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# Oregon Students Urge Yes Vote on 'Oregon Promise' SB 81

The Oregon Student Association, representing over 120,000 public university and community college students, urge a "Yes" vote on SB 81. This bill will enable thousands of young Oregon high school graduates to find accessible education through the Oregon Promise; continuing investments in Oregon's most promising future engineers, doctors, lawyers, educators, technicians, dental hygienists, entrepreneurs, business leaders, carpenters, and strengthening our growingly competitive workforce. In a time when student loan debt has outpaced credit card and home mortgage debt institutional change and state programs such as the Oregon Promise is what Oregon students and our families need.

Oregon students appreciate the collaboration between institutions and legislative sponsors to embed our priorities within this legislation.

We look forward to working with the HECC as this landmark legislation is implemented.

OSA's membership stretches up and down I-5 and across the state to Bend, La Grande, Monmouth, Corvallis, Eugene, Ashland, Albany and Portland



The Oregon Student Association (OSA) is a statewide, student-led advocacy and organizing non-profit which was established in 1975 to represent, serve, and protect the collective interests of students in postsecondary education in Oregon.