Washington College Grant – Apprenticeship (WCG-A) Sponsor Application to Participate



Applicant Information	
Sponsoring Program	
Tax ID Number (TIN)	
Statewide Vendor Number Required	
Mailing Address Street	
City, State, Zip	
Contact Name	
Phone Number Include area code	
Email Address	

Required Materials

In order to begin the initial evaluation, please submit the following documentation:

- Procedures and controls for data collection
- Average supplemental instructional/tuition costs and equipment/supply costs, by program
- Program staff and qualifications
- Most recent completed state auditors or business plan (evidence of financial capacity)

Submit this application and required materials by mail or email to: Washington College Grant – Apprenticeship Program Washington Student Achievement Council PO Box 43430 Olympia, WA 98504-3430 apprenticship@wsac.wa.gov

Additional Information

This application is required for registered apprenticeship sponsors seeking to participate in the Washington College Grant – Apprenticeship (WCG-A) program under RCW 28B.92.200. All applying sponsors must be registered with and approved by the <u>Washington State</u> <u>Apprenticeship & Training Council</u> and cannot be in probationary status.

The WCG-A program is administered by the Washington Student Achievement Council (WSAC). Direct questions to <u>apprenticship@wsac.wa.gov</u> or 888.535.0747, option 3.

Process Overview

Sponsor Approval Process

- 1. WSAC staff review initial application materials includes:
 - Questions regarding materials
 - Requests for additional or clarifying information
 - Contact with Labor & Industries
 - Possible review of independent Washington certified public accounts
- 2. Sponsors receive further evaluation and training may include:
 - Site visits
 - Review of sponsor's policies and procedures
 - Discussion of state program mechanics
 - Training for awards processing
 - Verification of additional administrative capabilities, such as:
 - Separation of duties in terms of apprentice eligibility determinations
 - Awarding procedures
 - Reporting requirements
 - Repayment obligations

Apprentice Approval & Payment

- 1. Apprentices submit application to sponsors: Sponsors will determine individual eligibility based on apprentice's financial information.
- 2. Sponsors distribute funds: WSAC pays participating programs. Sponsors then pay apprentices.