



**SEATTLE
PROMISE**



College for Every Seattle Public School Student

FREE TUITION IS JUST THE BEGINNING

Seattle Promise brings college education within reach for every Seattle public high school student. Students accepted to the program receive personal support to transition from high school and succeed in college and up to two years (or 90 college credits or first degree, whichever comes first) of free tuition at North Seattle College, Seattle Central College, or South Seattle College.

All Seattle public high school students in the 2023 graduating class are eligible, regardless of grade point average (GPA), income, ability, or country of birth. Students will begin their studies at Seattle Colleges in fall 2023.

THE SUPPORT YOU NEED TO THRIVE IN COLLEGE

Focus on your studies without the financial burden of tuition. During your senior year of high school, we'll help you complete college and financial aid applications, choose your first classes, and prepare for college success.



SEATTLE PROMISE INCLUDES

FREE TUITION: Two years (or up to 90 college credits or your first degree, whichever comes first) of free tuition at Seattle Colleges to pursue an associate degree in a career training program or an associate transfer degree to continue to a four-year bachelor's program.



COLLEGE PREPARATION: Support preparing for life on campus, assistance choosing and registering for classes, introductions to college instructors, and more to help you get ready for college.



YEAR-ROUND SUPPORT: Regular check-ins with the Seattle Promise team to help you navigate your college experience from start to finish.



LONG-TERM PLANNING: Advising to help plan your next steps, including opportunities for gaining a summer internship and work experience.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT BEYOND TUITION: Assistance with other school-related expenses such as books, child care, food, housing, and transportation for those who qualify.

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Become a Seattle Promise Scholar



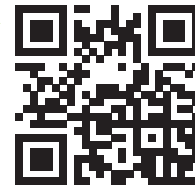
APPLY

Your Seattle Promise outreach specialist can guide you through the steps below:

- Submit Seattle Promise Application** →
Due: **February 17, 2023**
- Submit College Admissions Application to North Seattle College, Seattle Central College, or South Seattle College** →
Due: **February 17, 2023**
- Submit Financial Aid Paperwork**
 - FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) or WASFA (Washington Application for State Financial Aid) application.
Due: **April 30, 2023**
 - College Financial Aid File
Due: **August 1, 2023**



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PREPARE

After completing all application requirements, you'll participate in two events to prepare for college success.

-  **Readiness Academy:** a one-day event in May/June 2023 to introduce you to your Seattle Promise peers and get assistance choosing and registering for classes.
-  **Summer Bridge:** a one-day event held on September 12, 13 and 18, 2023 to help you learn about life on campus and introduce you to your college's instructors, staff, and resources.



START

As a Seattle Promise scholar, you will work with your Seattle Promise retention specialist to register for classes and must register for at least 12 credits per quarter. You will also meet with your retention specialist each quarter to review progress and refine your academic goals.

WE'RE HERE FOR YOU.



Contact the outreach specialist assigned to your high school for questions and assistance with the application process. seattlecolleges.edu/promise/contact



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