

**RUNNING START**

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**KENT SCHOOL DISTRICT RUNNING START EQUIVALENCY GUIDE 2024-25**

High School Graduation Requirement	Highline College Equivalency
Language Arts/English	<p><b>English &amp;101 is required.</b></p> <p><b>Second English class from the following:</b>  <b>English (ENGL/ENGL&amp;)</b> &amp;102, &amp;111, &amp;112, 122, 123, 200, &amp;235;  <b>Communication Studies (CMST)</b> &amp;101, &amp;102, 200, &amp;210, &amp;220, &amp;230, &amp;240;  <b>Journalism (JRNL)</b> 101, 201, 202, 203</p>
Math	<p><b>Mathematics (MATH/MATH&amp;)</b> &amp;107, 111, &amp;141, &amp;142, &amp;146, &amp;148, &amp;151, &amp;152, &amp;163, 220,230, &amp;264  <b>Philosophy (PHIL&amp;)</b> &amp;120  <b>Engineering (ENGR&amp;)</b> &amp;214, &amp;215  <b>Computer Science (C SCI)</b> 132  <b>Business (BUSN)</b> 210</p>
Social Studies: Washington State History	<p><b>History (HIST&amp;)</b> &amp;214</p>
Social Studies –World History/CWI I	<p><b>Diversity &amp; Global Studies (DGS)</b> 110, 160, 166, 168, 170  <b>Economics (ECON/ECON&amp;)</b> 110, &amp;201, &amp;202;  <b>Ethnic &amp; Gender Studies(EGS)</b> 160, 217 (cross-linked with POL S 217);  <b>Geography (GEOG)</b> 200;  <b>History (HIST)</b> 103;  <b>Hospitality &amp; Tourism (HOST)</b> 102, 175;  <b>Philosophy (PHIL)</b> 110;  <b>Political Science (POL S/POLS&amp;)</b> 101, &amp;202, &amp;204, 217 (cross-linked with EGS 217)</p>
Social Studies— U.S. History	<p><b>Diversity &amp; Global Studies (DGS)</b> 162 (cross-linked with Legal 162)  <b>Ethnic &amp; Gender Studies (EGS)</b> 136, 137, 142, 150  <b>History (HIST/HIST&amp;)</b> &amp;148, 225  <b>Legal</b> 162 (cross-linked with DGS 162)</p>
Social Studies—Civics	<p><b>Ethnic &amp; Gender Studies (EGS)</b> 217 (cross-linked with POL S 217)  <b>Political Science (POL S/POLS&amp;)</b> &amp;101, 115, &amp;202, 217 (cross-linked with EGS 217), 275</p>
Fine Arts	<p><b>Art (ART/ART&amp;)</b> or <b>Music (MUSC/MUSC&amp;):</b> Any 100 level and above course/s.</p>
Health	<p><b>Physical Education (PE)</b> 100, 101;  <b>Nutrition (NUTR&amp;)</b> &amp;101;</p>
Physical Education	<p><b>Physical Education 100 level and above that are activity or fitness courses.</b>  <i>Non-activity course that will NOT apply as PE activity are: PE 100, 101, 160, 171, 189</i></p>

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<p>Science</p> <p>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.</p>	<p><b>Lab Science:</b> Courses which meet Highline College’s ‘Natural Sciences’ lab requirement as outlined on the Associate in Arts-DTA.</p> <p><b>Non-Lab Science:</b> courses which meet Highline College’s ‘Natural Sciences’ requirement, but do not include lab component, as outlined on the Associate of Arts-DTA.</p>
<p>Occupational Education</p>	<p><b>Any 100 and above level course taken from the following disciplines:</b>  Accounting, Business, Business Technology, Computer Info Systems, Computer Science, Criminal Justice, Drafting Design, Early Child Education, Engineering, Healthcare Professions, Homeland Security Emergency Management, Hospitality and Tourism Management, Human Services, Interior Design, Library Technology, Multimedia Design, Paralegal/Legal Studies, Nursing Assistant, Sustainability, Visual Communications</p> <p><b>Careers (CARER) 110;</b>  <b>College (COL) 101;</b>  <b>STEM 101</b></p>

- Common Course Numbers (CCN) are designated with the “&” symbol.
- **5 college credits = 1 high school credit      3 college credits = .6 high school credit**
- **Minimum Highline College grade to earn credit for high school is 1.0**

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