



# BECOMING A TIGER

New Student Checklist

Everything you need to know from Interested to First Week of School

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APPLY	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>APPLY</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Create an account on Washington Community and Technical Colleges site to make a profile</a></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Use profile to apply to Seattle Central via Washington Community and Technical Colleges site</a>  <i>NOTE: If you're applying for Financial Aid, your program must be something other than undecided</i>  <i>*If you're not sure what program you want to study, choose AA-DTA (Associate of Arts Degree)</i>  <i>*You may return to the Washington CTC site to check your application status</i>  <i>*Expect your application to be processed within 5 business days after applying</i></li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>ONCE ADMITTED</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Read the "Welcome to Seattle Central College!" email from <a href="mailto:admissions.central@seattlecolleges.edu">admissions.central@seattlecolleges.edu</a>  <i>*You may need to check your spam folder</i></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Record your ctclink ID from the "Welcome" email: _____  <i>*This is your student ID number (A.K.A. EMPLID) that is assigned to you. It begins with a 1 or 2.</i></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Complete the New Student Intake Survey</a>  <i>*This survey will allow Central staff to send you tailored resources to meet your needs</i></li> </ul>									
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## PAY & PREPARE

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- [Pay for your classes](#)
- [Confirm when and where your classes are happening](#)
- [Locate and review all your classes' syllabi in Canvas](#)
  - \*Syllabi are typically in Canvas 1-2 weeks before classes begin
- [Purchase books and supplies you need for classes](#)
  - \*New and used paper and e-books are available from the campus bookstore to rent or buy
- [Learn your options for commuting to campus](#)
- [Get your Seattle Central Photo I.D. card](#)

Tuition Office	206.934.4108
<a href="mailto:Cashier.Central@seattlecolleges.edu">Cashier.Central@seattlecolleges.edu</a>	

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## GET CONNECTED

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- [Complete New Student Orientation](#)
- If you don't know what you want to study or don't know what career you're interested in:
  - [Visit the Career Center or talk to a counselor](#)
  - [Attend a tour or information session about a program of interest](#)
- [Explore what Central campus and neighborhood has to offer](#)
- [Review TRIO requirements and see if you are eligible to meet with a TRIO Advisor](#)
- [Review Umoja requirements and see if you are eligible to apply](#)
- [Review Central's additional student services to see if any of these communities are for you](#)
- [Review Central's student support programs to see if there are resources for you](#)
- [Review student organizations and clubs to connect with other students](#)
- Know your additional academic success resources
  - [Library Services](#)
  - [Tutoring Support](#)
  - [MESA \(Math, Engineering, Science Achievement\) Program](#)
  - [STEM Core](#)
- [Download the SeaCentral App to connect with other students](#)

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