



WASHINGTON STATE

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Number of complaint cases by school district 2009-2010

SCHOOL DISTRICTS	Cases/Issue	NUMBER OF CASES
Arlington School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Attendance – 1	
	Family involvement – 1	
Auburn School District	Cases/Issue	8 -
	Bullying/ harassment - 1	
	Multiple issues - 1	
	Special education – 4	
	Suspension/Expulsion -2	
Battleground School District	Cases/Issue	1 -
	Special education – 1 -	
Bellevue School District	Cases/Issue	9 -
	Curriculum – 2	
	Enrollment - 1	
	Family involvement – 1	
	School records - 1	
	Special education – 1	
	Student rights – 1	
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1	
	Teacher/ student relationship - 1	
Bellingham School District	Cases/Issue	4 -
	Attendance – 1	
	Enrollment – 1	
	Multiple issues – 1	
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1	
Bethel School District	Cases/Issue	6
	Attendance - 1	
	Bullying/ harassment – 1	
	Special education - 2	
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1	

Teacher/ student relationship - 1 -

Blaine School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Bremerton School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Family involvement – 1 -	
Brewster School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Enrollment – 1 -	
Bridgeport School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Burlington School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Cascade School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Multiple issues – 1 -	
Castle Rock School District	Cases/Issue	3
	SD policy/procedure – 1 -	
	Special education – 1 -	
	Student /teacher relationship – 1 -	
Central Kitsap School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Academic progress – 1 -	
Central Valley School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	
	Special education – 1 -	
Centralia School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	
Chehalis School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	
Cheney School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Transportation – 1 -	
Clarkston School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/harassment – 1 -	
Cle-Elum School District	Cases/Issue	1

Bullying/ harassment – 1 -

Clover Park School District	Cases/Issue	7
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 Special education – 2 Suspension/Expulsion – 2 Truancy – 2	
Columbia School District (Walla Walla)	Cases/Issue	2
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 - Suspension/Expulsion – 1 -	
Concrete School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 Special education – 1	
Conway School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/harassment – 1 -	
Coulee-Hartline School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1 -	
Crescent School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 Truancy - 1	
Darrington School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1 -	
East Valley School District (Yakima)	Cases/Issue	3
	HS Graduation – 1 Special education - 1 Truancy – 1	
Eastmont School District	Cases/Issue	3
	Bullying/harassment - 1 Enrollment - 1 Multiple issues – 1	
Eatonville School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Bullying/ harassment - 1 Special education – 1	
Edmonds School District	Cases/Issue	10
	Enrollment – 1 -	

Multiple issues -1
 Special education – 6
 Suspension/Expulsion – 2

Elma School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	
Enumclaw School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Special education – 1 Suspension/ expulsion – 1	
Ephrata School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Everett School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 Special education – 1	
Evergreen School District (Clark)	Cases/Issue	5
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 Culture/Ethnicity/Language – 1 Special education – 2 Suspension/ expulsion – 1	
Federal Way School District	Cases/Issue	15
	Academic progress – 1 Bullying/ harassment – 1 Discrimination – 1 Family involvement - 1 Multiple issues – 1 School safety – 1 Special education – 3 Suspension/Expulsion – 4 Teacher/ student relationship – 1 Transportation - 1	
Ferndale School District	Cases/Issue	3
	School safety - 1 Special education – 1 Suspension/ expulsion – 1	
Fife School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Academic progress – 1 Special education - 1	
Finley School District	Cases/Issue	2

HS Graduation – 2 -

Grandview School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment - 1 Special education– 1	
Griffin School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Truancy – 1 -	
Highline School District	Cases/Issue	16
	Academic progress – 2 After school programs - 1 Bullying/ harassment – 2 Curriculum – 3 School lunches – 5 School safety - 1 Special education – 2	
Hockinson School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Suspension/ expulsion – 1 -	
Issaquah School District	Cases/Issue	9
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 Discrimination – 1 Multiple issues - 1 Special education – 5 Truancy - 1	
Kahlotus School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Teacher/student relationship– 1 -	
Kelso School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Suspension/ expulsion - 1 Teacher/ student relationship – 1	
Kennewick School District	Cases/Issue	7
	Family involvement - 1 School safety - 1 Special education – 1 Suspension/Expulsion – 3 Truancy – 1	
Kent School District	Cases/Issue	19
	After school programs – 1 Bullying/ harassment – 5 Enrollment – 3	

Special education – 5
 Suspension/Expulsion – 3
 Teacher/ student relationship – 1
 Transportation – 1

Kiona Benton School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Kittitas School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Lake Stevens School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 HS Graduation – 1	
Lake WA School District	Cases/Issue	9
	Enrollment – 1 School records - 3 Special education – 3 Suspension/ expulsion – 2	
Lakewood School District	Cases/Issue	3
	Bullying/harassment – 1 Special education - 1 Suspension/Expulsion – 1	
Lind School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1 -	
Longview School District	Cases/Issue	1
	School safety – 1 -	
Manson School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1 -	
Mary McKnight School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Truancy – 1 -	
Marysville School District	Cases/Issue	5
	Enrollment - 1 HS Graduation – 1 Special education – 3	
McCleary School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	

Mercer Island School District	Cases/Issue Attendance - 1 Special education – 1	2
Monroe School District	Cases/Issue Attendance – 1 Enrollment – 1 Special education – 1	3
Moses Lake School District	Cases/Issue Special education - 1 Suspension/Expulsion – 1	2
Mossyrock School District	Cases/Issue Student rights – 1 -	1
Mount Adams School District	Cases/Issue Teacher/ student relationship – 1 -	1
Mount Baker School District	Cases/Issue Enrollment – 1 Suspension/Expulsion – 1	2
Mount Vernon SD	Cases/Issue Multiple Issues – 1 -	1
Mukilteo School District	Cases/Issue Discrimination – 1 Enrollment – 1 SD policy/ procedure – 1 Special education – 2	5
Newport School District	Cases/Issue SD policy/ procedure – 1 -	1
North Kitsap School District	Cases/Issue Suspension/expulsion – 1 -	1
North Thurston School District	Cases/Issue Attendance – 1 Bullying/harassment - 1 Discrimination – 1 Family involvement - 1 Special education – 4	9

Truancy – 1 -

Northshore School District	Cases/Issue	14
	Academic progress – 1 Attendance – 1 Bullying/ harassment – 4 Home schooling – 1 Special education – 4 Suspension/Expulsion – 3	
Ocean Beach School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Teacher/ student relationship – 1 -	
Odessa School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Okanogan School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying – 1 -	
Olympia School District	Cases/Issue	11
	Bullying/ harassment – 3 Culture/ethnicity/language – 1 Enrollment – 1 Special education – 3 Suspension/Expulsion – 1 Truancy – 2	
Omak School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Enrollment – 1 -	
Onalaska School District	Cases/Issue	2
	SD policy/ procedure - 1 Teacher/ student relationship – 1	
Oroville School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	
Orting School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Multiple issues – 1 -	
Othello School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Family involvement– 1 Teacher/student relationship – 1	
Pasco School District	Cases/Issue	1

Student/ teacher relationship – 1 -

Peninsula School District	Cases/Issue	3
	HS Graduation – 1 Special education – 2	
Pioneer School District	Cases/Issue	2
	School records – 1 SD policy/ procedure – 1	
Port Angeles School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Attendance - 1 Home schooling – 1	
Prosser School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Family involvement – 1 -	
Puyallup School District	Cases/Issue	8
	Academic progress – 1 Bullying/ harassment – 2 Multiple issues – 2 Special education – 1 Suspension/ expulsion - 2	
Quilcene School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Family involvement - 1 Multiple issues – 1	
Quillayute Valley School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Family involvement – 1 Special education - 1	
Quincy School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1 -	
Reardan-Edwall School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	
Renton School District	Cases/Issue	22
	Bullying/ harassment - 1 Discrimination - 1 Enrollment – 2 Family involvement – 1 Multiple issues – 3 School lunch - 1 SD policy/procedure – 1	

Special education – 4
 Suspension/Expulsion – 8

Richland School District	Cases/Issue	3
	Multiple issues – 1 Special education – 1 Transportation - 1	
Ridgefield School District	Cases/Issue	4
	After school programs - 1 Bullying/ harassment – 1 SD policy/procedure – 1 Suspension/Expulsion – 1	
Riverview School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/harassment – 1 -	
Seattle School District	Cases/Issue	104
	Academic progress - 1 After school programs – 3 Attendance – 2 Bullying/ harassment – 5 Culture/ethnicity/language – 1 Discrimination – 1 Enrollment – 9 Family involvement – 6 Gifted program/ highly capable – 1 Home schooling – 2 Multiple issues – 12 School lunch - 1 School records - 1 School safety – 2 SD policy/ procedure – 4 Special education – 31 Suspension/Expulsion – 14 Teacher/ student relationship – 5 Transportation - 3	
Sedro-Woolley School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Selah School District	Cases/Issue	4
	After school programs – 1 Gifted program/ Highly capable – 1 Special education - 1 Teacher/student relationship – 1	

Selkirk School District	Cases/Issue	3
	Family involvement – 2 - SD policy/ procedure – 1 -	
Sequim School District	Cases/Issue	4
	Discrimination – 1 - Multiple issues - 3 -	
Shelton School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Student rights – 1 SD policy/ procedure - 1	
Shoreline School District	Cases/Issue	6
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 Special education – 5	
Skykomish School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Student rights – 1 -	
Snohomish School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Suspension/Expulsion – 2 -	
Snoqualmie Valley School District	Cases/Issue	5
	Bullying/ harassment – 2 Enrollment – 2 Special education – 1	
South Kitsap School District	Cases/Issue	3
	HS graduation – 1 School records - 1 Special education – 1	
South Whidbey School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Spanaway School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Academic programs – 1 -	
Spokane School District	Cases/Issue	10
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 Discrimination – 1 Multiple issues - 2 School safety – 1 Special education – 3	

Suspension/Expulsion – 1
 Teacher/ student relationship - 1

Sprague School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Enrollment - 1 Family involvement – 1	
Steilacoom Historical School District	Cases/Issue	1
	After school programs – 1 -	
Stevenson-Carson School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	
Sultan School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Suspension/Expulsion – 2 -	
Sumner School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Attendance – 1 -	
Sunnyside School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Family Involvement – 1 Suspension/Expulsion – 1	
Tacoma School District	Cases/Issue	16
	Academic progress - 1 Bullying/ harassment – 3 Enrollment – 3 Family involvement – 2 Special education – 2 Suspension/Expulsion – 4 Transportation - 1	
Tahoma School District	Cases/Issue	4
	Special education – 2 Suspension/Expulsion – 2	
Tekoa School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Suspension/Expulsion – 1 -	
Tenino School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Special education – 1 -	
Tonasket School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Attendance – 1 Transportation – 1	

Tukwila School District	Cases/Issue Suspension/ expulsion – 1 -	1
Tumwater School District	Cases/Issue Special education – 1 -	1
Union Gap School District	Cases/Issue Multiple issues – 1 -	1
University Place School District	Cases/Issue Enrollment – 1 School safety - 1	2
Valley School District	Cases/Issue Truancy – 1 -	1
Vancouver School District	Cases/Issue Discrimination – 2 Special education – 2	4
Vashon Island School District	Cases/Issue Enrollment - 1 Special education – 1	2
Waitsburg School District	Cases/Issue Transportation – 1 -	1
Wapato School District	Cases/Issue Academic progress - 1 Bilingual education – 31 Bullying/ Harassment – 1 Enrollment - 1 Multiple issues – 2 School safety – 1 Special education – 1 Suspension/Expulsion – 1 Teacher/ student relationship - 1	40
Washougal School District	Cases/Issue Special education – 1 -	1
Wenatchee School District	Cases/Issue Special education – 1 -	1

West Valley School District (Yakima)	Cases/Issue	9
	Enrollment – 1 Special education - 6 Suspension/Expulsion – 1 Transportation - 1	
Wilbur School District	Cases/Issue	1
	SD policy/ procedure – 1 -	
Wilson Creek School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Academic progress – 1 -	
Winlock School District	Cases/Issue	2
	Special education – 2 -	
Woodland School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Teacher/ student relationship – 1 -	
Yakima School District	Cases/Issue	28
	After school programs - 1 Bullying/ Harassment – 2 Enrollment – 7 School safety – 2 Special education – 10 Student rights – 1 Suspension/Expulsion – 5	
Yelm School District	Cases/Issue	3
	Enrollment – 1 Special education – 2	
Zillah School District	Cases/Issue	1
	Bullying/ harassment – 1 -	