



**Notice of Educational Collaboration  
between  
Bellevue College  
and  
Portland State University**

Portland State University (PSU) in Portland, Oregon and Bellevue College (BC) in Bellevue, Washington, are committed to improving transfer student success and attainment of baccalaureate degrees. To assist students with the transfer process and to help them understand the requirements for transferring, PSU and BC agree to collaborate in the transition of students from BC to PSU.

This collaboration also includes:

- Guaranteed admission to PSU for qualified\* BC transfer students;
- Communication with students regarding requirements and transfer processes by both BC and PSU;
- Marketing of this partnership by both BC and PSU

\*PSU defines qualified BC transfer students for the 2016-2017 academic year as those who have:

- Completed at least 30 transferable, college level credits;
- Achieved a *minimum* cumulative college-level GPA of 2.25
- Completed English 101 or equivalent with a C- or better grade
- Demonstrated proof of financial ability
- Submitted official copies of all college transcripts;
- Applied in a timely manner to allow for processing of application and transcripts.

For more specific and up-to-date information, visit the International Admissions web page for transfer students at: <http://www.pdx.edu/admissions/international-transfer>

English language proficiency can be demonstrated by *either* of the following (subject to change):

- Completion of a transferable Associate's degree (AA, AS, or DTA) with the following:
  - Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher
  - 8 credits of college level writing, including English 101, with grades of C- or higher



- Minimum test scores as follows:
  - TOEFL Internet Based Test (IBT): 71 overall, minimum 15 reading and 15 writing
  - TOEFL Paper Based Test (PBT): 527
  - IELTS score of 6.0 overall with 6.0 in reading and 6.0 in writing

This collaborative agreement will be reviewed by both institutions annually to acknowledge any changes in curriculum or requirements. Both PSU and BC understand the complexities of transferring between institutions and value the importance of global connections for students and institutions.

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1/26/17  
Date

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