

SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of our alternative schools is to provide the students and families of Highline high-quality learning options in creative academic structures that are personalized and flexible to meet the needs of every child and family.

CONTACT INFORMATION

New Start at Salmon Creek
614 Southwest 120th Street
Seattle, WA 98146

The Highline CHOICE Academy at Woodside
18367 - 8th Avenue South
Burien, WA 98146

The Highline Homeschool Center at Woodside
18367 - 8th Avenue South
Burien, WA 98148

New Start

Office hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
School hours: 9:00 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.
Phone: 206-433-8760
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CHOICE

Office hours: 7:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. M -Th
School hours: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. M -Th
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. F

For academic assistance

Phone: 206-631-7630
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Homeschool

Office hours: 12:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Th
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Grades:

New Start 9-12
CHOICE 7-12

Enrollment:

New Start - 131
CHOICE - 60
Homeschool - Approximately 40

Facility: New Start occupies a building on the Salmon Creek site. The facilities were built in 1955 and 1957. CHOICE and Homeschool are located at the district's Woodside site, which was built in 1960 and 1966.

To view Enrollment Statistics, Demographics, and State Test Scores, please visit:

<http://reportcard.ospi.k12.wa.us>

Select: Highline School District

Select: New Start or CHOICE Academy

Free access to the internet is available at all public libraries.

PLANS FOR 2011-12

New Start High School

- Implementation of Response to Instruction (RTI) will include new testing, curricula, and intervention classes. All students will be screened for basic reading skills and supported through additional targeted instruction.
- Implementation of Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBIS) including new student incentives and intervention supports for student socio-emotional well being and success at school.
- Will increase college awareness and preparedness with college events and Navigation 101 curriculum in Advisory.

Highline CHOICE Academy

- Will expand to serve over 80 students grades 7 - 12. Add a new math teacher and use district-adopted curriculum and frameworks for instruction.
- Implementation of PBIS with new student incentives and intervention supports for student socio-emotional well being and success at school.
- Implementation of Response to Instruction (RTI) including student-skill screening and progress monitoring to ensure students are learning at grade levels and provided necessary supports.
- Increase college awareness and preparedness with college events and Navigation 101 curriculum in Advisory.
- With student population growth, parent engagement and involvement will increase dramatically bringing more family resources, talents, and skills to support the small learning community of Highline CHOICE Academy.

HIGHLIGHTS FROM 2010-11

New Start High School

- Became fully accredited and was recognized by the Washington State Committee of the Northwest Accreditation Commission (NAC).
- Math scores showed significant gains increasing 50% to match district and state averages.
- Started Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBIS) identifying Responsibility, Respect, and Dedication as the universal expectations.
- Advisory program used Washington State endorsed Navigation 101 Online to increase college and career awareness and preparation.
- Engaged in new partnerships with the City of Burien and Sound Experience exposing students to exciting and expanded environmental learning projects.
- New Start science teacher named Outstanding Teacher of the Year for the district.
- Graduated over 35 at-risk youth who have been out of school for significant amounts of time. The largest graduating class yet for New Start.

Highline CHOICE Academy

- Was recognized by the Center for Educational Effectiveness (CEE) as a "School of Distinction" in Washington State. The award was for increased performance scores in reading and writing.
- Became fully accredited and recognized by the Washington State Committee of the Northwest Accreditation Commission (NAC).
- Introduced Positive Behavior Intervention Support (PBIS) identifying Responsibility, Respect, and Excellence as the universal expectations.
- Student performance scores saw increases in 7th-grade math, 8th-grade science, and 10th-grade reading.
- Advisory program adopted Washington State endorsed Navigation 101 Online to increase college and career awareness and preparation.

INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE

At Highline Public Schools, we believe the education of children is a joint responsibility. Good communication and collaboration between our schools and parents, families, and the community are essential to improved student achievement. Families and community members are encouraged to participate in school activities.

ENROLLMENT CATEGORY BY GRADE

New Start	09	10	11	12	TOTAL
Regular Education	25	23	20	26	94
Special Education	12	5	6	14	37
Total	37	28	26	40	131

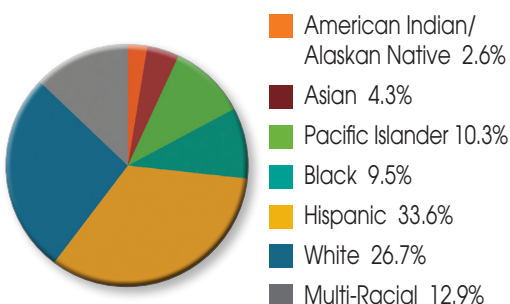
English Language Learners*
*Included in counts above
Free and reduced lunch 77% *Data: May 2011*

ENROLLMENT CATEGORY BY GRADE

CHOICE	07	08	09	10	11	12	TOTAL
Regular Education	13	11	11	9	4	4	52
Special Education	2	2	2	1	1	1	8
Total	15	11	13	11	5	5	60

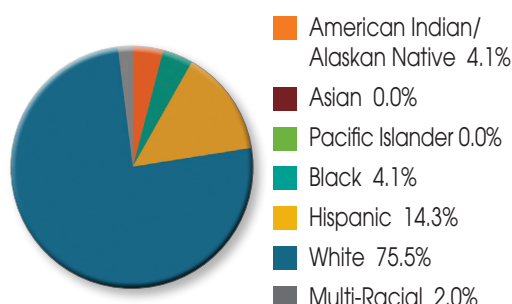
Free and reduced lunch 23% *Data: May 2011*

WHO WE ARE AT NEW START HIGH SCHOOL



Data: October 2010

WHO WE ARE AT HIGHLINE CHOICE ACADEMY



Data: October 2010

HOW HIGHLINE DISTRICT DOLLARS ARE INVESTED

PER PUPIL SPENDING FOR 2010-11 WAS \$10,107.92

