

**INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATIVE EDUCATIONAL SERVICES  
FOR VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL AND BASIC EDUCATION  
2020-2022**

This agreement is hereby entered into by and between Renton Technical College, King County, Washington, hereinafter referred to as the “College”, and the Washington State School district listed below, hereinafter referred to as the “District”:

Issaquah School District

The purpose of this agreement is to utilize interlocal cooperation, as authorized by RCW 28A.150.275, RCW 28B.50.533 and WAC 392-121-187, or any new statutory authority that may be created during the period of this agreement, to provide vocational-technical and basic educational programs not otherwise available and to avoid duplication of specialized programs and facilities. These objectives will be achieved by the following described cooperative program:

The general purpose of this cooperative shall be to provide vocational-technical educational programs and services, and such basic education services as are necessary to complete simultaneously the high school diploma.

Enrollment for each academic year is limited to students previously enrolled in RTC’s Open Doors program and a cap of 20 additional new enrollments. Students selected as new enrollments will be monitored and approved by the District by way of the attendance variance release form. Students must complete RTC’s attendance variance release form, signed by the designated school district official for enrollment. No additional students beyond these outlined will be enrolled unless, otherwise, agreed upon by both parties in an amendment to this agreement.

An eligible student is at least sixteen and, as of the beginning of the school year, is not yet twenty-one years of age. They have not yet earned the credits required for, or received, a high school diploma or fulfilled the requirements of their individual education program. Eligibility shall be established by the District. Qualification for admission into the College program shall be determined by the College.. A copy will be sent to the school district.

The college will not bill the resident district for any excess costs incurred in providing vocational-technical or basic education programs and services to high school students of the resident district. The college will directly bill the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of RCW 28A.150.275, and will provide monthly reports to the resident district in accordance with WAC 392-121-187 or any new statutory authority that may be created during the period of this agreement. This agreement does not apply to Running Start enrollments.

The resident district will not bill the college for any costs incurred as a result of the college providing vocational-technical or basic education programs and services to high school students of the resident district.

The resident district retains all responsibility for any special education services needed by resident district students attending Renton Technical College.

Each party to this agreement acknowledges that entering into this interlocal cooperative arrangement may result in financial commitments by other parties to this agreement. Each party further acknowledges that while the agreement is for the term provided herein, program development is continuous and long-range planning is a requisite, and entering into this agreement may carry implications for succeeding school years. Therefore, each party agrees to notify the other by April 15 if the party decides to terminate the agreement in any year prior to its expiration. The parties agree this agreement may be terminated at any time with the consent of the other party.

This agreement is for a two year term.

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Signature and Date

Jacob Kuper: Chief Financie & Operations Officer  
Issaquah School District

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Signature and Date

Kevin D. McCarthy: President  
Renton Technical College