

RUNNING START – CWU Sammamish course equivalencies for ISD graduation requirements

College to HS credit:

6 credits	= 1.25 HS
5 credits	= 1.0 HS
4 credits	= .75 HS
2-3 credits	= .5 HS
1 credit	= .25 HS

NOTE:

- *CWU Sammamish is a relatively new campus, and continues to offer new courses each quarter. If you see a new course in the CWU schedule that is not listed below, consult with your high school counselor to determine how that course relates to graduation requirements.*
- *CWU Sammamish determines courses & class times offered each quarter. Not all courses below are guaranteed to run in any specific quarter. Consult the [CWU Sammamish Running Start website](#), & plan carefully with both your HS counselor & your CWU Running Start advisor to ensure you have access to classes needed for graduation.*

English

English 11: ENG 101 Composition I

English 12: ENG 101 Composition I, or if ENG 101 was already completed:

- ENG 102 Composition II, ENG 105 The Literary Imagination, ENG 263 Intro to Creative Writing, ENG347 Global Perspectives in Literature, DHC 102 Articulating Honors: Research Writing in the 21st Century
- Consult with your counselor on any other ENG courses in the CWU Sammamish course catalog.

Social Studies

NW Studies: HIST 301

World History: HIST 101, HIST 102, HIST 103 (pick any **one** of these three for **1.0** world credit)

US History: HIST 143 or 144 (pick any **one** of these two)

Civics: POSC 210

Math For information on placing into Math classes, visit: <http://www.cwu.edu/runningstart/admissions>

Any course in the MATH department at or above the 100-level is accepted for higher level Math credit.

Please Note:

- *Algebra 1, Geometry & Algebra 2 are not available through CWU Running Start. Students must meet CWU's placement requirements to enroll in college-level math courses.*
- ***FIN101 Financial Literacy** can be accepted as a third-year Math option for high school graduation. It is not equivalent to Algebra 2, and would not act as a substitute for Algebra 2 for college entrance requirements. CWU does not accept this class as an option to meet their Basic Skills Requirements in the Math category.*
- ***FIN174 Personal Finance** can be accepted as a third-year Math option for high school graduation. It is not equivalent to Algebra 2, and would not act as a substitute for Algebra 2 for college entrance requirements. CWU accepts this class as an option to meet their Basic Skills Requirements in the Math category.*

Science Classes in the departments below are accepted for Science credit. **Please Note:** *only courses with a regularly scheduled lab meeting time can be accepted as a lab science.*

- Biology (BIOL), Chemistry (CHEM), Environmental Science (ENST), Geology (GEOL), Physics (PHYS – this includes PHYS 101 Astronomy I)

World Language CWU Sammamish currently offers World Language courses in American Sign Language (ASL), Chinese (CHIN) & German (GERM), Spanish (SPAN). Please contact CWU Sammamish for more information.

Physical Education **Note:** many PE classes at CWU Sammamish are 1.0 college credit (.25 HS credit). Plan carefully.

Classes in the following departments are accepted for PE:

- PE: Fitness Activity (PEF), PE: Individual and Dual Sports (PEID), or PE: Team Sports (PETS)

Health:

HED 101 Health Essentials

*While Health can be taken at college, due to the sensitive nature of the content, and potential to share class time with adult students in a college setting, students/families may want to pursue Health through a high school class to ensure coursework and an environment conducive to learn about teenage health issues. **NOTE:** there is no opt-out component for the HIV/AIDS section of college Health, and students will not receive CTE credit for this course.*

Art

Classes in the following departments are accepted for Art credit:

- Art (ART), Film (FILM), Music (MUS)

Additionally, this course is accepted for Art credit:

- DHC 140 Aesthetic Experience: Musical Theatre Around the World and Through Time

Career Tech Ed (CTE)

Classes in the following departments are accepted for CTE:

- American Sign Language (ASL), Business (BUS), Computer Science (CS), Economics (ECON), Finance (FIN), Information Technology (IT)

Elective Credit

Any course taken through Running Start will count toward a student's total high school credits to graduate. Any Running Start course not listed above will count toward elective credit needed to graduate. Any course listed above that a student takes after already meeting the related subject area credit requirement (coursework they pursue above and beyond the minimum required to graduate) will also count toward elective credit needed to graduate.