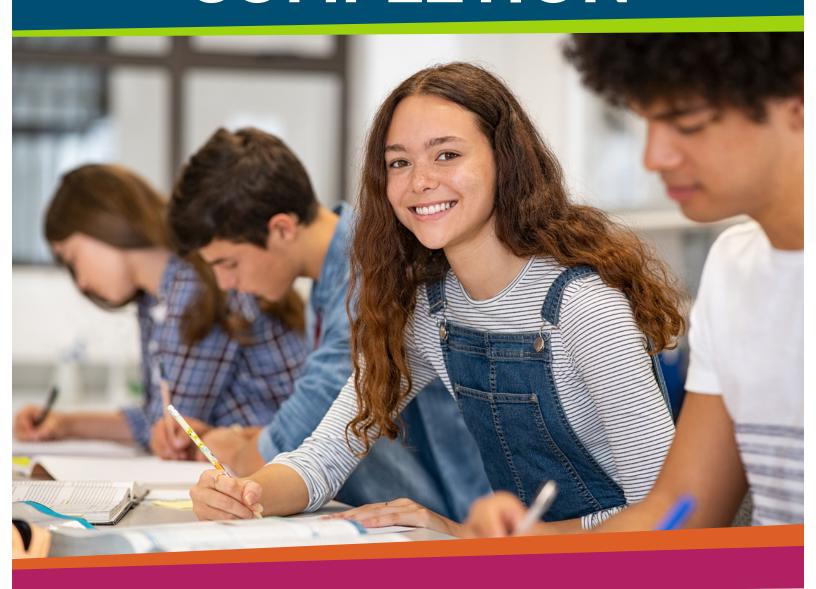


# EDMONDS COLLEGE

# HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION



#### **OVERVIEW**

Since 1970, Edmonds College has established a strong reputation for innovation and excellence in International Student Services. As one of our proudest achievements, Edmonds introduced the first and one-of-a-kind High School Completion Program to international students in Washington State and in the U.S. This program is designed to allow qualified students (16 years and older) to **to complete a Washington State high school diploma and earn a 2-year college degree transferable to universities in as fast as two years!** 

On average, 100-200 international students enroll in our High School Completion Program each year. **Combining the unique advantages of small classes with college campus resources**, our students enjoy the benefits of strong student-to-faculty relationships, and a network of support for transition and academic success.

#### **LOCATION**

- Located on a park-like campus with a golf course, garden, and honey bee farm!
- 30 minutes by car to downtown Seattle.
- A safe and family oriented community with convenient access to numerous restaurants, shops, beaches, and affordable transportation.

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## BENEFITS OF EDMONDS COLLEGE'S HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION PROGRAM

- Students 16 years old and older are admitted (15 year olds are eligible to enroll in online courses only from their home country).
- Prior completion of Grade 10 or 11 is not required
- High School diploma issued upon completion of requirements
- Choice of high school diploma only or combine with associate degree program
- Office of International Programs Center (OIP) support
- Low tuition

- Dedicated High School faculty and staff
- Access to all college campus resources
- University transfer advising
- Campus housing and college-run homestay program available for all students 16 years and older
- Tuition discounts available for new students
- Scholarships for international students
- Cost and time saving
- On-campus job opportunities
- Discounted bus pass





Edmonds College High School Completion Requirements



**High School Diploma** 



#### **Leonard Romangsuriat**

From Indonesia | Transferred to University of Washington - Foster School of Business

"I chose to study in Edmonds College because of the high school program that allows international students to complete high school within 2-3 quarters as well as take college level classes."



From Vietnam | Transferred to Central Washington University

"Edmonds College provides a great environment to study with numerous quiet study areas and very involved and caring instructors."



#### **ADMISSIONS**

#### To apply, please submit:

- **1.** Completed new international student application that can be found online at edmonds.edu/international/how-to-apply
- 2. Students with one of the following test scores can begin the High School Completion program during their first term at Edmonds
- CAMBRIDGE: First Certificate Grades A, B, C
- DUOLINGO: 80 or higher
- EIKEN (Step Eiken): 2A (2150 or higher)
- ELS Program: Level 109
- FLS: Level 14
- IELTS: 5.0 (at least 4.5 in each band)

- Institutional TOEFL: Not accepted
- ITEP: Level 4
- Kaplan: Higher Intermediate Level
- LOEP: 73 or higher
- Pearson Test of English (PTE): Score of 42
- TOEFL: 54 (Writing 16)

If you don't have a test score, you can take our Institutional test, EXAMITY, online at **edmonds.edu/testing/virtual-testing.html** 

For students not meeting the minimum English requirement, they can enroll in our **English Language Institute (ELI) program** and once completed can enroll in High School Completion.

- **3.** Current bank statement with a minimum balance to cover amount of one year of student expenses. For updated amount, please go to **edmonds.edu/international/how-to-apply**
- **4.** Copy of current passport
- **5.** Official high school transcripts translated to English (including last year of middle school, junior high school, Secondary 3, or 9th grade)

Transcripts should include:

- Name and address of school
- Start and end date of each school term
- Class or grade level

- Courses taken and grades earned
- Activities such as music, art, sports and clubs
- Explanation of grading scale and credit hours (hours per week, per subject)
- **6.** USD \$50.00 non-refundable application fee (currently waived)
- 7. For students under 18 years of age please include the Waiver of Liability and Consent of Medical Information
- **8.** Students 16 years old and older are admitted (15 year olds are eligible to enroll in online courses only from their home country)



**Enzo Bonventre** 

From France

"Studying in the US is a great experience for me. I find there are more opportunities here in classes and activities. I also find that teachers at Edmonds College are very involved in preparing you for college."

#### STUDENT DIVERSITY AND TRANSFER STATISTICS

3.57
Average transfer GPA upon graduation

100% transfer to universities 25% of international scholarship recipients are HSC students 65+
countries
represented

#### **TOP UNIVERSITY TRANSFER**

UC Berkeley, Johns Hopkins, Indiana University, UCLA, University of Michigan, University of Washington (Seattle), Purdue University

### WASHINGTON STATE HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA COURSE REQUIREMENTS

To earn a high school diploma, students in the High School Completion program must complete the following courses. Edmonds College will accept applicable high school courses taken in your home country to count towards the following requirements.

#### **Edmonds College High School Completion Program (6 months to 2 years)**

- English
- Math
- Science

- Arts
- U.S. History and Government
- P.E.

- Health
- Career and Technical Education
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\*Washington state high school diploma requirements are subject to change.

#### LENGTH OF PROGRAM

In addition to transferred credits, English proficiency is a main determinant of how fast a student can complete the program. Many students graduate a year ahead of their peers at home.

A college level English placement will start students in some college level courses and expedite the time to High School graduation. Academic English (AENGL: 2-4 courses) students can begin high school courses.



#### Pakawat "Porsche" Maneechaemsai

From Thailand | Transferred to Johns Hopkins University

Edmonds College has an amazing Office of International Programs (OIP) office with an excellent team of transfer advisors who have invaluable knowledge and experience. I will never regret being part of the Edmonds family!"

#### **Una Pavicevic**

From Montenegro | Transferred to Rochester Institute of Technology (Croatia)

"Edmonds College helps prepare you for college in so many ways. We have access to the Learning Support Center, Writing Center, and we can visit advisor and teacher offices for help."



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