

# Columbia Basin College

## Bridge to College Course Placement

### 2021-2027

Columbia Basin College, along with all other Washington community and technical colleges, are in a state-wide agreement allowing high school students with qualifying Bridge to College (BtC) scores direct entry into entry-level, credit bearing courses. This placement agreement represents the commitment of Washington's higher education institutions to provide high school students the opportunity to avoid the time and cost of pre-college level courses by providing an alternative placement method.

#### ELIGIBILITY

High School students who wish to use a grade of "B or better" in a designated BtC English and/or math course for placement, may submit their official or unofficial transcript within a year of graduation.

#### BRIDGE TO COLLEGE MATH

Placement into **MATH& 107** (Math in Society), **MATH& 146** (Intro to Statistics), **or their equivalents: MATH 106\*** (Business **Mathematics**), and **MATH 108\*** (Early Childhood Education). **Placement does not include a calculus or STEM pathway.**

High School transcript showing a "B" or better (in the final term) in a designated **Bridge to College Math** course in their senior year, and who begin college the year following graduation.

#### BRIDGE TO COLLEGE ENGLISH

Placement into **entry college-level English course: ENGL& 101** (English Composition I) **or ENGL 103** (Writing in the Workplace). Reading considered at college-level, no course required.

High School transcript showing a "B" or better (in the final term) in a designated **Bridge to College English** course in their senior year, and who begin college the year following graduation.

\*These classes satisfy the requirements for specific technical/vocational programs but are generally not transferrable.

#### NOTES:

1. Both BtC English and math are full-year courses. A student must complete the full year to use the course for college placement.
2. For BtC math, some high schools may use a block format that reduces the time to one term.
3. The Bridge to College courses may be identified on transcripts by a common course code such as WA0001 for English and WA0003 for math.

#### TRANSCRIPTS

An official or unofficial high school transcripts must be submitted with SBA Math scores for evaluation. Transcripts and SBA score reports can be accessed via high school grading system or counselors and may be delivered to the CBC Assessment Center by fax to 509-544-2037, by email to [testingcenter@columbiabasin.edu](mailto:testingcenter@columbiabasin.edu), by mail or hand-delivered to 2600 N 20th Avenue (MS-H7), Pasco, WA, 99301, Pasco Campus - Building H, Assessment Center.

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