



TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR FUTURE

SHORT-TERM CERTIFICATES

Are you interested in gaining practical knowledge and skills in a short time while experiencing a new culture? A PC short-term certificate may be the perfect solution for you. Average credit requirements are 5-15 credits.

SHORT TERM CERTIFICATES

BUSINESS & OFFICE

Administrative Office Systems
Business Administration
Computer Applications Technology
Entrepreneurship
Hospitality and Ecotourism

COMPUTERS & TECHNOLOGY

Cybersecurity & Computer Forensics
Information Technology - Systems Administration
Multimedia Communications

EDUCATION

Early Childhood Education

HEALTHCARE

Addiction Studies
Emergency Medical Technician

TECHNICAL

Advanced Manufacturing
Automotive Technology
Construction Technology
Welding

OTHER

Sustainable Agriculture

BENEFITS

- Enhance resume
- Acquire practical professional skills
- Explore potential
- Discover interest areas
- Improve English
- Earn Certificate of Recognition upon completion of program

STUDENT PROFILE

- University students
- Independent
- Motivated

OUR LOCATION

- 2.5 hours from Seattle
- 1.5 hours from Victoria
- Olympic Mountains
- Pacific Ocean Beaches
- Hoh Rain Forest
- Lake Crescent
- On bus line

QUICK FACTS

- Small class size
- State of the art facilities
- High quality instructors
- Variety of programs & degrees
- Outstanding faculty & staff
- Safe campus & community
- Fun student activities





GAP YEAR

Spend your gap year on the majestic Olympic Peninsula

Finished with high school and ready to explore what you truly are passionate about? Come to Peninsula College for your GAP year and experience Pacific Northwest culture on one of the most beautiful community college campuses in the US. We will work with you to customize a flexible program to suit your needs.

PC OPTION 1

GLOBAL/CULTURAL EXPLORATION

Sample Class Options: Global Issues, Film, Spanish, English Literature & Creative Writing, Art, History, Sociology, Music, Anthropology, Hospitality & Ecotourism, Integrated Studies

PC OPTION 2

LEADERSHIP/ENTREPRENEUR EXPLORATION

Sample Class Options: Entrepreneurship, Business, Social Media Marketing, Finance, Global Issues, Communication Studies

PC OPTION 3

ENVIRONMENTAL/SERVICE LEARNING EXPLORATION

Sample Class Options: Service Learning, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Botany, Environmental Science, Green Building

ACTIVITY/ENGAGEMENT POSSIBILITIES:

Partnership with Longhouse/Tribes, partnership with institution in Victoria, partnership with Huxley, Olympic National Park, Nature Bridge, PA Sister-City associations, Juan de Fuca festival (music festival), local organic farms, Feiro Marine Science Center, PTFF (Film Festival), Lavender Festival, Patel Fisheries/Research Center (Sequim), PA Symphony, Olympic Music Festival (Quilcene), Winery Concerts (Summer), local peninsula trips, etc.

PC OPTION 4

SELF-DISCOVERY/GENERAL EXPLORATION/VOLUNTEER-INTERNSHIPS

Sample Class Options: Service Learning, Communication Study, Photojournalism, Multimedia, Business, Cybersecurity, English Literature & Creative Writing, Human Development (Occupational Exploration, Career/Life Planning), Early Childhood Education, other Prof Tech programs

On-Campus Volunteer Options: Educare Center; Arboretum

Off-Campus Volunteer Options: Partnerships and possible internships with local agencies for volunteer placement (Senior Center, PA Food Bank, OMC, PAPD, PA School District, YMCA, Humane Society, ONP, events like Juan de Fuca Festival, Crab Festival, etc.

PC OPTION 5

ESL-PLUS GENERAL EXPLORATION

Sample Class Options: IELTS, English 90, coursework with no English pre-reqs

Volunteer Options: Volunteer opportunities could be with any of the above program suggestions via indicated partnerships.

* Class options are based on availability and are subject to change.