

Workforce Education Council Meeting Agenda

Fall 2026 | Centralia College

October 13-14, 2026

TAC 105 B/C

615 W Pear St, Centralia, WA 98531

DRAFT - Schedule and session order are subject to change.

Monday, October 12 — Pre-meeting activities

Schedule for Monday, October 12, 2026 — Pre-meeting activities.

Time	Agenda item	Information
3:00-4:30 p.m.	WEC Executive Committee meeting	WEC Executive Team only WAH 102, Centralia College
4:30-5:15 p.m.	New-member welcome and orientation	WAH 102, Centralia College
5:30 p.m.	Informal welcome gathering (not hosted)	Everyone welcome The Juice Box Public House 216 South Tower Ave., Centralia

Tuesday, October 13 — Meeting Day One - Joint WEC/BLC Morning

Schedule for Tuesday, October 13, 2026 — Meeting Day One.

Time	Agenda item	Information
8:00-8:45 a.m.	Breakfast and networking	Provided Joint WEC/BLC
8:45-10:30 a.m.	Joint welcome, council business, and statewide updates	WEC and BLC members
10:30-10:45 a.m.	Break	
10:45 -11:45 a.m.	Joint featured session: Industry Credentials and College Partnerships	WA Roundtable
11:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	Joint morning wrap-up and council transition	WEC/BLC chairs
12:00-1:00 p.m.	WEC working lunch - Perkins Data Refresher	Lunch Provided Kimberly Ingram, SBCTC

Time	Agenda item	Information
12:45–1:15 p.m.	WEC workplan and regional workgroup launch	
1:15 – 1:30 p.m.	Overview of funding sources and types, and legislative requirements	Genevieve Howard, SBCTC
1:30–3:30 p.m.	Regional workgroups: grant, proviso, and earmark efficiencies; regional share outs and reflections	Break included
3:30–4:30 p.m.	CTE Dual Credit Proviso	William Belden, SBCTC ESD 189 Michael Reese, SVC
4:30-5:00 p.m.	WEC Business Meeting Day one synthesis and Day two preview	
5:30 p.m.	WECspitality – optional no-host gathering open to all attendees	Jeremy's Farm to Table 576 W Main St Chehalis, WA 98532

Wednesday, October 14— Meeting Day Two

Schedule for Wednesday, October 14 — Meeting Day Two.

Time	Agenda item	Information
8:00-8:45 a.m.	Breakfast and networking	Provided
8:45-9:00 a.m.	Welcome and agenda	Includes a scheduled morning break, regional share-out, and next steps
9:00-10:00 a.m.	WEC featured session: Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board - Eligible Training Provider List training and discussion - Participation and Satisfaction Survey	Dave Wallace and Terje Gjertsen, WTB Coral Garey, WTB
10:00-10:15 a.m.	Break	
10:15–11:45 a.m.	Workgroups: - improving credit and noncredit coordination; - student supports; - professional development	
11:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Closing, evaluation, and adjournment	

Access and Participation Information

Registration: [Register for Fall WEC 2026](#)

Meeting information and materials: [WEC SharePoint](#)

SharePoint access: Email Genevieve Howard, SBCTC, at ghoward@sbctc.edu.

Accessibility and accommodations: To request a disability-related accommodation or assistance participating in the meeting, contact Becky Wood at becky.wood@centralia.edu or 360-623-8410. If possible, submit requests by October 2, 2026, to allow time for arrangements. Requests received later will be considered, and every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate them.

Parking: Parking is free, and no permit is required. Attendees may park in any campus space not marked Reserved. The meeting will be held in TransAlta Commons (TAC), Room 105 B/C.