

Dual Enrollment

Boiling Springs High School

What is dual enrollment (DE)?

- Dual enrollment provides 11th and 12th grade students the opportunity to take college courses that satisfy high school graduation requirements and provide college credit.
- DE helps prepare you for college courses as well as giving a head start on academic and career goals before graduating high school.
- Earning college credits in high school can help create a more flexible schedule junior and senior year as well as freeing more time for academic or extracurricular interests as a future college student.

Benefits to Dual Enrollment

- Save on future college expenses – many colleges offer a discounted per-credit rate for high school dual enrolled students
- Increase your potential to graduate early from college
- Experiencing college setting and course rigor will ease the transition from high school to college
- Become familiar with the college class format and improve time management skills
- Can take college classes on campus or virtually

What next?

- Set up a meeting with your school counselor to discuss options! There are many things to consider.
 - 1. To which college do you want to apply?
 - 2. What course(s) do you want to take? Will it be replacing a high school required course or an elective?
 - 3. Will you take the course on campus or virtually?
 - 4. How will the course(s) fit into your high school course schedule?

Application Info

- Students will need to apply to college as a dual enrolled student – applications can be found online on the college's website (with the exception of HACCC – a paper copy will be provided by school counselor).
- Schools have different acceptance and placement requirements.
- Costs and fees vary and are the student's responsibility.
- Colleges have deadlines for applications and class enrollment.

Students have the responsibility to research and follow the college guidelines for their dual enrollment program.

Other Considerations

- Dual enrollment course grades are not included on high school transcript and report card.
- Dual enrollment courses are not included in high school GPA or class rank.
- Students manage their own college records (DE transcripts and transfer credits).
- If applicable, students must transport themselves to campus.