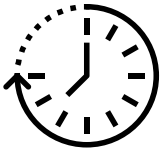


Dual Enrollment:

Get Ahead in High School and College

Dual enrollment lets you take real college courses while still in high school, earning both high school and college credit at the same time. Nearly **60,000 students in Florida participate** each year, and the program continues to grow!

Why Dual Enrollment?



Get a Head Start on College

Earning college credits before you graduate from high school allows you to **finish a college degree or certificate faster** - saving time once you start full-time college.



Save Money on College

Courses and textbooks are **free** for dual-enrolled students in Florida. Did you know taking just **6 dual enrollment courses** could **save over \$3,000** in tuition and books - that's over 200 Chipotle bowls (unless you go crazy on the guacamole)!



Boost College and Career Readiness

Dual enrollment sets you up for **long-term academic success!** Experiencing college-level rigor while still in high school allows you to grow skills in time management, critical thinking, and self-discipline - basically...adulting.

Is Dual Enrollment Right for Me?

Do your research! Talk with your counselor about eligibility requirements which are mostly based on grades and placement test scores.

Dual Enrollment Myths

➤ **MYTH:** “It’s only for super straight-A students.”

BUSTER: If you meet eligibility requirements, you can do it - you don’t need perfect grades!

➤ **MYTH:** “It will ruin my high school experience.”

BUSTER: You can balance college courses with sports, clubs, *and* your high school BFFs!

➤ **MYTH:** “I’ll have to pay for it.”

BUSTER: Eligible students take courses for free, saving thousands of dollars in college tuition.

➤ **MYTH:** “College classes are too hard; I’ll fail.”

BUSTER: Not only will you have support from both your high school and college instructors, but you will gain skills that will make college easier later.

➤ **MYTH:** “It won’t matter to colleges.”

BUSTER: Colleges love seeing dual enrollment on your transcript - it shows you’re motivated and ready for college-level work.

Tip for Students:

Ask your counselor which courses are available and how dual enrollment can help you **save time, money, and stress later.**