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Recognizing extraordinary students and individuals for their selfless dedication to the West Haven community at the Westies Care Awards Ceremony. (Left to Right) Elyssa Dalaker, Laurelton Hall; Megan Paterson, West Haven High School; Rep. Dorinda Borer; and Rebecca Cummings, West Haven High School

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SCHOOL SAFETY:

After the horrific tragedy in Parkland, West Haven High School held a forum led by students to discuss gun control, mental health and school security. I was impressed with their compassion, leadership and thirst for action. But the fear and innocence on students' faces could not be denied. They should be planning proms and school events, not discussing protection from a shooter. I am committed to our local conversations, and have also joined the School Security Task Force in Hartford so we can continue to look at current and potential safety legislation.

LEGISLATION I INTRODUCED OR CO-SPONSORED:

- SB 454: An Act Concerning School Security
- SB 434: An Act Concerning Sport Helmet Safety Information
- SB 345: An Act Concerning Climate Change Education in Connecticut Schools
- SB 35: An Act Concerning the Reimagining, Reinvesting, and Linking of Technical Education and Career School
- HB 5213: An Act Concerning Oral Health Assessments of Children
- SB 317: An Act Concerning the Failure to Report Child Abuse and Neglect by Certain Mandated Reporters
- HB 5334: An Act Concerning Notification by Contractors to Superintendents of Schools Regarding Incidents of Arrest by Employees
- SB 186: An Act Concerning School Counselors
- HB 5452: An Act Concerning Recommendations of the Task Force on Life-Threatening Food Allergies in Schools



Rep. Borer, Principal Twana Shirden, and Councilman Aaron Charney at Washington Elementary School for Read Across America Day



Faith Moody of West Haven High School shadowed Rep. Borer up at the Capitol