

### **Policy 3110 Age of Attendance and new Procedure 3110P Qualification of Attendance and Placement**

Proposed revisions are at the request of Anne Arnold. Based on the research and other opportunities available to four-year-old students in Everett Public Schools (preschool, Play and Learn, and Transitional Kindergarten), a proposal has been made to eliminate Early Entrance Kindergarten from the programs we offer and instead align our policy with OSPI which provides a kindergarten entry age of five years old by August 31. Since the revisions to the early entrance procedure two years ago which offered the psychologist assessment free of charge, we have had an increase in the number of applicants (over 30 in both of the last two years) but a dramatic decrease in the number of students who qualify (only 1 in the regular process this year and 1 in an appeal). New Procedure 3110P provides the process for entrance to the Transitional Kindergarten Program.

### **Policy 3111 and Procedure 3111P Entrance Qualifications**

Proposed revisions are to delete this policy and procedure to eliminate Early Entrance Kindergarten from the programs the district offers. The district provides other opportunities for four-year-old students such as preschool, Play and Learn, and Transitional Kindergarten.

### **Policy 3409 and Procedure 3409P Students with Diabetes, Life-Threatening Allergies, Asthma and Seizures**

Proposed revisions are to comply with [House Bill \(HB\) 1085](#), an act that promotes a safe public school learning environment for students with seizure disorders. HB 1085 requires seizure response training for school staff and for any parent-designated adult who will care for a student with seizure disorders. The bill now also defines the previously undefined term “parent-designated adult.”

### **Policy 3416 and Procedure 3416P Medication at School**

Proposed revisions are to comply with [House Bill \(HB\) 1085](#). In addition to provisions for students with seizure disorders, HB 1085 impacts the administration of medication at school, removing language requiring a school nurse to administer nasal spray when on the premises and summoning emergency medical services when nasal spray is administered by unlicensed school personnel.