

Summer Springboard @ University of Washington Foster School of Business Infosheet

New student admissions for
Summer 2026 are open



Academic Course:

- Business and Leadership
- Husky Start-Up Bootcamp for Youth



Program Excursions Include:

- Academic Excursions to businesses and companies in Seattle and surrounding area
- University of Washington Campus Tour
- Bowling and Games at Husky Student Union
- Pike Place Market *
- Museum of Pop Culture *
- Seattle Ferry Cruise *
- Wild Waves Water and Theme Park *

*Commuter students can purchase a weekend add-on to join these excursions



About

The University of Washington Foster School of Business is one of the nation's leading business schools, consistently ranked among the top public programs by U.S. News & World Report. Foster is known for producing innovative, principled, and globally minded leaders.

Located in the heart of Seattle, a city known for its tech and entrepreneurial spirit, the school connects students with world-class companies and industry leaders.

For rising sophomores, juniors, seniors, and high school graduates of the class of 2026, this UW Foster program offers hands-on learning, leadership development, and mentorship in a supportive, collaborative environment. It's an incredible opportunity to experience college life and explore your passion for business.

Session Dates

- July 5 - July 17: Business and Leadership
- July 19 - July 25: Business Start-Up Bootcamp



Tuition Information:

Residential Students

- **Includes:** all meals, lodging, excursions, academic course, weekend excursions
- **Excludes:** optional airport pickup and drop-off service (available for an additional fee)
- **Prices:**
 - Business and Leadership: \$7,498
 - Business Start-Up Bootcamp: \$4,298

Commuter Students

- **Includes:** lunch, academic course, excursions, programming from 9am to 5pm, Monday - Friday
- **Excludes:** lodging, breakfast, dinner, weekend excursions
 - Weekend excursions can be added on for \$125 per day
- **Prices:**
 - Business and Leadership: \$4,498
 - Business Start-Up Bootcamp: \$2,998

Supplements

- Application fee: Starting at \$99 (mandatory, nonrefundable)
- Tuition Protection Plan: Allows for cancellation for any reason up until the day of the program. Click [here](#) for more info.

[More info on Airport Transfer](#)

[More info on Unaccompanied Minor Service](#)

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Student Life

Experience student life with your peers in the vibrant residential communities at the University of Washington, located in the beautiful Pacific Northwest surrounded by stunning views of the Cascade Mountains, Lake Washington, and Mount Rainier. Seattle offers one of the most stunning settings in the country, with access to both city life and nature.



Lodging and Meals

Students will live in a modern and newly renovated residential dorm at the University of Washington, sharing a dorm room with one roommate and having an en-suite bathroom. Rooms are furnished with twin size beds, desks, chairs, small dressers, mirrors, and standalone wardrobe closets. Summer Springboard Team Members live on the floors, ready to assist with anything you may need during your stay.



College Readiness Workshops

- Developing Leadership
- Mastering Money
- Prepping for College & Career
- Speaking with Confidence



Students Will Earn:

- Business and Leadership: successful completion of a case study, earning them a competitive edge on college applications
- Business Start-Up Bootcamp: successful completion of a start-up pitch, developing valuable skills
- A Letter of Participation from an active UW Foster School of Business professor
- A certificate of completion from SSB



Requirements

- Students must be rising 10th, 11th, or 12th graders or a high school graduate of the class of 2026
- A grade point average of 3.0 (or equivalent)

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