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More information: Sondra Wilson sondra.wilson@seattlecolleges.edu (206) 934-4627
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NSCC nursing instructors are very helpful, supportive and up-to-date with current knowledge of healthcare. I recommend North’s program over any other community college nursing school.

—Holly Smith, RN

Student Coins Message for Spring Enrollment Campaign

Success suits you – come try it on!

Did you notice this message on Seattle billboards, Metro buses or on KING5.com in March? Student Lyndsey Thompson won the winning copy, in a competition sponsored by the Public Information Office. More than 200 students, faculty and staff submitted over 450 entries, trying to best capture North’s uniqueness in seven words or less. As the winner, Lyndsey received a check for $250.

Lyndsey shares her story: “from a fledgling scholar [in Running Start] to an industry specialist [taking classes to prepare for the CPA exam], the diverse opportunities offered here have helped me achieve success at every step. My hope is to encourage others, from all walks of life and in any stage of their personal or professional development, to come try on a custom-tailored program to enrich their lives. Because, really, sometimes all it takes is a look in the mirror to see a reflection of success!”

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