

## Transfer Credits

A maximum of 60 credits from regionally accredited colleges and universities may be applied toward a WVC degree, meeting either requirements or electives, at the discretion of the credential evaluator, dean, or program adviser. The following is a list of those organizations that grant regional accreditation in the United States:

*Middle States Association of Colleges & Schools Middle States Commission on Higher Education  
New England Association of Schools & Colleges Commission on Institutions of Higher Education  
New England Association of Schools & Colleges Commission on Technical & Career Institutions  
North Central Association of Colleges & Schools The Higher Learning Commission  
Northwest Commission on Colleges & Universities  
Southern Association of Colleges & Schools Commission on Colleges  
Western Association of Schools & Colleges Accrediting Commission for Community Colleges  
Western Association of Schools & Colleges Accrediting Commission for Senior Universities*

Up to 15 credits of restricted elective may be accepted from schools whose curriculum has been evaluated by the American Council on Education (ACE).

Transfer credit is not awarded for the following types of coursework: (1) courses taken at colleges that are not regionally accredited, (2) non-credit courses and workshops, (3) remedial or college preparatory courses (ie-student orientation classes), (4) sectarian religious studies.

Transfer courses with less than a D grade (or 1.0) can not be used to satisfy a graduation requirement.

Upper division courses (usually numbered 300-400) will only be applied toward a degree distribution area if a similar course exists at Wenatchee Valley College. The credit evaluator may allow some other upper division courses to be used as restricted electives, depending on the nature of the course work.

Credits from semester schools are multiplied by 1.5 to convert them to quarter credits. For example, 2 semester credits = 3 quarter credits, and 3 semester credits = 4.5 quarter credits.

Students who have attend colleges and/or universities outside of the US must provide their transcripts and an evaluation of those transcripts by a qualified evaluation agency. You should request a course-by-course evaluation to maximize the credit that may be transferred to WVC. A list of [foreign education credentials services](#) is available through Student Development.

## Nontraditional Credit

Wenatchee Valley College encourages flexibility, innovation and independent study in the educational process. Nontraditional credit programs allow you to earn credit outside of the classroom setting. The following are types of nontraditional credit accepted at WVC:

College Level Examination Program (CLEP)  
College Board Advanced Placement (AP)  
Cooperative Work Experience (CWE)  
Course Challenge  
Credit for Military Experience