2016-2017 Academic Year

Dear student,

Please keep the following in mind while completing your application:

- Write legibly
- Use your personal email address, not a family member's email address
- Make sure to check your email on a daily basis
- Include your correct date of birth
- Include your high school transcript with your application
- Include your standardized test scores (PSAT, SAT, ACT, etc.) if required

If you have any questions please contact our office.

Sincerely,

High School Programs
509-372-7439
runningstart@tricity.wsu.edu

Attention: Students applying for admission to the Running Start program must make sure to complete and submit only the Running Start application. The application to the Running Start program is free of charge. The WSU application for general freshman admission is not accepted or used for admissions consideration into the Running Start program and has a $50 nonrefundable fee. If you have any questions regarding the application process for the Running Start program, please contact our office at 509.372.7439 or email runningstart@tricity.wsu.edu.
This application has been specifically designed for Running Start at Washington State University Tri-Cities. This application must be filled out entirely and with all signatures to be considered for Running Start Admission. Please turn in your most recent copy of high school transcripts with this application. The application can be mailed or delivered by hand. See contact info below.

Students who have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher meet the assured admission criteria and are not required to submit standardized test scores until officially applying for WSU Tri-Cities. However, all students are encouraged to submit SAT, ACT, ACT Residual, PSAT, or PLAN scores.

Students who are below a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or are homeschooled must submit SAT, ACT, ACT Residual, PSAT, or PLAN* scores for admission consideration.

*PSAT and PLAN test scores will be reviewed on an individual basis for Running Start Admission and are not considered for general admission to WSU Tri-Cities. Homeschooled students are evaluated on an individual basis.

High School Programs
If you have any questions, please contact us at:
Phone: (509) 372-7439
Email: runningstart@tricity.wsu.edu
Our office hours are Mon-Fri, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Your Contact Information

Legal name: ___________________________________________ Last First Middle Jr., etc.
(Optional) Preferred first name (i.e., nickname): ____________________ ☐ Male ☐ Female Date of birth: __________ Month/Day/Year

Please list any additional names we should expect to find on academic records we may receive on your behalf (attach additional pages if needed):

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Current mailing address
Number and street: _____________________________________________
City: __________________________ State/Province: __________ Zip/Postal code: __________ Country: __________

Permanent address (if different than above)
Number and street: _____________________________________________
City: __________________________ State/Province: __________ Zip/Postal code: __________ Country: __________

Phone (Circle your preferred number)
Home: __________________________
Mobile: __________________________
Work: __________________________

Email (Circle your preferred email) WSU will communicate with you by email during the admission process.
Personal: __________________________
Work: __________________________
Other: __________________________

Residency
County of residence: __________________________

Are you a resident of the state of Washington?
☒ Yes ☐ No
The question at right is voluntary and will not be used in the admission decision process; however, it will be used to identify eligibility for resident tuition under RCW 288.15.0131. See wsu.edu/residency and tribal-liaison.wsu.edu.

Are you an enrolled member, or a descendent, of an American Indian Tribe or Alaska Native Village/Corporation?
☐ Enrolled Member. Tribal Affiliation: __________________________
☐ Descendent. Tribal Affiliation: __________________________
Your Plans

Which semester do you plan to start?  ☐ Fall  ☐ Spring  Year __________
Select the response that most closely describes your current education objective:

☐ Full-Time Running Start _____
☐ I intend to continue at WSU Tri-Cities after Running Start
☐ I intend to continue at a different WSU Campus (i.e. Pullman, Vancouver, Spokane, etc.)
☐ I intend to continue at a different college/university in the state of Washington
☐ I intend to continue at a different college/university out-of-state
☐ Other

Part-Time Running Start _____

Other Information

The following information is voluntary and will not be used in the admission decision process. Information collected enables WSU to accurately report the number of applicants from different racial and ethnic groups for statistical reporting and assists with student outreach efforts.

1.) Are you Hispanic/Latino(a) or of Spanish origin?
YES (check all that apply)
☐ Argentinean
☐ Bolivian
☐ Chilean
☐ Colombian
☐ Costa Rican
☐ Cuban
☐ Dominican
☐ Ecuadorian (Ecuadorean)
☐ Guatemalan
☐ Honduran
☐ Mexican or Mexican-American (Chicano)
☐ Nicaraguan
☐ Panamanian
☐ Peruvian
☐ Puerto Rican
☐ Salvadoran
☐ Spanish
☐ Uruguayan
☐ Venezuelan
☐ Other Hispanic Origin

NO
☐ Non-Spanish Hispanic/Latino(a)

2.) How do you describe your race? (check all that apply)

American Indian (select one or more):
☐ Chehalis Confederated
☐ Chinook
☐ Colville Confederated
☐ Cowitz
☐ Duwamish
☐ Hoh
☐ Jamestown S’Klallam
☐ Kalispel
☐ Kikiallus Indian Nation
☐ Lower Elwha Klallam
☐ Lummi Nation
☐ Makah
☐ Muckleshoot
☐ Nisqually
☐ Nooksack
☐ Port Gamble S’Klallam
☐ Puyallup
☐ Quileute
☐ Quinault Nation
☐ Samish Nation
☐ Sauk-Suiattle
☐ Shoalwater Bay
☐ Skokomish
☐ Snohomish
☐ Snoqualmie
☐ Snoqualmoo
☐ Spokane
☐ Squaxin Island
☐ Stilwell
☐ Stillaguamish
☐ Suquamish
☐ Swinomish
☐ Tlingit
☐ Upper Skagit
☐ Yakama Nation
☐ Coeur d’Alene Tribe
☐ Kootenai of Idaho
☐ Nez Percé Tribe
☐ Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribes
☐ Confederated Tribes of Umatilla
☐ Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs
☐ Other American Indian

Alaska Native (select one or more):
☐ Alaska Aleut (Unangan)
☐ Alaska Athabaskan
☐ Alaska Eskimo (Inupiaq or Yupik)
☐ Alaska Haida
☐ Alaska Tingit
☐ Alaska Tsimsian
☐ Other Alaska Native

Asian (select one or more):
☐ Asian Indian
☐ Bangladeshi
☐ Bhutanese
☐ Burmese
☐ Cambodian (Kampuchean)
☐ Chinese
☐ Filipino
☐ Hmong
☐ Indonesian
☐ Japanese
☐ Korean
☐ Laotian
☐ Madagascar
☐ Malay
☐ Maldivian
☐ Mongolian
☐ Nepali
☐ Pakistani
☐ Singaporean
☐ Sri Lankan
☐ Taiwanese
☐ Thai
☐ Vietnamese
☐ Other Asian

Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (select one or more):
☐ Fijian
☐ Guamanian
☐ Kosraean
☐ Mariana Islander
☐ Marshall Islander
☐ Micronesian
☐ Native Hawaiian
☐ Palauan
☐ Pala’au
☐ Papua New Guinean
☐ Ponapean (Pohnpeian)
☐ Samoan
☐ Solomon Islander
☐ Tahitian
☐ Tokelauan
☐ Tongan
☐ Trukese (Chuukese)
☐ Vanuatu (New Hebrides Islander)
☐ Yapese
☐ Other Pacific Islander

☐ White (includes people of European, Middle Eastern, or North African descent)
Your Family

Parent/Guardian

☐ Mother  ☐ Father  ☐ Guardian

Name  ☐ Male  ☐ Female

Last  First  Middle

Address:

☐ Same as my current mailing address  ☐ Same as my permanent address  ☐ Check here if address is unknown

Street ___________________________________________ City ____________________________

State/Province ___________________________________ Zip/Postalcode ___________________

E-mail ___________________________________________ Phone number (_____) ____________

Highest degree level earned by parent/guardian

☐ None  ☐ High school diploma  ☐ 2-year college degree  ☐ 4-year college degree  ☐ Postgraduate degree

Colleges attended by parent or guardian ________________________________________________

Signatures

Now that you have finished filling out your application for non-degree seeking admission to Washington State University, please complete the following:

1. Sign and date this application (below)  
2. Obtain signature from parent/guardian  
3. Obtain signature from high school counselor  
4. Attach copy of high school transcripts  
5. Mail or deliver application

Mail to: Washington State University Tri-Cities High School Programs 2710 Crimson Way Richland, WA 99354-1671

Deliver to: Washington State University Tri-Cities High School Programs 2710 Crimson Way

OR

CIC Building Room 201C

I am stating that my application is true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the WSU Standards of Conduct for Students applies from the time of my application for admission and that any misinformation or omission of information may jeopardize my admission status and enrollment privileges. Additionally, I understand that Washington State University may verify this information with the appropriate entity if needed.

Student:

2016-2017 Grade Level: Junior _____ Senior _____  

High School: __________________________________________

____________________________________________________

Print name

Signature  ___________________________ Date ____________

Parent/Guardian:

____________________________________________________

Print name

Signature  ___________________________ Date ____________

High School Counselor: (Signature is used to confirm grade level, not as permission to participate the WSU Running Start Program)

____________________________________________________

Print name

Signature  ___________________________ Date ____________
INFORMATION FROM EDUCATIONAL RECORDS (DISCLOSURE AND CONSENT)

The Federal Educational Privacy Act (FERPA) restricts disclosure of educational records.

I consent to the disclosure of my educational records by Washington State University Tri-Cities, which contains information pertaining to my enrollment in University courses and my academic progress in those courses as provided in this consent.

Information may be disclosed to my parents or guardians and appropriate high school and school district officials for the following purposes:

- To inform them of the potential costs associated with enrollment in University courses when they may be financially responsible.
- To inform them of my progress towards high school graduation (Information could include: grades, student account information, fees, payments, and academic record information, etc.)

Print Name________________________________________________________________________

Student Signature________________________________________________________________________ Date __________

This release will be on file the entire length of time you are a WSU Tri-Cities Running Start student. Please notify our office in writing if you would like to revoke disclosure to any of the parties listed above.