



Dear Bridge to College Student:

Congratulations on your upcoming high school graduation! As you are successfully completing a Bridge to College course during your senior year, you may be eligible for direct placement into college-level courses in math or English at one of Washington's 34 community and technical colleges (or Eastern Washington University, IF you are admitted to the university).

Given school disruptions due to the ongoing pandemic, the Bridge to College Placement Agreement has been adjusted for this year:

In order to qualify for college-level placement in **math**, you will need to:

- Complete a Bridge to College course with a final grade of "B or better."
- Contact your college to find out if they will accept the grade on its own for placement or if they will require additional information from you for math placement - other transcript details, a placement test, etc.
- Enroll in college in the academic year immediately following high school graduation.

NOTE: Even if the placement agreement is not available at the college you want to attend next year, keep in mind how much you learned this year and know that you are better prepared to demonstrate your readiness for college-level math.

In order to qualify for the college-level placement in **English**, you must:

- Complete a Bridge to College course with a final grade of "B or better" in either semester, and
- Enroll in college in the academic year immediately following high school graduation.

To access this direct placement opportunity, be prepared to provide a copy of your high school transcript after you are admitted to one of the participating higher education institutions noted above. It is your responsibility to follow whatever procedure the college has defined to submit your Bridge to College course grade for placement. If you wish to enroll in a course different from what the agreement allows, you may be required to provide more transcript information or take a placement test.



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With the enormous challenges caused by the pandemic, it may be that you did not have the opportunity to experience all of the content that the Bridge to College course offers. If that is the case, please ask your local college about additional support and instruction they can provide to ensure that you are prepared for college-level work.

For more information about the placement agreement, see <http://www.sbctc.edu/about/agency/initiatives-projects/bridge-to-college.aspx>

We wish you all the best as you continue your academic journey!

Sincerely,

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