It’s simple!

1. Apply for admission to Shoreline Community College. Indicate your interest in receiving conditional guaranteed admission to Western Washington University on your Shoreline application.

2. Receive an admission letter from Shoreline Community College, as well as a conditional guaranteed admission letter to Western Washington University, AT THE SAME TIME!

3. Take your admission letters, along with your I-20 document, to the U.S. embassy or consulate and apply for your F-1 visa.

4. Enroll at Shoreline and finish the first half of your Bachelor’s degree by earning an A.A. or A.S. degree.

5. Transfer to Western Washington University to finish the second half of your Bachelor’s degree.

6. Complete your Bachelor’s degree at Western Washington University!

Conditional Guaranteed Transfer Admission to Western Washington University Requires:

1. Completion of an approved transferable associate’s degree at Shoreline Community College (Associate of Arts, Associate of Science – Transfer or MRP transfer degrees).

2. Submission of transcripts from all previous post-secondary institutions attended. If you earned credit in a country other than the US or Canada, an official transcript evaluation from a NACES member institution may be requested by the Admissions Committee (www.naces.org/members.htm).

3. Earning a minimum 3.00 cumulative grade point average on transferable credit from all previous institutions attended.

4. Demonstration of English Proficiency through one of the following means: 3.0 or better grades in ENGL& 101 and 102; official TOEFL score of 80 iBT or above; or an IELTS score of 6.5 or above.

5. Submission of an International Undergraduate Application for Admission by the application deadline for the term of application (admissions.wwu.edu/apply).


While many academic majors are open to all interested students, others are competitive, requiring a separate admissions application, prerequisite coursework and/or an elevated grade point average. Please note that admission to Western Washington University does not guarantee admission to a specific academic program.