

COLUMBIA HIGH SCHOOL & CWU

Running Start Equivalencies

Content Area	CHS Graduation Requirement	Central Washington University Equivalent	Course Selections
English	1st Year of RS Lang & Lit III OR Lang & Lit IV	ENG 101 Composition I: Critical Reading and Responding	ENG101 must be completed with a C- or better
	2nd Year of RS Lang & Lit IV	ENG 102 Composition II: Reasoning and Research on Social Justice ENG 103 Composition II: Reasoning and Research on Health ENG 104 Composition II: Reasoning and Research on Sustainability ENG 105 The Literary Imagination: An Introduction to Literature ENG 106 Literature and the Environment ENG 107 Literature, Health, and Well-Being ENG 247 Multicultural Literature	2nd Year of RS, choose ONE CWU Equivalent
Social Studies	US HISTORY	HST143-United States History to 1865 OR HST144-United States History since 1865	Choose ONE CWU Equivalent
	Contemporary World Problems (CWP)	SOC101-Social Problems OR POSC270-International Relations	Choose ONE CWU Equivalent
	Civics	ECON101-Economic Issues OR POSC210-American Politics	Choose ONE CWU Equivalent

HSBP	<i>High School & Beyond Plan-Completed during CHS Advisory in the fall of 11th and/or 12th grade. Students access their HSBP through Skyward in My School Data.</i>
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Math	For direct admission to 4 year universities in Washington: Students who haven't completed College Algebra/Elem. Func. by the end of their junior year must earn a credit in a <u>math or math-based quantitative course</u> their senior year.
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Other Subject Area Requirements

Students who have not yet satisfied the following requirement areas can complete them at CWU through the coursework listed below. Students must make sure the total remaining high school credit value is met by checking their graduation requirements on Skyward. For alternate course approval, please see the CHS counselor.

CTE/OCC Ed	Any course in the following departments at the 100 level or above: Business, Computer Science, Information Technology
Fine Art	Any course in the following department at the 100 level or above: Art, Dance, Film, Music, Theater
Health	HED101
PE	Any course in the following departments at the 100 level or above: Physical Education, Dance, Nutrition 101
Science	Any course in the following departments at the 100 level or above: Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Geology, Physics
World Language	Courses coded: ASL, CHIN, FR, GERM, JAPN, KRN, RUSS or SPAN

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Please note the following:

- Each college credit = 0.2 Columbia High School credits (e.g. 5 credit college class = 1.0 CHS credits).
- Courses under 100 level ARE NOT covered through running start.
- English 101 must be taken and passed with a C- or better before ANY other CWU English course. This is a Central Washington University requirement.
- College coursework of any kind (Running Start, enrichment) must have advanced approval of the counselor in order to qualify for CHS credit toward graduation.
- Running Start students should meet with their counselor each quarter prior to registering for Running Start classes and complete the Running Start Enrollment Verification Form (RSEVF).