

## Early College Programs

When?

Who?



Where?

What?

Why?

How?



# Momentum for College and Career

#### **Rigorous Coursework in High School**

"The academic intensity of the student's high school curriculum still counts more than anything else in precollegiate history in providing momentum toward completing a bachelor's degree." — The Toolbox Revisited (2006)

- Prepares students for college and career success
- Encourages engagement in school

#### **Earning Credits toward College Graduation**

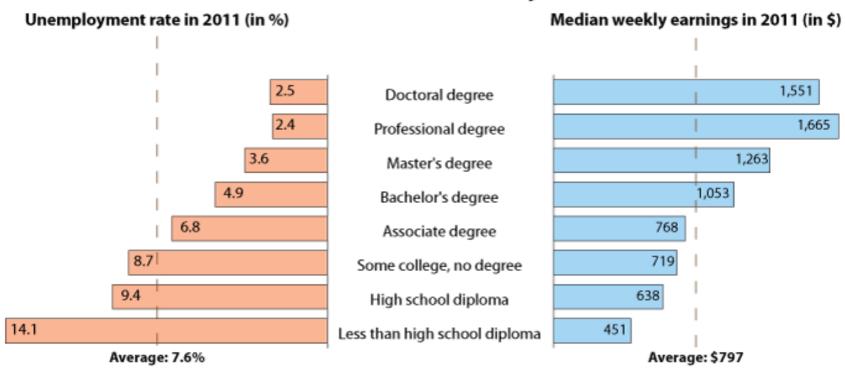
 Student are more likely to complete a college degree if they complete 20 credits during the first year of enrollment.

"It is all the more reason to begin the transition process in high school with expanded dual enrollment programs offering true postsecondary course work so that students enter higher education with a minimum of 6 additive credits to help them cross that 20-credit line. Six is good, 9 is better, and 12 is a guarantee of momentum." – The Toolbox Revisited (2006)

Adelman, C. (2006). *The Toolbox Revisited: Path to Degree Completion from High School Through College.* Washington, D.C.: U.S Department of Education.



### **Education Pays**



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey

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### Saves Money

- Washington State College Graduates Class of 2011
  - average debt upon graduation \$22,244
  - proportion with debt 56%
- National Unemployment
  - Unemployment rate 8.8%
  - Underemployment rate 19.1%
  - Had jobs not requiring college degree 37.8%
- Strong economic returns for investment in college degree
  - Counterparts with HS diploma unemployment rate of HS grads –
     19.1%

Source: The Institute For College Access & Success, The Project on Student Debt (October, 2012)



## Saves Money

Five Washington State Public Colleges and Universities	The Cost of 15 Credits (2012-13)
Everett Community College	\$1,324.60
Central Washington University	\$2,647
University of Washington	\$3,769
Western Washington University	\$2,501
Washington State University (Semester System – 12 credits)	\$5,693

Everett Public Schools Early College Programs	The Cost of 15 Credits (2011-12)
Advanced Placement (3 exams @ \$89 each)	\$267.00
EvCC College in High School (5 cr. class @ \$198 each)	\$594.00
UW in the High School (5 cr. class @ \$307 each + \$42 fee)	\$963.00
Tech Prep (Most classes are free)	Free



# Most common colleges for CHS students (initial enrollment):

- 1. Everett Community College
- 2. Edmonds Community College
- 3. University of Washington Seattle
- 4. Western Washington University
- 5. Washington State University
- 6. Bellevue College
- 7. Shoreline Community College
- 8. Cascadia Community College
- 9. Central Washington University
- 10. Seattle Pacific University



# Most common colleges for EHS students (initial enrollment):

- 1. Everett Community College
- 2. University of Washington Seattle
- 3. Washington State University
- 4. Western Washington University
- 5. Edmonds Community College
- 6. Central Washington University
- 7. Shoreline Community College
- 8. Eastern Washington University
- 9. Seattle Pacific University
- 10. Pacific Lutheran University



# Most common colleges for JHS students (initial enrollment):

- 1. University of Washington Seattle
- 2. Edmonds Community College
- 3. Cascadia Community College
- 4. Washington State University
- 5. Everett Community College
- 6. Western Washington University
- 7. Central Washington University
- 8. Shoreline Community College
- 9. Bellevue College
- 10. Seattle Pacific University



# Most common colleges for SHS students (initial enrollment):

- 1. Everett Community College
- 2. Edmonds Community College
- 3. Central Washington University
- 4. Shoreline Community College
- 5. Cascadia Community College

# Who?

- 10th Graders AP World History
- 11th and 12<sup>th</sup> Graders College in High School courses
- All Grades Tech Prep
- Students who are ready for challenging courses
- Students with strong reading, writing and math skills



### Advanced Placement

- Each course culminates in an Exam
- Students earn college credit based on exam score
- Credits fulfill general college graduation requirements

## Tech Prep

- Credits Vary
- Entry courses for certificate programs,
   Associates in Technical Arts, or Associates
   Transferable Degree
- Offered in partnership with Everett
   Community College, Skagit Valley Community
   College and Lake Washington Technical
   College

## What? College in High School

- Courses are 5 credits
- Often fulfills general college graduation requirements
- Offered in partnership with Everett Community College and University of Washington

### Courses Offered at CHS

Advanced Placement

AP English Language and

Composition

AP English Literature and

Composition

AP Studio Art

AP Calculus AB

**AP Statistics** 

AP Chemistry

AP Environmental

Science

AP Government and

Politics: US

**AP Psychology** 

**AP US History** 

**AP World History** 

College In High School

Pre-Calculus

Calculus

**Statistics** 

Anatomy & Physiology

Chemistry

**Environmental Science** 

ECC English (Literature and Composition)

**Principals of Marketing** 

World History
US History
Government

French 2, 3 and 4 German 2, 3 and 4 Spanish 2, 3 and 4

Tech Prep Fashion Merchandizing Introduction to Sports

Medicine

Sports Medicine I and II Digital Photography II

Publications I (Yearbook I)

Independent Living

Career Choices Graphic Design I

Auto Tech

**Computer Applications:** 

**Computer Literacy** 

**Computer Applications:** 

PowerPoint

**Video Production** 

### Courses Offered at EHS

Advanced Placement

AP English Literature and Composition
AP Studio Art

AP Spanish Language

AP Calculus AB
AP Statistics
AP Chemistry

AP Government and Politics: US
AP US History
AP World History

College In High School

Pre-Calculus
Calculus
Statistics
Oceanography
Chemistry

Speech
World History French

World History French 2, 3 and 4
US History German 2, 3 and 4
Spanish 2, 3 and 4

ECC English (Literature and Composition)

Tech Prep Independent Living
Career Choices
Digital Photography II

Computer Applications: Computer Literacy

Computer Applications:

PowerPoint Auto Tech

### Courses Offered at JHS

Advanced Placement

AP English Language and

Composition

AP English Literature and

Composition

**AP Studio Art** 

AP Calculus AB

**AP Statistics** 

AP Biology

AP Chemistry

AP Physics

AP Government and

Politics: US

**AP Psychology** 

AP US History

AP World History

College In High School

Pre-Calculus

Calculus

**Statistics** 

**UW IT Computer Science Engineering** 

**Principles of Marketing** 

ECC English (Literature and Composition)

**UW English (Literature and Exposition)** 

French 2, 3 and 4

German 2, 3 and 4

Spanish 2, 3 and 4

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Independent Living

**Career Choices** 

Sports and Entertainment Marketing

**Computer Applications:** 

Computer Literacy

Computer Applications:

PowerPoint

Introduction to Graphic Design

Graphic Design I Graphic Design II Graphic Design III



### Ready for classes:

- Complete pre-requisites first
- Match to High School Graduation Requirements

#### When to take classes:

During the regular school day

# Where?

 All three programs are offered at the high school

 Unlike Running Start, students can stay involved with their school.



# Register for designated high school courses.

#### **Advanced Placement**

- Register for exam in the Spring
- Scores reported to colleges selected by student

### College in High School and Tech Prep

- Register through teacher or online for college courses in Fall and Winter
- Obtain transcript from college to transfer credits

## Questions you should ask yourself:

- Where are you going to college?
- What is your area of focus or major in college?
- What is the difference between college general education requirements and degree requirements?
- Do you have to pay for every Early College Class?



## Early College Programs

Questions?