

SELKIRK SCHOOL DISTRICT COURSE EQUIVALENCIES

2017-18

Running Start is a college credit program that is an outgrowth of the CHOICE legislation of 1990. With Running Start, students earn credit for both high school graduation and toward a college degree. A Selkirk student who is interested in Running Start should contact the Running Start Coordinator for procedures to enroll. In order for a student to be considered eligible, she/he must take the COMPASS Test or its equivalency and achieve a minimum score determined by the University or community college.

Students taking traditional Running Start classes will be welcome on the high school campus only during the hours their high school classes meet and for meals, if meals are served immediately before or after their high school class, or for prearranged school activities. If a Running Start student intends to graduate from Selkirk High School, she/he must meet all high school graduation requirements including taking and passing the Career Choices class and Senior Careers/Independent Living classes, pass all testing requirements, create and finalize a High School and Beyond Plan, complete required community service hours, and create and present a Senior Presentation to the community.

Spokane Community College and Other Washington Schools

Traditional Running Start Classes

The Community Colleges operate on the quarter system which is different from our semester system. Spring quarter Running Start grades are not reported to Selkirk High School before graduation. A Selkirk High School senior who intends to go through the graduation ceremony and needs the Running Start credits for graduation will have their diploma and transcript held until grades are received from the community college. Meeting timelines for high school activities including graduation announcements, cap and gown orders, graduation activities, etc., is the responsibility of the Running Start student. The following courses have been determined to meet Selkirk requirements:

Required Selkirk Courses	Spokane Community Colleges Equivalence Courses <i>Other College-Partner Courses Must Be Evaluated on a One-by-One Basis</i>
Junior English 1.0	English 101 and English 111 (or any literature class at 200 levels)
Senior English* 1.0 <i>*If a student begins Running Start their senior year, English 101 and 131 (or the equivalent literature class) would meet their senior year English requirement.</i>	English 102 and an English or World Literature class at the 200 level or higher
United States History 1.0	History 136 and History 137
Civics/Contemporary World Issues 1.0	Take ONE of the following: Political Science 101, 202, or 204; AND ONE of the following: Political Science 125, 203, or 205; Economics 100 or 202; History 105 or 240.
Math (Jr. and/or Sr. year) 1.0	Any 5-credit Math course that meets the minimum college admissions standards.
Science (Jr. and/or Sr. year) 1.0	Any 5-credit Science course that meets the minimum college admissions standards
Fine Art 1.0	Any 5-credit Fine Arts course that meets the minimum college admissions standards
Physical Education 1.0	Any 5-credit Physical Education course above the 100 level
Vocational 1.0	Any 5-credit Vocational course above the 100 level
Electives including World Languages 1.0	Spanish 121, 122, & 123; American Sign Language (ASL) 121, 122 & 123; Or any 5-credit World Language course that meets min. college admission standards; Any 100 level or above class will be also considered on an individual basis

Eastern Washington University and Central Washington University

College in the Classroom

Selkirk participates in College in High School (CHS) in which students are dual-enrolled in high school classes that are taught at Selkirk by Selkirk teachers while also being enrolled as EWU or CWU students. Please note, because EWU and CWU's campuses operate on the quarter system students will earn 5 college credits per semester of CHS.

- Students are enrolled in College in the Classroom (up to 10 quarter hours with no tuition)
- And/or EWU-Pay for Credit/CWU-Cornerstone classes which are one or more additional classes with a tuition fee of approximately \$65 per quarter hour.

The following courses have been determined to meet Selkirk's requirements:

	Washington State Course Requirements	Selkirk Classes <i>(A full year is required of these courses which count as .5 each semester)</i>	College in the Classroom Equivalence Courses <i>(Students can earn up to 5 college hours for each of these classes.)</i>
<u>English Classes</u> <i>The AP Language and AP Literature classes are rotated every other year for 11th and 12th graders.</i>	Junior English <i>1.0 credit</i>	AP Language (or AP Literature) <i>2 semesters</i>	English 101, 102, OR English 170 <i>5 College credits awarded</i> <i>English 101 will be awarded for the year that students take AP Language. English 170 or 102 credit will be awarded for the year students take AP Literature.</i>
	Senior English <i>1.0 credit</i>	AP Literature (or AP Language) <i>2 semesters</i>	English 101, 102, OR English 170 <i>5 College credits awarded Semester 2 only</i> <i>English 101 will be awarded for the year that students take AP Language. English 170 or 102 credit will be awarded for the year students take AP Literature.</i>
<u>Social Studies Classes</u> <i>The AP United State History and AP Government and Politics classes are rotated every other year for 11th and 12th graders.</i>	US History <i>1.0 credit</i>	AP US History <i>2 semesters</i>	History 144 <i>5 College credits awarded Semester 2 only</i>
	Civics/Contemporary World Issues <i>1.0 credit</i>	AP Government and Politics <i>2 semesters</i>	Political Science 100 <i>5 College credits awarded Semester 2 only</i>
<u>Math Classes</u>	Junior Math <i>1.0 credit</i>	Pre-Calculus OR Calculus <i>2 semesters</i>	Math 141 and Math 143 OR Math 171 and 173 <i>5 College credits possible for both Semester 1 and 2</i>
	Senior Math <i>1.0 credit</i> <i>Senior math counts as an elective if the student already has 3 math credits.</i>	Pre-Calculus OR Calculus <i>2 semesters</i>	Math 141 and Math 143 OR Math 171 and 173 <i>5 College credits possible for both Semesters 1 and 2</i>