CCP ANNUAL INFORMATION SESSION

IN PREPARATION FOR 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR



WHAT IS COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS?

College Credit Plus is Ohio's dual credit program

- Students can earn high school and college credit at the same time
- Students enroll in college courses and adhere to the policies and requirements of the college



STUDENTS IN GRADES 7-12

- May take classes during the summer, fall, & spring semesters
- May take courses at the high school*, college campus, or online

*The option to take courses at the high school is only available if the high school has partnered with a college or university to offer college courses at the high school



STUDENTS IN GRADES 7-12

- Must complete an assessment exam and be determined "eligible" based on exam scores for College Credit Plus (ex. ACT, SAT, Accuplacer, ALEKS, etc.)
- May apply to any public college or participating private college
- May apply to multiple colleges
- Must be Ohio residents



STUDENTS IN GRADES 7-12

- May choose from a variety of college-level courses
 - As determined by placement testing & course eligibility rules
- Can earn credit to satisfy both high school and college requirements
 - 3 or more Credit Hour College Course converts to One High School Unit



HOW CAN STUDENTS PARTICIPATE?

Step 1: Eligibility

Students must meet admission requirements of the college

Step 2: College Admission

- Students must apply for admission
- Colleges have the final decision on student admission

Step 3: Course registration

If the student is considered eligible and has been admitted to the college, then the college will discuss course options with the student, based on assessment scores, prerequisites, and other requirements.

WHAT COURSES CAN A STUDENT TAKE?

CCP courses can satisfy high school graduation requirements

- School counselors can help students understand graduation requirements and CCP course substitutions
- Some high schools have more requirements for graduation than the state minimum



COURSE ELIGIBILITY RULES

- Colleges must post their Level I courses see website for details
- Once a student completes the First 15 credit hours in Level I, he or she can move to Level II courses
 - Level II courses are any other allowable college courses for which a student meets the prerequisites



COURSE ELIGIBILITY RULES

Non-allowable courses include:

- Private applied courses with one-on-one instruction (such as performing art lessons)
- Courses with high fees
- Study abroad courses
- Physical education courses
- Pass/Fail graded courses
- Remedial courses or sectarian/religious courses



WHAT ARE OTHER REQUIREMENTS?

Grades

- College Credit Plus grades earned in the college course is the same grade that will be on the high school transcript
- CCP course grades will be factored into the high school and college GPAs
- The grades that students earn will be on the students' college transcripts permanently
- **Students must earn a C or higher in order to transfer credits to a different university post graduation**



HOW MANY CLASSES CAN STUDENTS TAKE?

- Students may be enrolled in up to 30 credits per year, which includes high school courses:
- Calculation:

30 - (secondary school units x 3) = max CCP credits

- The maximum number of credits allowable for a student while participating in the program is 120
- If a student would like to go over their 30 hours, financial responsibility falls on the student.



WHAT ARE THE CONSEQUENCES OF UNDERPERFORMING?

- If students do not earn a passing grade or if they withdraw too late from college courses, the district may require students/ families* to reimburse the tuition that the district had paid
- If students fail or withdraw often, future financial aid may be also impacted negatively
 - For more information, contact the college's financial aid office for details
- If students perform poorly, they may be placed CCP Probation, CCP Dismissal or on academic probation or dismissal by the college



UNDERPERFORMING STUDENT RULES

College Credit Plus Probation

 A student will be placed on CCP probation if he or she earns less than a cumulative 2.0 GPA in CCP courses or withdraws from 2 or more courses in one academic term

While on CCP Probation, the student:

- May only enroll in one College Credit Plus course for one college term (semester or quarter)
- May not enroll in a college course in the same subject in which student previously earned D, F, NC grade (or equivalent grade)



UNDERPERFORMING STUDENT RULES

CCP Dismissal

- If students on CCP probation do not increase their CCP GPA to a 2.0 or above during the probation term, they will be placed on CCP Dismissal
- While on CCP Dismissal, students may not enroll in any College Credit Plus courses
- A student can request (appeal) to be reinstated in the program



UNDERPERFORMING STUDENT RULES

CCP Probation & Dismissal Appeals

- CCP Probation: Student may appeal to take a course in the same subject in which he or she previously earned a D, F, or received no credit
- CCP Dismissal: Within 5 days of being dismissed, the student may submit an appeal to the secondary school to appeal CCP Dismissal or the student may appeal at the end of the CCP Dismissal semester
- Each school must have a policy describing the process for appeals



WHAT ARE THE EXPENSES FOR COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS?

- At public colleges or universities, there will be no cost to the students/families for tuition, required fees, and books
- At private colleges or universities, there will be no cost to the students/families for tuition, required fees, and books AND students may be charged a small cost per credit hour
 - Check with the private college to see if they will charge this fee
- Some optional expenses are the responsibility of the student/ family (Examples: Parking and transportation)



WILL THE COURSE CREDITS TRANSFER?

- Certain general education and technical courses will transfer especially from one Ohio public college to another Ohio public college
- Students must check with colleges to confirm transferability
- Students should also visit https://transfercredit.ohio.gov for transfer information



WHAT ARE THE DEADLINES?

Check ACT and SAT testing dates

Test early to meet college/university admission deadlines (if required)

Semester deadlines

- Summer semester deadline will be early as classes usually start in May
- Check with the college for all other semester deadlines

April 1, 2023

Students must complete and return the Intent to Participate form to the school office

May 2, 2023

Students must complete their online CCP application to partnering university

*In the event that COVID-19 continues to cause disruptions, requirements may be extended or changed – see www.ohiohighered.org/ccp for the most up-to-date information

HOW DOYOU GET STARTED?

- Grades 9-11 will receive all scheduling forms between 02/22-02/24.
 - Students will receive the CCP Letter of Intent and this must be signed and turned in when they meet with Mrs. Coombs.
- Juniors will begin individual scheduling conferences with Mrs. Coombs on 02/27/23. During this conference, they will:
 - Turn in CCP Letter of Intent
 - Review transcript
 - Review completed course request form
 - Apply to CCP institution (online)

DOYOU HAVE OTHER QUESTIONS?

Visit the CCP website for additional resources:

www.ohiohighered.org/ccp

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