

# Civic Education Washington State

## We The People & Project Citizen

### Applicants Sought for Board of Directors

Are you passionate about empowering the next generation of engaged citizens and strengthening civic knowledge and participation?

You can play a pivotal role in promoting civic education as a member of the Board of Directors for Civic Education Washington State (Civic Ed WA).

### About Civic Ed WA:

Civic Ed WA is a nonprofit and nonpartisan organization that is committed to fostering informed, responsible, and engaged citizens through innovative civic education programs. We implement nationally recognized curricula, including *We The People* and *Project Citizen*, in schools across the state.

Our work equips students with the knowledge and skills they need to participate meaningfully in democracy. In partnership with the Center for Civic Education, Civic Ed WA helps educators inspire students to understand the Constitution, the Bill of Rights, and the principles of democratic governance. Learn more at [www.civiced-wa.org](http://www.civiced-wa.org) or explore our partner organization at [www.civiced.org](http://www.civiced.org).

### About the Civic Ed WA Board:

Our Board of Directors consists of dedicated volunteers who believe in the transformative power of civic education. As the governing body of Civic Ed WA, the Board ensures the organization's fiscal and legal responsibilities are met and supports the Executive Director and staff in advancing our mission.

The Board currently meets every other month, with members contributing additional time to support program activities, fundraising, and outreach.

### Board Member Responsibilities:

- **Strategic Leadership:** Shape Civic Ed WA's vision and support its strategic goals.
- **Advocacy and Engagement:** Champion civic education in your community and attend Civic Ed WA-sponsored events.
- **Fundraising:** Contribute to and assist with efforts that support civic education for students across Washington.

## **What We're Looking For:**

We are seeking individuals with diverse backgrounds and expertise who share our passion for civic education. Ideal candidates will possess:

- A strong commitment to civic engagement and education
- Experience in education, non-profit governance, finance, education, or public policy
- A willingness to contribute time and energy to our mission

We welcome applicants from all backgrounds who share our dedication to civic education.

## **How to Apply:**

Please provide the following materials:

1. **Letter of Interest:** A brief explanation of your interest in joining the Civic Ed WA Board and the skills or perspectives you bring.
2. **Current Resume:** Include your place of residence and relevant experience.

Send application materials to [jessica@civiced-wa.org](mailto:jessica@civiced-wa.org) and [karl@civiced-wa.org](mailto:karl@civiced-wa.org).

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis

## **Commitment Overview:**

- Serve a three-year term (with the option for a second term).
- Attend regular board meetings.
- Support Civic Ed WA events and initiatives throughout the year, such as the state We The People competition in January, the Project Citizen State Showcase in Spring, and teacher trainings.

Together, we can empower future generations to uphold and participate in our democratic values.

Apply today and make a lasting impact!