Your success starts here
Highline Community College is a place where faculty and students teach and learn from each other in the emerging global community. It's a place to develop new friendships, and be involved in academic, athletic, cultural and social activities. It's a great place for you!

Welcome to Seattle, Washington
Highline's main campus is located in Des Moines, Washington, just 20 minutes south of downtown Seattle. The 80-acre campus overlooks the Puget Sound and the Olympic Mountains. Shopping, theaters, restaurants, nightlife and weekend attractions are just minutes away. The area is home to such distinguished companies as Microsoft, Boeing, and Starbucks.

Why choose a community college?
- Affordable tuition
- Easy transfer to a four-year university
- Small class sizes (20-35 students)
- Personal attention from faculty and staff
- No SAT required for admission
- Improve your English skills before university

Why choose Highline?
- Great location near Seattle, Washington
- Scholarships available for international students
- Homestay and dormitory housing options
- Kaplan English Programs on campus
- Excellent support services for international students
- Student leadership opportunities

Tuition and Expenses 2012-2013

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Costs are subject to change without notice. Some figures are estimates and will vary depending upon how you manage your money.

Scholarships
Highline Community College is proud to offer scholarships for international students. Our competitive scholarships range from $1000 to $2000 per quarter for students who excel academically while studying at Highline. You could be eligible to apply after your first quarter!

Housing
International students have many options for housing around Highline Community College. Whether you prefer living with an American family, staying in a dormitory, or living on your own in an apartment, there is a perfect match for your lifestyle!

Homestay: $625 per month + $250 placement fee + $100 first month deposit

Dormitory: $500 per month for double occupancy (per student) + $60 application fee
$800 per month for single occupancy + $60 application fee

Apartment: cost varies depending on apartment size and number of occupants

International Student Application Process
To apply to Highline, students need to submit the following documents to our office:
- A completed International Student Application
- A USD$54.00 application fee
- High school transcripts if you attended an international school
- Proof of English proficiency such as a TOEFL score (54 IBT), IELTS (all 5.0 and above), GCE (C in English)
- Bank statement showing at least one year of available funds for tuition and living expenses ($18,000)
University Transfer Majors: Associate of Arts or Associate of Science

If your goal is to earn a bachelor’s degree, Highline is a perfect place to start. With the help of our advisors, you can select courses that are transferable to four-year colleges and universities throughout the United States.

- Accounting
- Advertising
- Anthropology
- Architecture
- Art
- Biology
- Botany
- Business Administration
- Chemistry
- Communication
- Computer Science
- Criminal Justice
- Drama
- Economics
- Education
- Engineering
- Fisheries
- English
- Environmental Science
- Foreign Language
- Forestry
- Geology
- History
- Hotel and Restaurant Administration
- Human Resources Management
- International Business
- Journalism
- Marine Biology
- Marketing
- Mathematics
- Music
- Natural Resource Management
- Oceanography
- Philosophy
- Pre-Dental
- Pre-Law
- Pre-Medicine
- Psychology
- Pharmacy
- Physical Therapy
- Physics
- Political Science
- Public Relations
- Registered Nursing
- Sociology
- Speech
- Wildlife Management
- Zoology

Career Training Skills: Associate of Applied Science

Highline offers over 40 professional and technical degrees and certificates designed to give you the knowledge and skills to join the workforce.

**Business:**
- Accounting
- Accounting Paraprofessional
- Administrative Assistant
- Administrative Management
- Bookkeeping
- Business
- Customer Service Specialist
- E-Commerce
- Hotel and Tourism Management
- Interior Design
- International Business
- Marketing and Selling
- Paralegal
- Paralegal Plus
- Project Management
- Retailing
- Small Business Entrepreneurship
- Travel and Transportation

**Health and Human Services:**
- Administration of Justice
- Chemical Dependency Professional
- Child Care: Family-Home
- Child Care: Infant-Toddler
- Child Care: Initial Early Childhood
- Child Care: School-Age
- Dispensing Optician
- Education: Early Childhood
- Education: Instructional Assistant
- Education: Paraeducator
- Education: Paraprofessional
- Human Services
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Transcriptionist
- Nursing: LPN to RN Articulation
- Nursing: Registered
- Patient Account Specialist
- Respiratory Care

**Industry and Technology:**
- C++ Programming
- Computer-Aided Drafting Technology
- Data Recovery/Forensics Specialist
- Database Management
- Developer/Programming Specialist
- Network Specialist
- UNIX System Administration
- VB Programming

**Arts and Communications:**
- Library Technician
- Offset Printing
- Visual Communication

International students who complete an Associate of Applied Science or a certificate program are eligible for Optional Practical Training (OPT). Graduates are allowed to work in the U.S. for 12 months after they complete their program of study.

Top universities for transfer students

Highline graduates have been admitted to top universities, including:

- University of Washington
- University of Maryland
- Tulane University
- University of California, Los Angeles
- Johns Hopkins University
- University of Nevada, Las Vegas
- New York University
- Cornell University

Honors Scholar Program

The Highline Honors Scholar Program prepares academically successful students for transfer to top universities and competitive jobs.

**Benefits:**
- Personal Advising
- Intensive Academic Preparation
- Merit Scholarships
- Connections to 4-year institutions
- Special recognition at graduation