

Educators support **Manka Dhingra** for state Senate



Manka Dhingra is a proven pro-worker candidate and exactly the kind of leader we need to help end the gridlock in Olympia. She will fight for health care, public schools and an economy that works for everyone.

By electing Manka, we can return control of the state Senate to a pro-public education, pro-worker majority that will fight for kids and families. Unlike her opponent, Manka stands with teachers, support professionals and our students.

Dhingra, a Lake Washington parent, is running for state Senate in the 45th Legislative District, which includes Redmond, Kirkland, Woodinville, Duvall and parts of Bothell. Manka supports:

- **Competitive and professional pay for public school employees**
- **Smaller class sizes for all students**
- **Collective bargaining rights**

Dhingra is a deputy prosecuting attorney in King County and has a long record as an advocate for women and working against domestic violence. She is a graduate of the University of Washington and has two children in Lake Washington public schools.

Dhingra is the only Senate candidate in this race who is endorsed by members of the Washington Education Association Political Action Committee (WEA-PAC). Dhingra won the WEA-PAC endorsement based on an interview with local educators and her written responses to a WEA-PAC questionnaire.



Manka Dhingra on key education issues:

“Public education is the foundation of democracy and the greatest equalizer. My family moved to this country for the benefits of its education system.”

“Children in every corner of the state deserve equal access to a high-quality, state-funded education that meets their unique needs.”

“Cutting funding to our safety net to fully fund education is completely counter-intuitive, and our regressive tax system puts a huge burden on Washingtonians in lower-income brackets.”

“As a past union member, I know that unions provide essential protections to employees across all industries, and all public sector employees should have the right to participate in a union.”

“We need a strong foundation for our public school system in order to combat the effort to privatize education at the federal level.”

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JOIN US FOR EDUCATION DOORBELL SATURDAYS!

Manka's campaign is holding three **Education Doorbell Saturdays**. Volunteers will be talking to voters about why Manka is the best candidate for our students and schools. **Please join us at 8151 164th Ave. NE, Redmond, WA 98052, parking at transit center.** Contact Simone Boe, sboe@washingtonea.org for more information.

- Saturday, Oct. 14, 10 am to 1 pm
- Saturday, Oct. 21, 10 am to 1 pm
- Saturday, Oct. 28, 10 am to 1 pm



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