DUAL ENROLLMENT
WHAT IS DUAL ENROLLMENT?

• Dual Enrollment is a way to get both high school credit and college credit for a class you take in college.

• Example: ENC1101 – English Composition – a three credit hour required college course for all State Colleges and State Universities in Florida counts as one credit of high school English at high school and toward your college degree.
WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS?

• Students can dual enroll in 6th – 12th grade

• Students must have completed at least one high school level course and have a minimum 3.0 cumulative, unweighted High School GPA for College programs

• 2.0 cumulative, unweighted High School GPA for Vocational Programs.

• Required SAT, ACT, or P.E.R.T scores for College Credit (can use combination), TABE scores for Vocational Programs.
MAJOR

• Dual enrolled students must declare a major and take classes toward the major.

• AA seeking students will be required to declare an intended transfer school/major by the time the student has completed 30 credits.
STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

• Students with Disabilities are required to meet the same Admissions standards as other students.

• If accommodations are needed it is the student’s responsibility to register with Student Disability Services. They will be provided accommodations in accordance with College Disability laws.
WHAT PROGRAMS ARE AVAILABLE FOR DUAL ENROLLMENT

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE

Students are required to take General Education before electives unless the course is required for high school graduation or a pre-requisite to their transfer University major.
• ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE PROGRAMS

- Accounting Technology
- Architectural and Building Technology
- Broadcast TV Production
- Computer Engineering Technology
- Computer Information Technology
- Computer Programming and Analysis
- Culinary Management
- Drafting and Design (CAD)
- Early Childhood Education
- Electronics Engineering Technology
- Engineering Technology
- Hospitality Management
- Interior Design Technology
- Networking Services Technology
- Office Administration
- Paralegal Studies
- Simulation and Robotics Technology
COLLEGE CREDIT CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

- Accounting Technology Management
- Accounting Technology Operations (Tax)
- Advanced Network Infrastructure
- Applied Technology Specialist
- AutoCAD Foundations
- Broadcast TV Productions
- Cable Installation
- Computer Aided Design and Drafting
- Computer Programming
- Culinary Arts
- Drafting and Design Technology
- Engineering Technology Support Specialist
- Information Technology Administration
- Information Technology Analysis
- Information Technology Support Specialist
- Information Technology Administration
- Information Technology Analysis
- Microcomputer Repair/Installer
- Network Communications (LAN)
- Network Communications (WAN)
- Network Infrastructure
- Network Server Administration
- Network Support Technician
- Office Administration
- Web Development Specialist
- Wireless Communication
VOCATIONAL CERTIFICATES

• Air Conditioning, Refrigeration and Heating Mechanic
• Air Conditioning, Refrigeration and Heating Technology
• Automotive Collision, Repair and Refinishing
• Automotive Service Technology
• Baking and Pastry
• Barbering
• Building Trades and Construction Design Technology
• Cosmetology
• Machining
• Welding Technology
IMPORTANT

• Students who want to do Cosmetology and Barbering are required to purchase their own kits. The kits cost: $469.56 for Cosmetology and $527.96
BACHELOR’S DEGREES

Dual Enrolled students are permitted to enroll in a Bachelor’s program if they meet the Admissions Requirements.
TRANSCRIPTS

- All dual enrollment classes count toward both high school and college graduation and are put on both transcripts.
- Courses are weighted on the high school transcript the same as IB and AP courses.
- Like all other students, we don’t take the class off the transcript because the student earned a bad grade.
- Students may file an appeal the same as other students if there are extenuating circumstances. Documentation is required.
ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Permission from:

• Parent/legal guardian
• High school counselor/designee
• Daytona State College Academic Advisor

Students need to be mature enough to work without constant supervision. Remember, any grade the student earns in a Dual Enrollment class counts toward both the college and high school GPA. The grade earned becomes a permanent part of the student’s college transcript.
TESTING RULES

- **Post-Secondary Readiness Test (P.E.R.T.)** – Students may have no more than Three attempts taking the P.E.R.T. at the college.

- **Initial Test** - Can be taken at the college

- **Retest** – All students must attend at least one semester of high school between attempts. A retest form from an Academic Advisor will be required for the retest.
Dual Enrollment students may only take courses that are required for both their high school diploma and college degree or certificate.
DE RULES

• Students may not attempt any course more than 2 times (a withdraw is an attempt)

• Dual Enrolled students are required to follow the same Academic Calendar as adult students

• Students who earn a D or F grade must repeat the course in the next semester and earn a C or better to be eligible to continue in Dual Enrollment. More than one D/F student will repeat one course at a time and must continue to earn a C or better.
DE RULES

• Students must maintain a 3.0 or higher cumulative, Unweighted, high school GPA to continue to dual enroll.

• Students must maintain a 2.0 or higher cumulative DSC GPA to be permitted to dual enroll. The college GPA requirement can be waived in the first semester only.

• DE Students are not eligible for Developmental courses of any kind (including the 1 credit labs)

• DE students cannot take any course that is less than three credit hours.
- Dual enrolled students may take 15 total college credit hours per semester in the fall and spring.

- Students with a 3.0 or higher DSC GPA can take 16 credits in a fall or spring semester.

- Graduating high school seniors can take up to 18 credits in the spring of their graduating year IF it will allow them to complete their degree in that semester.

- In the summer semester students are limited to no more than 2 classes in each six week semester for a total of no more than 14 credit hours. Most college classes are 3 credit hours and we allowed 2 extra for labs.
ONLINE COURSES

Dual Enrollment students are permitted to take two online college courses in each 15 week college semester at Daytona State.

Students can take up to five hybrid courses.
BEHAVIORAL REQUIREMENTS

The following behavioral requirement is in F.S. 1007.271(3)

Regardless of meeting student eligibility requirements for continued enrollment, a student may lose the opportunity to participate in a dual enrollment course if the student is disruptive to the learning process such that the progress of other students or the efficient administration of the course is hindered. Students in these situations will also be subject to the college disciplinary process.
COURSE MATERIALS

• While appropriate for college-level study, course materials and class discussions may reflect topics not typically included in secondary courses which some parents may object to for minors. Courses will not be modified to accommodate variations in student age and/or maturity.
“if the student is projected to graduate from high school before the scheduled completion date of a postsecondary course, the student may not register for that course through dual enrollment.”

At DSC this means students who are graduating from high school in June may not dual enroll in summer courses.
ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS

• The College is required to renew the articulation agreement with the school districts in our service area every summer and submit to the state in August.

• The college requires all Private Schools to have an articulation agreement with us before their students can dual enroll.

• Home school students must have an individual articulation agreement in place with the college.
COST

• The college NEVER charges dual enrollment students for tuition or fees.

• The statute requires that the school districts pay $71.98 per credit hour for dual enrollment students on the college campus. The college has an agreement with the districts that we pay 33% of that back for administrative costs.

• The college requires Private schools to pay $71.98 for dual enrollment on the college campus.

• Home school students do not pay for dual enrollment.
THE PROCESS FOR DUAL ENROLLMENT

- Public School
- Private School
- Home School
BOOKS

• Public School Students will get books from their high school. The books must be returned at the end of the semester.

• Private and Homeschool students are required to purchase their own textbooks.

• Other items needed for a class such as tools, kits, uniforms, etc. must be purchased by the student.
Neither the college nor the school district are required to provide transportation for dual enrollment students.
WEBSITE

Additional information including copies of the Articulation agreements can be found at:

http://www.daytonastate.edu/advising/

There is a link on the left to Dual Enrollment

Any Questions?
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Flagler/Palm Coast           (386) 246-4845
## DAYTONA STATE COLLEGE
### ACADEMIC CALENDAR
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### DUAL ENROLLMENT

Dual enrollment is authorized under Florida Statute 1007.271 as an articulated acceleration mechanism. Dual enrollment requires a reciprocal agreement between a college and a school district for students to attend college classes to receive credit both at the high school level and at the college level. While not for every student, the dual enrollment program is designed to meet the needs of the academically motivated, socially mature student.

### REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION

1. The student must be enrolled in Volusia or Flagler Public schools or an approved private school. Home school students may also dual enroll however they must be registered with the school district as a home school student.

   Students enrolling in **A.A. degree or A.S. degree** courses must have a cumulative unweighted minimum grade point average (GPA) of **3.0** in regular or advanced high school level courses.

2. Students enrolling in **vocational certificate courses** must have a minimum cumulative unweighted GPA of **2.0** in regular or advanced high school level courses and have sufficient emotional maturity and study habits to benefit from the program. Students must declare their intent to complete a specific career and technical education program. A list of approved programs can be found on pages 8-9 of this document.

3. Students must take the appropriate portion(s) of the Post-Secondary Readiness Test (P.E.R.T.) to enroll in A.A., A.S., or College Credit Certificate courses, or the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE) for vocational certificate courses, and demonstrate achievement at norms established as a prerequisite for the
type of course requested. Students may also qualify by taking and meeting course specific standards on the SAT or ACT.

4. Students may enroll in Student Success (SLS 1122) with a minimum GPA of 2.5 GPA and a P.E.R.T. score of 84 or higher on Reading and 90 or higher on Writing.

5. All college credits earned through the dual enrollment program prior to graduation from high school will be recorded on the student’s permanent academic record (transcript) at DSC. It is important to be aware that dual enrollment can affect a student’s eligibility for future financial aid. Students who fail, withdraw, or take classes they do not need may not be eligible for financial aid upon high school graduation.

6. Students must declare a major on the dual enrollment form. Students may only take classes required for their declared major. Students in an Associate of Arts program must complete the General Education requirements and any pre-requisite course(s) needed to transfer into their intended bachelor’s degree program before they will be permitted to take other elective courses.

 Daytona State College
Dual Enrollment Test/Retest Rules

DSC limits all students to three P.E.R.T. attempts which are used for college credit programs, and the Test of Adult Basic Education (TABE) which is used for Vocational programs.

- Students will be limited to three attempts taking the P.E.R.T. at the college and must wait at least one high school semester between attempts. The student must bring identification to test at the college.

- If a student scores within five points of the required P.E.R.T. score he or she can appeal to the DSC Director of Dual Enrollment for permission to immediately retest at the college.

- Students may appeal to the Director of Dual Enrollment for permission to take the P.E.R.T for a fourth time at the college.

- Test attempts at the high school will be in accordance with Volusia School District rules.

Students who take the P.E.R.T. on their high school campus are permitted to use the test scores for dual enrollment purposes.
A.A. DEGREE PROGRAMS

According to the articulation agreement among all Florida public institutions of higher education, students who receive an A.A. degree from Daytona State College have met the general education requirements for admission to the state’s upper division public institutions. Although an A.A. degree guarantees admission to a Florida public institution, it does not guarantee acceptance to specific university or a university’s selected, special or limited access programs. Associate of Arts Degree recipients will have to compete on the same basis as students already enrolled at the institutions for admission to these programs. For further information regarding an A.A. Degree at DSC, please refer to their current college catalog.

NOTE: Students who earn their A.A. degree before or at the same time as high school graduation must apply to the state university as a freshman and meet freshman entrance requirements including required SAT/ACT scores and competitive high school and college GPA’s.

If students do not have competitive GPA’s or SAT/ACT scores, the college recommends that they not complete their A.A. degree while still in high school. Students who take at least 12 credit hours AFTER high school graduation can apply to the state universities as transfer students.

RESTRICTIONS

- Students may register for a maximum of two totally on-line courses at DSC per 15-week semester.
- Students may not enroll in college preparatory courses.
- Vocational courses must be part of the high school student’s approved certificate program. Singular vocational course offerings will not be approved.
- Students may enroll in up to 15 credit hours per semester at DSC during the fall and spring semesters. Students may take an additional one credit hour per semester for any needed lab if their cumulative college GPA is 3.0 or above. In addition, graduating seniors may take up to 18 credit hours in the spring semester of their graduating year if the extra class allows them to complete their degree. Students must be enrolled in a minimum of one course at their high school.
- During the summer semester, students may take no more than 14 credit hours (2 classes in the “A” term, 2 two classes in “B” term, and 2 extra credit hours for labs, if needed). Ten week courses will be counted as “A” term credits. Parents and students should take into consideration the length of the course and understand that the same information is condensed into a shorter time period during the summer.
ONLINE COURSES

Online courses at the college are different than the online courses students take through Florida Virtual School and/or Volusia Virtual. It is recommended that students refer to the following webpage to determine if online courses are appropriate before registering for these courses: http://online.daytonastate.edu/students/index.html. Students should also follow the steps listed on the website to be sure they are ready for their online course.

RIGOR OF COLLEGE COURSES

Students and parents should understand that dual enrollment courses are college courses and the same guidelines apply for both dual enrolled students and DSC adult students. This is mandatory, in order to comply with state regulations and the Southern Association of Colleges (SAC) accreditation requirements. Students are required to comply with the course syllabus, assignment deadlines and attendance policies as stated in the syllabus; absences such as school sports events, band trips, family trips, etc. are not exempt from attendance requirements.

Grades earned by dual enrolled students become a permanent part of both the high school and college transcript and are weighted on the high school transcript the same as IB and AP courses.

While appropriate for college-level study, course materials and class discussions may reflect topics not typically included in high school classes. Courses will not be modified to accommodate variations in student age and/or maturity.

ATTENDANCE

Students are expected to actively participate and abide by both high school and college attendance policies. Students are expected to attend every class session. Students who have a planned vacation during a specific semester should not register for a college course during that semester. Each instructor will explain his/her attendance policy in the syllabus and will grade students in accordance with those policies.

CONTINUED DUAL ENROLLMENT

1. Students will be awarded high school and college credit as stated in the list of approved courses for dual-enrollment. This list can be found at: http://www.flvc.org.

2. Students must maintain a minimum 3.0 cumulative, unweighted high school GPA (2.0 for Career/Vocational) to continue to participate in the dual enrollment program. There are absolutely no GPA exemptions for the high school GPA requirement.

3. Dual enrolled students must maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative college GPA in order to continue participating in dual enrollment.
4. Students who earn a grade of “F” or “FN” will be required to repeat the course in which he/she earned the “F” or “FN” grade during the subsequent semester. Students will not be permitted to take other courses during this semester. Students must have a 3.0 or higher unweighted, cumulative high school GPA in order to be eligible to repeat the course. Students must also meet the DSC 2.0 cumulative GPA requirement.

5. Students may not attempt any college course more than twice (a withdraw counts as an attempt).

6. Students who earn a “D” in a course, but still meet the GPA requirements for both high school (unweighted, cumulative 3.0) and college (cumulative 2.0), are required to repeat the course in which they earned a “D” grade; however they may only enroll in that course during the following semester. Students who earn a “D” during their first semester of dual enrollment are exempt from the college GPA requirement for that semester only. The student must meet the high school GPA requirement to be permitted to repeat the course.

7. Students who have graduated from high school or who are on track to graduate before the completion of the dual enrollment course are not eligible to participate in the dual enrollment program.

8. Dual enrolled students must request to withdrawal if they do not wish to complete their dual enrollment course. This must take place within the dates designated by the college each semester for withdrawing without a grade penalty. **The high school counselor must sign the withdrawal form. Withdrawal deadlines are posted in the DSC academic calendar. Students must be present at the college to withdraw from a course.**

9. The following behavioral requirement is addressed in F.S. 1007.271(3) …”Regardless of meeting student eligibility requirements for continued enrollment, a student may lose the opportunity to participate in a dual enrollment course if the student is disruptive to the learning process such that the progress of other students or the efficient administration of the course is hindered”.

10. Some private or out of state colleges or universities may not accept dual enrollment credit. Students should check with the admissions office of the college they plan to attend to determine if their dual enrollment credit will be accepted.

11. The DSC dual enrollment office must receive the dual-enrollment approval form **no later** than the deadline date listed on the Dual Enrollment Calendar for that term. Failure to meet this deadline may result in the student being denied access to the dual enrollment program for that semester.

12. Students who fail a course due to student illness, family emergency, etc. that may prevent the student from successfully completing the a(n) course(s) may file an appeal at the college for Administrative drop. Documentation of the circumstances will be required. See a College Academic Advisor for more information.
INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS/FEES

1. Dual enrollment students will be exempt from payment of fees for instruction at DSC if all procedures are followed properly. Kits, equipment, and tools that are kept by the students must be purchased by the students.

2. **Cosmetology and Barbering kits cost $527.96 for Barbering and $469.56 for Cosmetology. Students must purchase their own kits.** The college will apply the fee to the student’s account in his or her first semester in the program.

3. Public school students will receive their books from the high school. Private and home school students are required to purchase their own textbooks.

4. Students must obtain a DSC photo ID from the DSC Campus Safety Office before taking their book voucher to the DSC Bookstore to pick up their books.

TRANSPORTATION

Students and/or parents/legal guardians will provide all transportation and accept all liability for transportation while taking dual enrollment courses at a DSC campus, or any other site away from the student’s home campus.

VOCATIONAL CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

- Vocational dual enrollment shall be available for secondary students seeking a degree or certificate from a completed job-preparatory program, but students shall not enroll in isolated vocational courses.

- Students enrolled in specific vocational courses must be informed that these credits may not count in another program area if they change their major.

HOW TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN DUAL ENROLLMENT

Students who take classes through the Dual Enrollment program are in actual college classes. They are not easier for Dual Enrollment students because the student is still in high school. The State of Florida and the college’s accreditation agency require all students to be held to the same requirements.

Dual Enrollment requires students to be self-motivated. College is a very different environment than high school. **Students must:**

a. **Make sure you are on time for class, stay the entire class, and attend all sessions.** College instructors have attendance policies and missing class may negatively impact student’s grade (regardless of the reason for the absence or tardiness).

b. **Maintain regular communication with your instructor.**
c. **Realize that College instructors do not necessarily allow make-up work for assignments or tests missed.** Missed work may mean a “0” for that assignment. Very few instructors provide opportunities for make-up work and if they do, it usually comes with a penalty (i.e. ½ credit for the assignment or test).

d. **Read your syllabus and follow the instructions.** This is the document that contains information about what is expected in the class. Keep a copy of it in your binder so you can refer back to it when needed.

e. **Read the material assigned by the instructor.**

f. **Make sure you have enough time to study.** National statistics show that successful students study 2-3 hours per week for every one credit hour of the course. That means 4-6 hours of homework/reading/study time per week besides class time. Some classes may take more time and some may take less time.

g. **Complete your homework and turn it in ON TIME.** Most college instructors do not accept late assignments even if your mom or dad call the instructor. You will be treated like every other student in class.

h. **Pay attention!** Do not talk with your friends, text, surf the internet, etc. during class.

i. **If you are required to do work on the internet** and you cannot log in or you are having problems call the help desk. The number is listed on the log in page.

j. **If you need help ask!** All instructors have office hours and students can meet with the instructor during their office hours.

The college falls under a different set of privacy laws than the high schools. Once the student is in our system as a college student, we cannot give any information to the parent about the student’s records and faculty members cannot give information to the parent about how the student is doing in the class. **This applies regardless of the student’s age.** In addition, the student must be present for all enrollment processes: admissions, registration, and all schedule changes. **Parents cannot process forms without the student being present.** Parents are not permitted to sit in the classroom with their child.

**While Daytona State College strives to provide a safe learning environment for our students please be aware that this is a public institution and as such our campuses are open to the public. Unlike high schools, the college cannot restrict access to our campuses and we do not do background checks on our students. Dual Enrollment students are in class with a diverse group of students and will be interacting with people of various age groups.**
**DUAL ENROLLMENT PROCESS**

**Public and Private Schools/DSC Campus**

**Step 1:** The school counselor discusses the dual enrollment option with student and parent(s), explaining the advantages and disadvantages of dual enrollment.

**Step 2:** The school counselor checks to see if the student has met the cumulative, unweighted 3.0 GPA requirement for dual enrollment.

**Step 3:** The school counselor gives the Dual Enrollment Admissions Form (with GPA verified via counselor’s initials) to student. Student and parent sign the form.

**Step 4:** The student takes the form to the DSC Admissions office on the Daytona Campus or the Enrollment Services Office on any DSC Regional Campus. The student will be admitted and provided with a DSC ID number.

**Step 5:** If the student does not have acceptable ACT, SAT, or P.E.R.T. scores, he/she will be sent to the DSC Assessment office to take the P.E.R.T. **NOTE:** The student must have a copy of his/her DSC Admissions form and a valid photo ID in order to take the P.E.R.T.

**Step 6:** If the student has acceptable test scores (SAT, ACT, P.E.R.T.), the school counselor works with the student to select appropriate courses based on what he/she needs to meet high school graduation requirements. The counselor will also check for seat availability of selected courses. The counselor will enter the courses and section numbers on the Dual Enrollment Registration Form and will sign his/her name beside each selected course.

**Step 7:** The student will then report to the DSC Academic Advising office for Academic Advising.

**Step 8:** The student will be sent to the DSC Registration Office to register for classes.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Due to college privacy regulations, the student must be present to be advised and to register. Parents are not permitted to register their child for college classes without the student present.

**Step 9:** Students apply for a parking decal, if needed. The student will need to obtain a DSC photo ID from the DSC Campus Security office.

**CONTINUING STUDENTS:** Begin the process at Step 6, above.

**NOTE:** DUAL ENROLLMENT STUDENTS ARE ELIGIBLE TO USE COLLEGE RESOURCES such as: The Academic Support Center, the Writing Center, the Library, Student Disability Services, Academic Advising, the Career Center, Student Activities/clubs, etc. Research shows that successful college students utilize available college resources. Dual enrollment students are encouraged to make full use of all available college resources.
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. Am I eligible to dual enroll?
   In order to be eligible you must:
   • Have a 3.0 unweighted cumulative GPA in high school level courses for academic dual enrollment
   • Have 3.0 unweighted cumulative GPA in high school level courses for A.S. degree or college credit certificate.
   • Have 2.0 unweighted cumulative GPA in high school level courses for vocational certificate career and technical dual enrollment
   • Meet the minimum testing requirements (PERT, SAT, ACT or TABE)

2. How do I get started with dual enrollment?
   Make an appointment with your school counselor and get a Dual Enrollment Approval Form.

3. How do I know which courses to take?
   You should discuss your courses with your school counselor. Look for courses that help you:
   • Meet your subject area requirements for graduation
   • Complete a career and technical program of study and/or
   • Count towards you’re A.A., A.S. degree

4. I’ve never dual enrolled before. Which courses should I take first?
   If you have a 3.0 GPA and meet the minimum test score requirements for academic dual enrollment, it is recommended that you take ENC 1101 (College Composition). SLS 1122 (Managing Your Success) is required in the first semester for all students in the AA program. The College Composition class is a pre-requisite for most of the AA degree courses.

5. How do I know which courses meet high school subject area requirements?
   Your school counselor has a list of which courses meet the subject area requirement and will be able to assist you with choosing courses that meet your high school graduation requirements.

6. How do I know which courses I need for DSC degrees or programs?
   The requirements for the AA degree and programs at DSC can be found in the DSC catalog at http://www.daytonastate.edu/catalog/
   The catalog also contains course descriptions with any pre-requisites required. You should also meet with an Academic Advisor at DSC and ask them to review your degree requirements. They can explain what is required for your degree and make sure you know what university pre-requisites you will need to take for transfer to your intended university and major.

7. Can Advanced Placement English substitute for ENC 1101 (College Composition) when required as a prerequisite of a course?
   If you have taken AP English and scored a 3 or higher on the AP exam, then you can substitute AP English as a prerequisite. You school Counselor will give you proof to bring to DSC when you register.
DUAL ENROLLMENT TRANSFER GUARANTEES

The dual enrollment program is an opportunity to take challenging courses and accelerate education opportunities. With hundreds of dual enrollment courses available, there is great potential to further engage and motivate students to pursue academically rigorous courses that capture their interests. Successful completion of dual enrollment courses allows eligible high school students to simultaneously earn high school core or elective credit and postsecondary credit toward a career certificate, an associate degree, or a baccalaureate degree.

Dual enrollment courses will receive the same weighting for the high school grade point average as Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), and Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) courses. In addition, dual enrollment courses that meet core state university admission requirements in English/Language Arts, Mathematics, Natural Sciences, Social Sciences, or World Languages shall receive the same weighting as AP, IB, and AICE courses in the calculation of the high school grade point average used for admission decisions.

Students should understand, however, that dual enrollment courses are college-level courses, and the amount of work and rigor of content in dual enrollment courses may be much greater than in high school courses. In addition, dual enrollment course grades become a part of a student’s permanent college transcript and are calculated into the student’s permanent postsecondary grade point average. Poor performance in dual enrollment courses may affect university admissions and financial aid. It is important to do well in these courses to realize the benefits of dual enrollment.

Course selection is important for the dual enrollment student since different programs at a college require different courses to complete the certificate or degree. By choosing courses wisely, students can reduce the time it takes to complete a program after high school graduation. Some students are even able to complete their college certificate or degree at the same time they graduate from high school. Students who don’t know what they want to study in college should consult with an advisor to consider focusing on completing general education requirements in communications, mathematics, social sciences, natural sciences, and humanities. All degree programs require general education coursework and, while there is some variation from institution to institution, there are general education courses that are common among most, if not all, institutions.

Florida dual enrollment college credit will transfer to any Florida public college or university offering the Statewide Course Numbering System course number, and must be treated as though taken at the receiving institution. However, if students do not attend the same college or university where they earned the dual enrollment credit the application of transfer credit to general education, prerequisite, and degree programs may vary at the receiving institution. Private and out-of-state colleges and universities may or may not grant college credit for courses taken through dual enrollment.

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