



Essential Questions

Directions: As you read through news and other resources about the Oregon Legislature, consider the following questions:

- *What is the process of moving a bill through the Oregon Legislature, and how does it differ from how a bill goes through the United States Congress?*
- *How does the geography of Oregon impact the bills being discussed and passed?*
- *Why is it Oregonians' responsibility to remain informed about the workings of the Oregon Legislature? How can Oregonians become involved in the legislative process?*
- *How are these bills going through the Oregon Legislature ensuring Oregonians rights to "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness"?*