

# Outdoor Recreation Management

## ● Associate in Applied Science-Transfer Degree

The WVC Outdoor Recreation Management program is designed around North Central Washington's unique natural environment. This environment provides an abundance of outdoor recreation opportunities that promote physically fit and active lifestyles. Outdoor recreation is a growing field of employment and an important part of our regional economy. Career opportunities are available in outdoor recreation services and tourism in a variety of settings.

The curriculum blends course work in seasonal outdoor recreational activities, physical education, health and fitness, natural resources and business management. Outdoor recreation management is designed for students interested in a wide range of entry- to mid-level career paths in outdoor guiding, camp programming (trip planning and administration), state and federal parks, outdoor/environmental education and positions in management with recreation-related companies.

The associate in applied science-transfer degree has a dual purpose: core technical course work that allows the students the flexibility to prepare for entry-level employment, and a college general education component as preparation for a junior year in a bachelor degree program for students seeking advanced studies at a four-year educational institution.

### Suggested Course Sequence: Associate in Applied Science-Transfer Degree Program\*\*

Offered at Wenatchee campus

First Year		Second Year	
<b>Fall Quarter</b>		<b>Fall Quarter</b>	
PEHR 193	Fall Recreation.....5	BUS 177	Business Leadership Development.....5
ENGL&101*	Composition: General.....5	BUS 230***	Intro. to Entrepreneurship.....5
PEH 180	Personal Wellness.....3	NATR 102	Maps and Navigation.....3
<b>Winter Quarter</b>		PEH	Elective.....1
PEHR 190	Winter Recreation.....5	<b>Winter Quarter</b>	
MATH*	College Level.....5	BUS 243	Human Resources Management.....5
PEH 182	First Aid Responding to Emergencies.....5	PSYC& 100	General Psychology.....5
<b>Spring Quarter</b>		CWE 196	Cooperative Work Experience.....3
PEHR 191	Spring Recreation.....5	PEH	Elective.....1
CMST&210	Interpersonal Communication <i>or</i>	<b>Spring Quarter</b>	
CMST&220	Public Speaking.....5	PEHR 250	Capstone Project.....3
BUS 245***	Small Business Management.....5	BCT 118	Customer Relations Management.....5
<b>Summer Quarter</b>		NATR 235	Society and Natural Resources.....5
PEHR 192	Summer Recreation.....5	PEH	Elective.....1
BIOL 127	Northwest Environments.....5	<b>Total Credits for Degree</b>	
		<b>95</b>	

\*Placement score required.

\*\*Associate in Applied Science-Transfer Degree: the AAS-T is built upon the technical courses required for job preparation but also includes a college-level general education component, common in structure for all such degrees. The distinguishing characteristic of the AAS-T is a minimum of 20 credits of general education courses drawn from the same list as those taken by students completing the Direct Transfer Agreement (DTA) associate degree or the Associate in Science-Transfer (AS-T) degree (that is, the courses generally accepted in transfer). AAS-T courses are designed for the dual purpose of immediate employment and as preparation for the junior year in a bachelor's degree commonly described as the bachelor of applied science (BAS). The AAS-T degree generally will not be accepted in transfer in preparation for bachelor of arts or bachelor of science degrees, although the general education component of the degree will be accepted in transfer. (State Board for Community and Technical Colleges)

\*\*\*Or approved Business electives.