

Developed by industry, the
Core Plus Aerospace curriculum
includes 1,080 hours of
instruction and hands-on
learning opportunities that
prepare Washington high school
students for aligned post-high
school training and college
programs, apprenticeships, and
manufacturing careers. Core Plus
Aerospace students graduate with
options.

Students learn the common elements and practice the culture of Quality Management Systems (QMS), which document and analyze every step of a system so as to improve quality and increase customer satisfaction. Students write and analyze Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), a set of instructions or steps for completing job tasks that help maintain a safe work environment. In addition, students learn about the ISO 9000 family of QMS standards that help organizations ensure they meet customer and stakeholder needs, as well as statutory and regulatory requirements.

DEVELOPING REAL-WORLD SKILLS

Among many skills, students learn to:

- Define QMS and describe the "enterprise level" of QMS.
- Explain the hierarchy of a manufacturing production order.
- Identify and document a standardized process in their environment.
- Demonstrate knowledge of SOPs.
- Define Root Cause Analysis in fundamental terms.

CONNECTING TO WASHINGTON STATE LEARNING STANDARDS

Among many standards covered, Core Plus Aerospace students learn to:

- · Reason abstractly and quantitatively.
- Summarize, represent, and interpret data on a single count or measurement variable.
- Interpret differences in shape, center, and spread in the context of the data sets, accounting for possible effects of outliers.
- Make inferences and justify conclusions from sample surveys, experiments, and observational studies.







