



The Center for Educational Effectiveness



Sue Mills

Executive Director

As Executive Director for The Center for Educational Effectiveness, Sue provides leadership and expertise to support schools, districts and agencies as they strive to meet the challenges of NCLB. Sue frequently presents locally at WSSDA, WASA, AWSP, WERA and OSPI conferences, district workshops and leadership academies. Sue brings expertise and facilitates skill development in the use of data to inform and support leadership development and educational improvement. Under her direction, The Center currently works with over 121 districts and 640 schools in the state of Washington and Idaho. The Center also works with all schools receiving improvement support through OSPI.

Prior to founding the Center for Educational Effectiveness in 1999, Sue taught secondary public education for twenty-seven years in Minnesota and Washington. Sue earned her Master of Arts in Education from the University of Minnesota in 1989. In 1995 Sue was named the Christa McAuliffe Fellow in recognition of her outstanding teaching and leadership skills and curriculum development work. In this role, Sue represented the State of Washington at the national McAuliffe Fellows Conferences in 1995 in Boston and in 1997 in WA, D.C. Sue also served for 4 years on the Research and Design Team to develop and implement new graduation standards in the Lake Washington School District and was a member of the Lake Washington's Superintendent's Commission for 5 years.

Sue has worked with local leaders on several community boards and organizations: Redmond Rotary, Kirkland Chamber of Commerce Education Committee; Kirkland Police Department Citizens Advisory Task Force; Partnerships for Lake Washington School District, Board Member; Redmond Youth Partnership, Board Member; Redmond Chamber of Commerce Workforce Development Committee.



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