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Earn College Credit in High School!

[Dual Credit & Associate Degree Program]

Seamless Transition

Associate Degree

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In partnership with



Dual Credit **OVERVIEW**

Qualified students may be enrolled concurrently at a HSB Dallas and Collin College for specified classes noted in the HSB course catalog.

- Students in dual credit courses earn both high school and college credit.
- Students must meet Collin College admissions requirements and secure their high school counselor's approval for the dual credit courses selected.
- Students must successfully complete the Texas Success Initiative Examination (TSI) or provide proof of exemption from TSI and an
- Courses are being added each year starting in the 2017-18 school year that will allow **2020 & 2021 graduates** to earn an associate degree through Collin College while completing the requirements for a high school diploma.
- Tuition free
- Students seeking to earn an associate degree should secure academic advising provided through Collin College as well as their high school counselor to ensure their degree plan meets their needs.
- See counselors at HSB Dallas and the HSB Dallas high school course catalog for details. Additionally, if a student does not achieve a passing grade of 70 or above in the first semester of the dual credit course, the student will be required to discontinue the course and take the subsequent semester of the course at their high school campus.



- Tuition free for students and their parents benefit by significantly saving on tuition and fees, while potentially earning up to two years of college credit before graduating from high school.

Transfer **CREDITS** to **UNIVERSITY**

Collin College is regionally accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges and credits transfer to nearly any university. Students complete the first two years of their bachelor's degrees at Collin College tuition rates and begin as upper classmen at a university. Collin College pre-admission partnerships include:

Austin College
Baylor University
Dallas Baptist University
Southern Methodist University
Texas A&M University-Commerce
Texas Tech University
Texas Woman's University
Texas Wesleyan University
The University of Texas at Dallas
University of North Texas

More Information: www.collin.edu/transferu

Class of 2018

Dual Credit Options

9 th Gr Fall		9 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English I		English I	
Algebra I or Geometry		Algebra I or Geometry	
English-I EOC Lab or Elective		English-I EOC Lab or Elective	
Algebra-I EOC Lab or Elective		Algebra-I EOC Lab or Elective	
World Geography		World Geography	
Biology		Biology	
Foreign Language		Foreign Language	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
10 th Gr Fall		10 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English II		English II	
Algebra II or Geometry		Algebra II or Geometry	
English-II EOC Lab or Elective		English-II EOC Lab or Elective	
Math TSI/SAT Lab or Elective		Math TSI/SAT Lab or Elective	
World History		World History	
Chemistry		Chemistry	
Foreign Language		Foreign Language	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
11 th Gr Fall		11 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English III		English III	
Pre-Calculus		Pre-Calculus	
SAT or TSI		SAT or TSI	
Physics		Physics	
US History		US History	
Art		Art	
Elective		Elective	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
12 th Gr Fall		12 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English IV	ENGL 1301	English IV	ENGL 1302
Pre-Calculus or 4 th Math	MATH 1314	Pre-Calculus or 4 th Math	MATH 1316
Government	GOVT 2305	Economics	ECON 2302
Environmental Science	ENVR 1401 (4 credits)	Environmental Science	ENVR 1401 (4 credits)
Physical Education	PHED 1164 (DC)	Physical Education	GOVT 2306
Elective		Elective	
Elective		Elective	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	

The highlighted courses can be taken as dual credit. This represents sample course options a student might select and is not a set pathway for students. Max 18 college credits can be taken each fall and spring semester. Summer term is allowed up to 15 credits.

Class of 2019

Dual Credit Options Towards Associate of Arts Degree

9 th Gr Fall		9 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English I		English I	
Algebra I or Geometry		Algebra I or Geometry	
English-I EOC Lab or Elective		English-I EOC Lab or Elective	
Algebra-I EOC Lab or Elective		Algebra-I EOC Lab or Elective	
World Geography		World Geography	
Biology		Biology	
Foreign Language		Foreign Language	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
10 th Gr Fall		10 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English II		English II	
Algebra II or Geometry		Algebra II or Geometry	
English-II EOC Lab or Elective		English-II EOC Lab or Elective	
Math TSI/SAT Lab or Elective		Math TSI/SAT Lab or Elective	
World History		World History	
Chemistry		Chemistry	
Foreign Language		Foreign Language	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
11 th Gr Fall		11 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English III	ENGL 1301	English III	ENGL 1302
Pre-Calculus	MATH 1314	Pre-Calculus	MATH 1316
SAT or TSI	PSYC 1300 if exempt	SAT or TSI	SPCH 1311 if exempt
Physics		Physics	
US History	HISTORY 1301	US History	HISTORY 1301
Art	ARTS 1301	Art	HUMAN 1301 (DC)
Elective	SPAN 1411 (DC)	Elective	SPAN 1412 (DC)
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
12 th Gr Fall		12 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English IV	ENGL 2332	English IV	ENGL 2333
Pre-Calculus or 4 th Math	MATH 2412 (4 credits)	Pre-Calculus or 4 th Math	MATH 2413 (4 credits)
Government	GOVT 2305	Economics	ECON 2302
Environmental Science	ENVR 1401 (4 credits)	Environmental Science	ENVR 1401 (4 credits)
Physical Education	PHED 1164 (DC)	Physical Education	GOVT 2306
Elective	PSYC 2301	Elective	SCIO 1301
Elective	DC-Elective if exempt	Elective	DC-Elective if exempt
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	

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Class of 2020

Dual Credit Options Towards **Associate of Arts Degree** (70+ Dual Credits)

9 th Gr Fall		9 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English I		English I	
Algebra I or Geometry		Algebra I or Geometry	
English-I EOC Lab or Elective		English-I EOC Lab or Elective	
Algebra-I EOC Lab or Elective		Algebra-I EOC Lab or Elective	
World Geography		World Geography	
Biology		Biology	
Foreign Language		Foreign Language	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
10 th Gr Fall		10 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English II		English II	
Algebra II or Geometry		Algebra II or Geometry	
English-II EOC Lab or Elective		English-II EOC Lab or Elective	
Math TSI/SAT Lab or Elective	PSYC 1300	Math TSI/SAT Lab or Elective	SPCH 1311
World History		World History	
Chemistry		Chemistry	
Foreign Language	SPAN 1411 (DC)	Foreign Language	SPAN 1412 (DC)
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
11 th Gr Fall		11 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English III	ENGL 1301	English III	ENGL 1302
Pre-Calculus	MATH 1314	Pre-Calculus	MATH 1316
SAT or TSI	DC-Elective if exempt	SAT or TSI	DC-Elective if exempt
Physics		Physics	
US History	HISTORY 1301	US History	HISTORY 1301
Art	ARTS 1301	Art	HUMAN 1301 (DC)
Elective		Elective	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
12 th Gr Fall		12 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English IV	ENGL 2332	English IV	ENGL 2333
Pre-Calculus or 4 th Math	MATH 2412 (4 credits)	Pre-Calculus or 4 th Math	MATH 2413 (4 credits)
Government	GOVT 2305	Economics	ECON 2302
Environmental Science	ENVR 1401 (4 credits)	Environmental Science	ENVR 1401 (4 credits)
Physical Education	PHED 1164 (DC)	Physical Education	GOVT 2306
Elective	PSYC 2301	Elective	SCIO 1301
Elective		Elective	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	

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Class of 2021+

Dual Credit Options Towards Associate of Arts Degree (70+ Dual Credits)

9 th Gr Fall		9 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English I		English I	
Algebra I or Geometry		Algebra I or Geometry	
English-I EOC Lab or Elective	PSYC 1300	English-I EOC Lab or Elective	SPCH 1311
Algebra-I EOC Lab or Elective		Algebra-I EOC Lab or Elective	
World Geography		World Geography	
Biology		Biology	
Foreign Language		Foreign Language	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
10 th Gr Fall		10 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English II		English II	
Algebra II or Geometry		Algebra II or Geometry	
English-II EOC Lab or Elective		English-II EOC Lab or Elective	
Math TSI/SAT Lab or Elective	DC-Elective if exempt	Math TSI/SAT Lab or Elective	DC-Elective if exempt
World History		World History	
Chemistry		Chemistry	
Foreign Language	SPAN 1411 (DC)	Foreign Language	SPAN 1412 (DC)
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
11 th Gr Fall		11 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English III	ENGL 1301	English III	ENGL 1302
Pre-Calculus	MATH 1314	Pre-Calculus	MATH 1316
SAT or TSI	DC-Elective if exempt	SAT or TSI	DC-Elective if exempt
Physics		Physics	
US History	HISTORY 1301	US History	HISTORY 1301
Art	ARTS 1301	Art	HUMAN 1301 (DC)
Elective		Elective	
Elective: Pathway		Elective: Pathway	
12 th Gr Fall		12 th Gr Spring	
HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC	HSB Dallas	Collin College - DC
English IV	ENGL 2332	English IV	ENGL 2333
Pre-Calculus or 4 th Math	MATH 2412 (4 credits)	Pre-Calculus or 4 th Math	MATH 2413 (4 credits)
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1. What is dual credit?

HSB Dallas high school students can take Collin College courses and receive credit both for their high school diploma and their college degree. Courses may be taught on the high school or college campus by Collin College professors.

2. What is concurrent credit?

This is when a student earns college credit only for a college course taught on the college campus.

3. What approvals does a student need before enrolling in a dual credit class?

Approval from a high school counselor is required for both dual and concurrent credit.

4. Will Collin College dual credit transfer to universities?

College credit will transfer to most colleges or universities. Please visit Collin's TransferU for more information.

5. Who can participate?

Students enrolled in an HSB Dallas high school who are ready to acquire college credit. Students must also have permission from the appropriate high school counselor, meet Texas Success Initiative standards and demonstrate the maturity level needed to be successful in college course work.

6. How does enrollment in dual credit courses impact GPA?

Weighted grade points are awarded for successful completion of a dual credit course. Specifically, regular courses allow you to obtain a maximum point total of 4.0, dual credit earns a maximum point total of 5.

7. Are there any federal student aid consequences for taking a dual credit course?

High school students who are dual enrolled with Collin College and earn college credits for core coursework have no consequences in regards to federal student aid. Having dual credits does not lower a student's eligibility. All Pell-eligible students can receive up to six full-time Pell awards.

8. What are the requirements to teach an academic dual credit course?

Courses are taught by college instructors and/or high school teachers who have a master's degree and 18 hours in the subject area being taught.

9. Why is the program being phased in?

Due to fairness of GPA calculations and not to create unfair weighted advantage, certain courses are phased in.

For questions, please contact your HSB Dallas high school counselor or Collin College Special Admissions Coordinator Kim Whitlock at kwhitlock@collin.edu.

Frequently Asked Questions:

1) I have not received my cougar-web username, password or Collin College Student ID number?

Due to the volume of applications that are being submitted at this time, please allow 3-5 business days to receive log in information. If you have not received your cougar-web information within 5 business days of submitting your application, please contact the Admissions & Records Office at any Collin College campus for assistance.

2) How do I check to see if my forms have been processed and holds have been removed from my account?

- Log in to your cougar-web account
- Click on Student Tab near top of screen
- Click on view holds.

3) I searched for my course on cougar web and I do not see my course listed? What do I do?

· proof of payment All dual credit courses held at high schools are hidden from our regular college students on cougar-web.

Please follow instructions below to complete registration for dual credit courses:

- Go to www.collin.edu.
- Type in your username and password
- Go to "Add or Drop Classes" under Registration Tools ·
- Select the registration term (e.g. Fall 2017 Credit) ·
- Input the 5 digit CRN for your designated section
- Select "Submit Changes"

Your registered courses will then show under the Current Schedule.

4) I have submitted all my paperwork and when I tried to register it said I do not meet course prerequisites or test scores. What do I do?

This means we do not have a TSI test scores or an exemption on file for you. For more information on testing please visit:www.collin.edu/studentresources/testing/availabletesting/tsi.html.

If you have the ACT/SAT scores that meet an exemption requirements, please contact college board to have official scores submitted to Collin. It may take up to 11 business days before scores are received at Collin. Collin College Code for SAT is 1951 and for ACT 4046.

5) What do I need to bring with me to the test?

- Photo ID ·
- PAA Completion Certificate
- testing referral