

RUNNING START

KENT SCHOOL DISTRICT RUNNING START EQUIVALENCY GUIDE

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High School Graduation Requirement	Highline College Equivalency
Language Arts/English	<p>English &101 is required</p> <p>Second English class from the following:</p> <p>English (ENGL/ENGL&) &102, &111, &112, 122, 123, 200, &235;</p> <p>Communication Studies (CMST&) &101, &102, &210, &220, &230, &240;</p> <p>Journalism (JRNL) 101, 201, 202, 203</p>
Mathematics	<p>Mathematics (MATH&/MATH) &107, 111, &141, &142, &146, &148, &151, &152, &163, 220, 230, &264;</p> <p>Philosophy (PHIL&) &120;</p> <p>Engineering (ENGR&) &214, &215;</p> <p>Computer Science (CSCI) 132;</p> <p>Business (BUSN) 210</p>
Social Studies Washington State History	History (HIST&) &214
World History/CWI I	<p>Diversity & Global Studies (DGS) 110, 160, 166, 168, 170;</p> <p>Economics (ECON/ECON&) 110, &201, &202;</p> <p>Ethnic & Gender Studies (EGS) 160, 217 (cross-linked with POLS 217);</p> <p>Geography (GEOG) 200;</p> <p>History (HIST) HIST 103;</p> <p>Hospitality & Tourism (HOST) 102, 175;</p> <p>Philosophy (PHIL) 110;</p> <p>Political Science (POLS/POLS&) 101, &202, &204, 217 (cross-linked with EGS 217)</p>
U.S. History	<p>Diversity & Global Studies (DGS) 162 (cross-linked with LEGAL 162;</p> <p>Ethnic & Gender Studies (EGS) 136, 137, 142, 150;</p> <p>History (HIST/HIST&) &148, 225;</p> <p>LEGAL 162 (cross-linked with DGS 162)</p>
Civics	<p>Ethnic & Gender Studies (EGS) 217 (cross-linked with POLS 217);</p> <p>Political Science (POLS/POLS&) &101, 115, &202, 217 (cross-linked with LEGAL 217), 275</p>
Fine Arts	Any Art (ART&/ART) or Music (MUSC&/MUSC) 100 level or above
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Science College science classes may not prepare students for the NGSS aligned test required for high school graduation. Passing a college level science course will also fulfill this graduation requirement.	Lab Science: Courses which meet Highline College's 'Natural Sciences' lab requirement as outlined on the Associate in Arts-DTA. Non-Lab Science: Courses which meet Highline College's 'Natural Sciences' requirement, but do not include lab component, as outlined on the Associate of Arts-DTA.
Health	Physical Education (PE) 100, 101; Nutrition (NUTR&) &101
Physical Education	Any Physical Education (PE) activity/fitness courses 100 level or above. <i>Non-activity courses that will NOT apply as PE activity are: PE 100, 101, 160, 171, 189</i>
Occupational Education/ Career and Technical Education (CTE)	Any 100 level and above course taken from the following disciplines: Accounting, Business, Business Technology, Computer Info Systems, Computer Science, Criminal Justice, Drafting, Early Child Education, Education, Engineering, Healthcare Professions, Emergency Management, Hospitality and Tourism Management, Human Services, Interior Design, Legal Studies, Library Technology, Multimedia Design, Nursing Assistant, Sustainability, Visual Communications; Career Studies (CARER) 110; College Studies (COL) 101; Science/Technology/Engineering/Math (STEM) 101
Electives	Any 100 level or above courses.

- Common Course Numbers (CNN) are designated with the "&" symbol.
- **Minimum Highline College grade to earn credit for high school is 1.0.**

College Unit/Credit Translation guide:

College Unit/Credit	High School Credit
5 unit/credit class =	1.0
4 unit/credit class =	.80
3 unit/credit class =	.60
2 unit/credit class =	.40
1 unit/credit class =	.20

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