

## **College and Career Readiness Seminar Course Syllabus**

### **Everett Public Schools Strategic Goal and Target**

- 1.1 Each student graduates from high school ready for college and career with 21<sup>st</sup> century skills.
- 1.1b All graduates exit with a post-secondary transition plan for work, career, and/or college.

### **College and Career Readiness Seminar**

College and Career Readiness Seminar (CCRS) will challenge students to explore, develop, and take steps toward their own postsecondary plans. In this course, students will complete their High School and Beyond Plan and focus on collaborative projects focused on solving real-world problems. Students will use online tools, such as Naviance, Canvas, and EverFi to complete the course outcomes.

#### **Unit 1: Developing My High School and Beyond Plan**

#### **Unit 2: Exploring My Personal Finances**

### **High School and Beyond Plan**

In CCRS, students will complete their High School and Beyond Plan. The High School and Beyond Plan is a state and district graduation requirement. Upon successful completion of the course with a passing grade, the High School and Beyond Plan will be marked “MET” on the student’s high school transcript.

### **Graduation Requirement**

CCRS is a district-required class for high school graduation. It fulfills the district graduation requirement and allows students to earn CTE credit. Students may take the course in their senior year or in the spring of their junior year.

### **Course Materials**

- Online access for course materials
- Flash drive (optional)
- Headphones (optional)

### **Course Description and Alignment with 21<sup>st</sup> Century Skills**

To be college and career ready, students need to be able to integrate and apply 21<sup>st</sup> century skills, as well as core academic and technical knowledge. The 21<sup>st</sup> Century Skills standards adopted by the State of Washington, developed from the Partnership for 21<sup>st</sup> Century Skills organization, are focused on creativity, critical thinking, communication and collaboration. These standards are essential to preparing students for complex lives and work environments in our global economy. The units of the CCRS are aligned with the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Skills standards.

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### Grading

Students and parents can access grades online through the LMS system. For information or to log in, go to <http://lmsinfo.everettsd.org>.

This course will be assessed based on the following components:

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| <b>Unit 1: Developing My High School and Beyond Plan</b><br>Completion of unit assignments, including the High School and Beyond Plan Survey  |
| <b>Unit 2: Exploring My Personal Finances</b><br>Completion of unit assignments   |
| <b>Assessment of 21<sup>st</sup> Century Skills</b><br>Traits assessed based on the College and Career Readiness Seminar 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Skills rubric<br>Self-Direction<br>Digital Communication<br>Problem Solving |