

You Can Go! Washington’s Public Four-Year College & Universities

Washington’s public four-year colleges and universities know many Washington students want to further their education after high school or transfer to a four-year college or university. Together we are committed to meeting the college and career goals of Washington’s students.

We are excited to welcome Washington students who have chosen a college or university in their home state. We also want students who have yet to decide where they will enroll—or are re-thinking or just now making their college plans—to consider the terrific options available right in front of them.

Everyone—students, families, communities, and institutions—is experiencing the extraordinary circumstances around the COVID-19 pandemic together. We recognize the hard work of making college a reality; we mourn with you what has been missed and may be missed—ceremonies, recognitions, research, study abroad—and we understand the uncertainty that still lies ahead.

We strongly believe weathering this crisis and moving forward with education will strengthen the resiliency of Washington students for years to come. We are here collectively, and as individual colleges and universities, to help current and future students achieve their goals, navigate this crisis, and take advantage of Washington’s investment in a four-year college or university education.

Our Commitment

Washington’s public four-year college and universities understand the challenges and negative impacts of the pandemic on high school experiences and outcomes. Our institutions are committed to not disadvantaging students in admissions due to the pandemic’s effects on education delivery.

What You Need to Know	Next Steps
All of Washington’s public four-year college and universities are integrating flexibility into admissions processes to ease, to the extent possible, the disruption of COVID-19 for fall 2021 applicants. This includes: (1) SAT and ACT tests are not required to apply for fall 2021 freshman admission. Not submitting an SAT or ACT will not disadvantage an applicant in the review process. (2) Flexibility to waive high school course requirements required to minimum admission standards. (3) Continued use of multiple measures to review the whole student in the admissions process.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete the FAFSA or WASFA 2. Complete the admissions application 3. Directly reach out to admissions and financial aid offices for any questions or need of help. Reach out to high school counselors with the admissions and financial aid process questions.

Fall 2021 Admissions Deadlines

It is important to note that for many of the institutions these are “priority” deadlines. Priority deadlines are dates set by colleges and universities by which applications are given the most consideration must be received. Priority deadlines precede regular decision deadlines. Most of Washington’s public four-year college and universities continue to accept applications for fall 2021 beyond these initial deadlines.

Institution & Link to Admissions Application	Accepting Applications for Fall 2021	Priority Deadline for Fall 2021 Admissions	Accepts Applications Beyond Priority Deadline
Central Washington University	Yes	March 1, 2021	Yes
Eastern Washington University	Yes	February 1, 2021	Yes
The Evergreen State College	Yes	February 1, 2021	Yes
University of Washington Tacoma	Yes	January 15, 2021	Yes
University of Washington Bothell	Yes	January 15, 2021	Yes
University of Washington Seattle	No	N/A	N/A
Washington State University	Yes	January 31, 2021	Yes
Western Washington University	Yes	January 31, 2021	Yes

Financial Aid Information for Washington Students

There are resources and support to help you apply for financial aid. There are affordable college and career training opportunities for everyone. The first, best step is to apply for financial aid. To learn more go to: <https://wsac.wa.gov/apply>

Admissions Office and Financial Aid Office Contacts

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