensure your information is accurate.

*Position:



Step 10: Select your position from the drop-down menu (Pro, Con, Other).

Step 11: Fill out your personal information on the form.



By clicking 'Submit Registration', you acknowledge your information is accurate.

Submit Registration

Cancel

Step 11: Check the reCAPTCHA box to prove you're not a robot.

Step 13: Click the "Submit Registration" button.

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Thank you for your submission. Your information will be included in the legislative record for bill and meeting archival purposes.

Committee meetings can be viewed on TVW at <http://tvw.org>.

I'm Done

Site Contents
Selected content listed in alphabetical order under each area.

Step 14: Click the "I'm Done" box to finish your submission.