

<u>PNW College Credit</u> – a <u>CTE Dual Credit</u> consortium – is a partnership of local colleges, school districts, & skill centers spanning a large portion of the Pacific Northwest – from beautiful Puget Sound to the North Cascade foothills! *CTE* = *Career & Technical Education* 

#### **Colleges**

\* Bellevue College \* Cascadia College \* Edmonds College \* \* Lake Washington Institute of Technology \* Shoreline Community College \*

#### **School Districts**

\* Bellevue \* Edmonds \* Granite Falls \* Issaquah \* Lake Stevens \* Lake Washington \*

\* Marysville \* Mercer Island \* Mukilteo \* Northshore \* \* Renton \* Riverview \*

\* Snohomish \* Snoqualmie Valley \*

#### Skills Centers

\* Sno Isle Tech Skill Center \* Washington Network of Innovative Careers \*

# **CTE Dual Credit**

Students who register for CTE Dual Credit classes can earn college credit in addition to their high school credit for completing high school classes that are formally aligned – articulated – with college courses. Eligible classes are considered *"Career & Technical Education"* classes at the high school level and connect to *"Professional or Technical"* courses & programs at the college. All articulated courses are part of a certificate or degree program at the awarding college.

## Advantages of CTE Dual Credit

### Students can:

- → Earn college credit for classes they are already taking at their own high school
- $\rightarrow$  Explore a career while still in high school
- $\rightarrow$  Save hundreds (or even thousands) of dollars on tuition, books, & transportation!

## 4 Simple Steps to Earning College Credit

- 1. Enroll in an eligible class at the high school (view current offerings by district)
- 2. Register to earn CTE Dual Credit while in the high school class: PNWcollegecredit.org/Register/
  - $\rightarrow$  Registration is open December 1<sup>st</sup> through June 15<sup>th</sup> each school year
- 3. Pay a \$50 consortium fee online at PNWcollegecredit.org/pay
  - ightarrow one fee per student per year
  - $\rightarrow$  non-refundable
  - ightarrow fee waivers available to those in need
  - → Payment Deadline is June 20<sup>th</sup> each school year
- 4. Earn a grade of "B" or higher in the class