

# Programs Overview

Once you complete a degree or a certificate program of at least 9 months, you may be eligible to apply for work experience relevant to your field of study through Optional Practical Training (OPT).

## UNIVERSITY TRANSFER

**Save thousands of dollars on your four-year bachelor's degree.** Begin your degree in the University Transfer (2+2) program at Seattle Colleges, taking general education and pre-major courses. After you earn an associate degree, transfer to a four-year college or university for an additional two years to complete a bachelor's degree.

## HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION PLUS

**Earn your high school diploma and start your bachelor's degree.** The High School Completion Plus program allows you to earn both a Washington state high school diploma and an associate degree within two years. Then, transfer to a four-year college or university to complete the last two years of your bachelor's degree.

## IP SHORT-TERM CERTIFICATE

**Study in the U.S. for a short time.** IP Short-Term Certificates (IP-STC) offer a flexible option if you want to study for 3, 6, 9, or 12 months. Students enrolled in an IP-STC often take advantage of other learning opportunities offered at Seattle Colleges, such as internships and volunteering.

## CAREER TRAINING

**Prepare for a technical career.** Over 100 different programs prepare you to be career-ready in a technical field, without the need to transfer. These programs offer associate and bachelor's degree options, as well as certificates. Admission requirements to these programs can vary.

## INSTITUTE OF ENGLISH

**Improve your English language skills.** The Seattle Colleges Institute of English (SCIE) offers quality, results-oriented programs (Intensive English and College Bridge) to international students who want to improve their English language skills in preparation for college-level study. A student's English proficiency will determine their entry point into the programs.





# Transfer Programs

## UNIVERSITY TRANSFER

Save thousands of dollars on your four-year bachelor's degree.

The University Transfer (2+2) program gives you the option to start a bachelor's degree in an affordable, supportive environment. After two years of general education and pre-major study at Seattle Colleges, you'll earn an associate degree. Then, transfer to a four-year college or university for an additional two years to complete a bachelor's degree.

## HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION PLUS

Earn your high school diploma and start your bachelor's degree.

Through the High School Completion Plus program, you can take full-time college classes, just like students in the University Transfer program. At the same time, you can complete requirements for a Washington state high school diploma. By choosing High School Completion Plus, you can earn both your high school diploma and an associate transfer degree in two years—all at the Seattle Colleges campus of your choice.

## EXAMPLES OF POPULAR MAJORS



### ARTS & HUMANITIES

- Communications
- Education
- English
- Film Studies
- International Studies
- Journalism
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- ...and more!



### BUSINESS

- Accounting
- Actuarial Science
- Business Administration
- Economics
- Entrepreneurship
- International Business
- Management
- Marketing
- Statistics
- ...and more!



### SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Engineering
- Environmental Science
- Mathematics
- Pre-Medicine
- Pharmacy
- Physics
- ...and more!

**Year 1**      *Seattle*  
**Year 2**      *Colleges*  
**Earn your associate degree**



**Year 3**      *4-Year*  
**Year 4**      *University*  
**Earn your bachelor's degree**

# Transfer Resources

## TRANSFER ADMISSION GUARANTEES (TAG)

To assist with the transfer process, Seattle Colleges has developed partnerships with several universities that offer you conditional acceptance upon admission to Seattle Colleges.

## DIRECT TRANSFER AGREEMENTS (DTA)

About 60 in-state and out-of-state colleges and universities offer DTAs, which guarantee credit transfer for students with an associate degree from Seattle Colleges. If you select a DTA partner institution, all courses completed within the DTA, up to 90 credits (2 years), will transfer.

## OTHER TRANSFER RESOURCES

Students from Seattle Colleges consistently transfer to well-known colleges and universities. We offer many resources to assist you in preparing to transfer, including academic advising and quarterly transfer fairs.



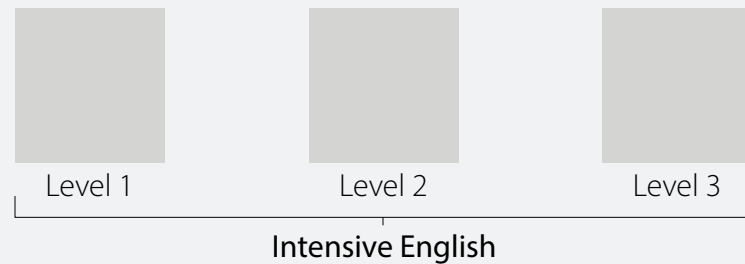
TRANSFER ADMISSION GUARANTEE (TAG) PARTNERS	REQUIRED GPA
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Arizona State University	2.50
California State University, San Marcos	2.00
City University of Seattle	
Eastern Washington University	2.00
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	3.00
Indiana University - Purdue University, Indianapolis	2.00
Montana State University	2.00
San Francisco State University	2.00
Seattle Pacific University	2.50
Seattle University	3.00
State University of New York, Albany	2.50
State University of New York, Oneonta	2.50
State University of New York, Oswego	2.30
University of Alaska, Fairbanks	2.00
University of Alaska, Fairbanks, College of Engineering	3.00
University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth	2.50
University of Nevada, Las Vegas	2.50
University of Washington, Bothell	3.00
University of Washington, Tacoma	2.75
University of Washington, Tacoma, School of Business	3.00
Washington State University	2.50
Western Washington University	3.00

# Programs at the Institute of English

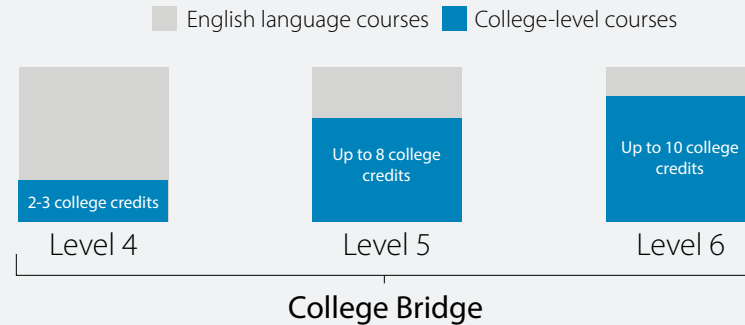
## Intensive English

The Intensive English program is designed for international students with basic levels of English proficiency. Students in Intensive English focus on improving all areas of their English language use, including listening, speaking, reading, writing, and grammar. Upon completion of the Intensive English program, students may start the College Bridge program.



## College Bridge

The College Bridge program allows students with intermediate levels of English proficiency to continue developing their language use while earning almost two full-time quarters' worth of college credits. Upon completion of College Bridge, students may enroll full time in college-level classes.



# IP Short-Term Certificate

Study in the U.S. for a short time.

The IP Short-Term Certificate (IP-STC) program allows you to take college classes for 3, 6, 9, or 12 months and earn a certificate. IP-STCs offer flexibility in choosing your classes from a variety of subjects, and they provide opportunities to practice English while studying with American students in small classes.

**Business in a Global Society**

**Computer Science & Technology**

**Cultures & Communication**

**General Studies** (not eligible for OPT)

**MBA Preparation**

# Career Training

Prepare for a technical career.

Seattle Colleges offers over 100 different vocational programs for international students seeking practical skills in high-demand career fields. Designed to give you the hands-on experience and knowledge you need to enter the workforce right away, these programs offer certificate, associate degree, and bachelor's degree options. Admission requirements for these programs can vary, and most are only offered at certain campuses.

**BAS** - Bachelor of Applied Science

**AAS** - Associate of Applied Science

**CERT** - Certificate

## NORTH SEATTLE COLLEGE

- Accounting **AAS**
- Application Development **BAS**
- Early Childhood Education **BAS**
- Electronics Technology **AAS**
- Engineering Graphics **AAS**
- International Business **BAS**
- Residential and Commercial Property Management **BAS**
- Watch Technology **AAS**
- ...and more!

## SEATTLE CENTRAL COLLEGE

- Allied Health **BAS**
- Applied Behavioral Science **BAS**
- Apparel Design **AAS**
- Business Technology Management **AAS**
- Culinary Programs **AAS**
- Graphic Design **AAS**
- Nursing **AAS**
- Visual Media **AAS**
- Web Development & Design **AAS / CERT**
- ...and more!

## SOUTH SEATTLE COLLEGE

- Aeronautical Technology **AAS**
- Automotive Technology **AAS**
- Culinary Arts **AAS**
- Diesel & Heavy Equipment Technology **AAS**
- Hospitality Management **BAS**
- Landscape Horticulture **AAS**
- Welding Fabrication Technology **AAS**
- Wine Studies **AAS**
- ...and more!

