*Washington School Climate*

*Transformation Initiative*

# Quick Facts

2018 – 2023

* $3.75 million, from U.S. Department of Education
* 30 Districts, serving 98,336 students
* Supporting local MTSS implementation

# Overview

OSPI is committed to supporting Washington schools address school climate through the School Climate Transformation Grant from the U.S. Department of Education. The collaborative effort of this five-year grant will build and sustain capacity for the broad-scale implementation of an integrated multi-tiered system of support (MTSS) for behavior.

Research demonstrates that the implementation of an evidenced-based, multi-tiered behavioral framework, such as Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) can help improve overall school climate and safety. This grant provides the opportunity for the intentional collaboration between OSPI, Educational Service Districts (ESD), 30 identified school districts as well as partnerships with the Northwest PBIS Network. To learn more, please [watch this video](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NxxHeD89W4s&ab_channel=CenteronPBIS) by Dr. Rhonda Nese.

# Goals

SUPPORT

Provide training and coaching support to 30 identified school districts across WA with the implementation of PBIS.

ALIGN

Provide training to align MTSS coaching practices statewide for:

* + OSPI Staff
  + ESD Staff
  + District MTSS Teams
  + Identified MTSS leaders

BUILD

Build state capacity for the alignment and of training and coaching practices which support the implementation of MTSS to serve as single delivery system for all social emotional behavioral initiatives.

# Connect to learn more

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