

Wenatchee Valley College Student Checklist

Apply for Financial Aid (optional)

If you plan to apply for financial aid, do so as soon as possible, even if you are not planning to attend the upcoming quarter. It can take 6 to 8 weeks for your financial aid application to be processed.

You can apply online by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Call the Financial Aid Office at (509) 682-6810 if you have questions about the FAFSA, financial aid, loans, grants, or scholarships.

Students unable to file a FAFSA due to immigration status may instead complete the WASFA for financial aid (www.readyssetgrad.org/wasfa).

Tuition is due two weeks before classes begin. If your tuition is not paid on time you may be dropped from your classes. It is your responsibility to remember when tuition is due. WVC does offer a Tuition Payment Plan that allows you to make payments in three installments during the quarter. Call the Cashier Office at (509) 682-6500 if you have questions.

Determine your placement

Before you can sign up for classes, we must determine your college-readiness and placement into English and math classes at WVC. Visit www.wvc.edu/placement and take the Pre-Placement Questionnaire to determine if you need to take a placement test or if you have other documentation that can place you into classes. You will also find study material and test sign up-instructions.

Contact the Educational Planning and Testing Center at (509) 682-6830 or testingcenter@wvc.edu if you have questions.

Schedule an appointment with the Career Center (optional)

If you are undecided about what you want to study, consider scheduling a meeting with the Career Center staff to take a career assessment and to learn about the educational options at WVC. Call (509) 682-6830 for an appointment.

Register for classes

- **New College Students:** After your placement has been determined, the Educational Planning and Testing Center staff will help you sign up for an advising and registration session. You must register at least two weeks before the quarter begins.
- **Former WVC Students:** To find your Registration Time, check the Status Box on MyWVC (commons.wvc.edu/mywvc). You will be able to register online on or after your assigned time using your Student Identification Number (SID) and your PIN (your PIN is probably your six-digit birth date unless you changed it). If you need to update your educational plan, please contact your Faculty Adviser (your Faculty Adviser's contact information is found in the Status Box on MyWVC).
- **Transfer Students:** If you have earned credits from another college, and you have already completed English and math classes, call the Educational Planning and Testing Center at (509) 682-6830 to schedule an appointment with an Educational Planner. You must bring a copy of all your transcripts to this meeting. You must register at least two weeks before the quarter begins.

Submit your transcripts

We recommend you submit your official high school transcript or GED transcript to the Admissions/Registration Office. Also, if you have earned credits from another college, we recommend you request a Transcript Evaluation to determine if your prior credits can be used toward degree requirements at WVC. Evaluation request forms are available online and in the Admissions/Registration Office. Call the Admissions/Registration Office at (509) 682-6833 if you need more information.