

Intent to Participate

- ▣ Lexington must inform students/parents grades 7-12.

- ▣ Students/Parents must notify the school of intent to participate by April 1st.
 - Turn in your completed *Letter of Intent to Participate in College Credit Plus* to your counselor.
 - Intent to Participate form must be submitted yearly, but students currently in CCP will not need to re-apply to their college to continue.



Athletic Eligibility

- ▣ Students need to be passing 5 courses (full or half credit courses).

- ▣ When enrolled in CCP courses, eligibility is based on courses taken at Lexington and at college/university.
 - ▣ 3 semester hours = 1 HS credit=2 Athletic Eligibility points.



College Credit Options at Lexington

- ▣ AP Program (Advanced Placement)
 - AP Biology
 - AP Calculus
 - AP Chemistry
 - AP English Literature and Composition (11th)
 - AP English Language and Composition (12th)
 - AP US History
 - AP US Government & Politics
 - AP Physics 1

- ▣ AP Exams
 - May – 2 week testing schedule
 - Scores: 1-5
 - ▣ Credit given to scores 3 (limited), 4, 5

College Credit Continued...

- ▣ College Courses at LHS (ACT – college ready, 21 Reading)
 - College Drawing I – 3 credit hours (ARTS – 1010)
 - Entrepreneurship & Intro to Business – 3 credit hours (BUSM – 2050)
 - Promotion & Marketing – 3 credit hours (BUSM – 2110)
 - Physics I – 4 credit hours (PHYS – 1110)
 - US History – 6 credit hours (HIST – 1010 & 1030)

College Credit Continued...

- Biology I – 4 credit hours (BIOL 1230)
- Chemistry I & Chemistry II – 10 credit hours (CHEM 1210 & CHEM 1220)
- Calculus I – 5 credit hours (MATH 1150)
- American Politics & Issues – 3 credit hours (POLT 1010)

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- ▣ AP Courses – 8 courses, 32 semester hours
- ▣ College courses at LHS – 41 semester hours
- ▣ Total of 62 semester hours possible
- ▣ Average between \$1000-\$1500 per class at state university (3 credit hours)
- ▣ Equates to \$12,000-\$16,000 towards a 4-year bill of \$80,000-\$100,000

Things to Keep in Mind

- ▣ Increase in opportunity allows for more options; taking EVERY course should not be the goal. No need to stop doing something you love.
- ▣ CC+ allows for flexibility with graduation – College course counting toward HS grad. requirement; check with your Principal or Counselor first! Not every course will fit a requirement; eligibility and worst-case scenarios must be considered.
- ▣ All books are the property of Lexington schools and need to be returned by the 5th day after a course has ended.
- ▣ CC+ just added a summer option. Some school's deadlines may have already passed.
- ▣ Financial responsibility: Student's responsibility to pay for failed courses, or a class dropped after the drop period (14 calendar days after course begins).



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***An introduction for
students and families
for the 2017-2018 school year***



Apply and Get Admitted

Student must apply to the college or university for College Credit Plus

College will evaluate student placement test scores to ensure student is “college-ready”



Graduate with College Credit



You can earn up to 30 college credit hours per academic year; includes summer term.

Students can earn up to 120 college credit hours while in the program.

Discuss your credit eligibility with your counselor.

Summer Requirements



Summer term will apply as the first term of the next school year.

A college's summer term may begin in May. There may be multiple sessions within a summer term.

A photograph showing the backs of two students in a classroom. They are looking at a laptop screen which displays a document with text and a diagram. The student on the left is wearing a light blue shirt, and the student on the right is wearing a blue and white plaid shirt. The background is blurred, showing other students and classroom furniture.

Summer & Interscholastic Athletics

Summer CCP courses may not be used to bring a student into compliance with the Ohio High School Athletic Association (OHSAA) requirements for interscholastic athletic participation.

Nonpublic and Home School Students must:

1. Submit your letter of intent to participate by April 1
2. Gain admission to the college
3. Create a SAFE account on the Ohio Department of Education website
4. Apply for and be awarded state funding by April 15

Find the Colleges and Courses that Fit

Counselors and Advisors can help you select courses for your pathway.





A semester college course of 3 or more credits counts as a one-year high school class.

You want to take college courses to satisfy your high school graduation requirements.

You completed your high school graduation required classes and you want to begin college work.

You want to explore college and take a course in a subject that interests you.

Weighted Grades

College courses must be weighted equally to the greatest weight of Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate or honors classes, in the same subject area.



Student Deadline!

**Prior to April 1:
Notify your principal
if you intend to
participate next year.**
(Nonpublic and home school students notify the state.)



For More Information

www.ohiohighered.org/ccp



Students & Families

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College Credit Plus

For students in grades 7 through 12



North Central
State College



What is College Credit Plus (CCP)?

- **Ohio's College Credit Plus is a state funded opportunity to earn *high school and college credit simultaneously*, by taking courses from participating Ohio colleges and universities.**
- ✓ College-Ready students in grades 7-12
- ✓ Dual enrollment; attempts show on both high school and college transcripts
- ✓ Public colleges are at no cost to the student
- ✓ Private colleges may have small fees involved
- ✓ Max of 30 college credits/year; Max of 120 college credits in total

What are the advantages of CCP?

- ✓ Earn college credit at no cost to you
- ✓ Challenging academic environments
- ✓ Take General Education courses or explore specific areas of study
- ✓ 15 and 30 hour pathways linked to various career fields
- ✓ Potentially earn a college degree while completing high school
- ✓ CCP courses are weighted the same as AP courses
- ✓ Ohio's Transfer to Degree Guarantee: ease of transfer from one public college in Ohio to another
- ✓ Still eligible for Freshman Scholarships after high school graduation



What are the risks of CCP?

- This will impact high school GPA and class rank
- CCP course attempts will show on transcripts
- You must meet the requirements of HS and college
- The rigor: College courses require much more study time every week
- If you go over the max credit hours, you will owe the college
- If you fail or withdraw from a course, you will owe your school district
- This is college. As a student you must be ready to self advocate!

CCP: Things to Consider

- Nonpublic and home-school students must apply to the state for CCP funding
- Transportation is the responsibility of the student
- College Calendar dates vs. High School calendar dates
- High school delays or cancellations do not affect courses at college campus
- Attendance is *not excused* for high school events and activities
- College courses require much more study time every week
- Think seriously: the rigor and depth of college courses is a lot to manage

College Credit Plus *at NC State*

With North Central State College, courses are available in 3 ways:

1. At the partner high school:

- Within the school day and on high school calendar

2. Onsite at NC State College: On the college calendar

- Mansfield – Main Campus
- Downtown Mansfield – Urban Center
- Shelby – Kehoe Center
- Bucyrus – Crawford Success Center

3. Online:

- 100% online and hybrid options are available



College Credit Plus *at NC State*

With North Central State College, choose courses from a variety of subjects, and apply credits toward an Associate degree and transfer credits toward a Bachelor degree!

- ✓ General Education
- ✓ Business Administration
- ✓ Education
- ✓ Liberal Arts
- ✓ Social Science
- ✓ Health Science
- ✓ Mechanical Engineering



CCP: Where do I start?

1. By April 1: Meet with your School Counselor and submit your 2017-18 Letter of Intent

- Required by every CCP student every year.

2. Apply Online for College Credit Plus at NCSC www.ncstatecollege.edu/ccp

2017-18 Application Deadlines:

Summer Semester: **April 1**

Fall Semester: **May 1**

Spring Semester: **November 1**

***Accepting Applications Now!*

3. Submit your CCP Enrollment Packet to NCSC for Admission

- 1. **Recent High School Transcript** or Middle School grade report
- 2. **Qualifying Test Score** ***COLLEGE-READINESS in READING IS REQUIRED:***

ACT Reading of 21; or ACCUPLACER or COMPASS Reading of 80.

*Your intended course(s) may also require English and Math scores.

4. ***New in 2017-18:*** Registration deadlines are 30 days prior to the semester.

NCSC Semester Start Dates:

Summer Semester 2017: May 30

Fall Semester 2017: Aug. 21

Spring Semester 2018: Jan. 2018

Once accepted into CCP, how do I register for courses?

For courses at the Partner
High School

- Register through your School Counselor

For courses at NCSC or
online

- 1. Schedule your 1:1 New Student Advising @ NCSC
- 2. Attend Orientation @ NCSC for Class Registration

Your CCP course registration must be completed at least 30 days prior to the start of the semester.
Advising and Orientation take place in NCSC's Kee Hall Student Success Center, 419-755-4764

Tuition Freedom

SCHOLARSHIPS

North Central State College will provide up to an Associate Degree, or a maximum of 64 credit hours, *tuition free* to each qualifying College Credit Plus or Career Tech student, from a partner secondary school, to continue their education.



Tuition Freedom

SCHOLARSHIPS

Eligibility Requirements

- High School graduates of 2016 and later; admitted to North Central State College
- *Complete at least 6 hours of *North Central State College credits* while in High School
Transcripted or articulated credits can qualify.
- Achieve a 2.5 cumulative GPA in college coursework and demonstrate College Readiness in Reading
ACT Reading of 21; Accuplacer or Compass Reading of 80
- Scholarship application will be online and open from November 1 – June 1.
*All interested students must apply for the scholarship at www.ncstatecollege.edu.
- Recipients must start at NCSC in the Fall Semester directly following HS graduation; maintaining full time student enrollment of 12 Credit Hours or more and a 2.5 cumulative GPA

*New for 2017-18



For More Information & To Apply

Visit the NC State CCP Website at:
www.ncstatecollege.edu/ccp



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THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

MANSFIELD

College Credit Plus at Ohio State Mansfield

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WHAT IS COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS?

- College Credit Plus (CC+ or CCP) is an opportunity for qualified students in grades 7-12 to take college classes before graduation
- CC+ Covers all dual credit programs
 - High School and College Credit
 - Free of charge to the student
 - On campus, at the high school and on-line
- Students may also participate in a self-pay option. These students will receive college credit (no high school credit available)



WHY WOULD I DO SELF-PAY?

1. Self-pay students may not want to have college classes on the high school transcript
2. Non-public and Home School students may do self-pay if they do not receive state funding for CC+



What does CC+ Cover?

CC+ students will have costs paid by the school district.

This includes:

- Tuition
- Books (student may be required to return at the end of the term)
- Fees

CC+ does not include:

- Optional Fees (parking, gym membership)
- Transportation



Formula to determine eligible college hours:

- Take student's # of high school only Carnegie units and multiply by 3.
- Subtract that answer from 30.
- This will give you the number of hours for which a student may earn in that academic year.

CC+ Limits students to 30 credit hours MAX per academic year

Maximum Credit Hours



Example of determining eligible college credits per year.

Taking 4 courses at the school
(math, government, physics, art)

Multiply: $4 \times 3 = 12$ semester credits

Subtract: $30 - 12 = 18$ credits at the college



What are the benefits of CC+?

- Free college credit
- Opportunity to enroll in classes not available at high school
- Exposure to college faculty/college expectations
- College credit may transfer easily (especially between public institutions within Ohio)*

* *check with the college you want to attend after HS graduation*



What are the risks of CC+?

- Financial Risk
- College coursework may be more rigorous and take more time than high school coursework
- Transportation not provided for on-campus classes
- Course credit may not transfer to private or out-of-state colleges
- Federal Financial Aid may be impacted



“Establishing a quality dual credit program will enhance [our] efforts and create reliable pathways that produce more college- and career-ready citizens.”

John Carey

Chancellor, Ohio Board of Regents



Ohio State Academy

- Classes offered on campus (face-to-face or hybrid) or on-line
- Available at Columbus or Regional Campuses (admission is campus specific)
- Wide range of course work available



Admission Criteria for Ohio State Mansfield

Requirements

- Students must meet the Remediation Free Guidelines of the State of Ohio
- Based on ACT or SAT scores

Readiness Area	ACT	SAT
English Sub Score	English-18	Critical Reading-450 Writing-430
Reading Sub Score	Reading-22	Reading-450
Math Sub Score	Math-22	Math-520

Recommendations:

- Class rank: Top 15%; Cumulative GPA: 3.5
- Composite ACT Score: 26
- Completion of college prep coursework
- Rigor of coursework (Honors, Advanced Placement, etc.)



THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

MANSFIELD



Autumn semester – May 1

Spring semester – October 15

Summer term – February 15

Admission to the Academy does **NOT** guarantee admission to Ohio State Columbus after high school graduation.



What are your next steps?

1. Meet with your high school counselor to discuss your options
2. Complete the “Intent to Participate” form at your high school by the state deadline (April 1)
3. Apply for admission to the college of your choice



Application Components:

- Completed Online Application
- Official High School Transcript
- Official ACT/SAT Scores
- High School Information Form



- **April 1** – letter of intent to participate in CC+ due to high school
- **May 1** – Deadline to apply for Autumn semester
- Rolling – notification of admission into the Academy
- **Mid-June/Early July** – invitation to on-campus orientation mailed to students
- **Mid-August** – required on-campus parent and student orientation/class scheduling
- **August 22** – first day Autumn Semester 2017



What about scheduling classes?

- Courses are scheduled at the end of summer
- Students register for one semester at a time
- Admission does not guarantee course availability
 - Courses may not have seats available
 - Priority scheduling is based on a student's rank and enrollment in a degree seeking program
 - Courses may have specific or recommended pre-requisites (prior courses or enrollment in a special program)



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AU CCP Admission Requirements

1. Participation in college preparatory curricula and completion of the following:
 - a. Two or more units of high school English
 - b. Two or more units of high school math (algebra or higher)
 - c. Two or more units of high school science (one must be a laboratory science)
 - d. Two or more units of high school social studies
2. A cumulative grade point average of at least 2.50 on a 4.00 scale at the time student applies.
3. Student must have a composite score of 18 or higher on the ACT. (An English subscore of 21 is required to take English 101 or higher.)
4. Student must complete the free online application for admission into College Credit Plus program available at www.ashland.edu/apply.
5. Student must complete and submit all approval forms required by their high school.

These guidelines, under special circumstances, may be evaluated on an individual basis with additional advisement of the high school guidance counselor. Registration is limited to a maximum of 16 credit hours per semester, and 30 credit hours per year. All criteria are subject to review every year based on student academic success.



	Summer 2017	Fall 2017
Registration Begins	April 11 th	May 22 nd
Application Deadline	April 17 th	July 31 st
Classes Begin	May 8 th	August 28 th

How to Participate

Notify

- Meet with your guidance counselor and submit the “Intent to Participate” form by April 1st.

Apply

- Apply online (deadline for fall semester 2017 is July 31st). Application is free:
<https://www.ashland.edu/admissions/apply-now>

Schedule

- After acceptance, make an appointment to register for classes. Be sure to R.S.V.P. for the orientation session (fall only).

*Private colleges and universities do not receive state funding, and as such, are not required to participate. **Courses taken at the AU campus are \$33 per credit hour, an exceptional savings when compared to the current regular part-time undergraduate tuition rate of \$886/hour.***

CCP tuition fees (up to \$300) will be applied toward your first semester Freshman fees!

Students who qualify for the free and reduced lunch program do not pay tuition fees.

Ashland University waives any extra fees in addition to tuition.

The high school pays for the cost of textbooks.

Responsibility for transportation rests with the student.



Next steps:

- ▶ Do you think this program is right for you?
 - ▶ Fill out and return the Intent to Participate to your counselor by APRIL 1
- ▶ Apply online to the college by their deadline:
 - ▶ May 1 (OSU, NCSC, AU)
 - ▶ Request your transcript and test scores be sent to the college
 - ▶ Ask your counselor to complete the HS information sheet for your college
- ▶ Meet with your counselor to adjust your high school schedule/check eligibility/graduation requirements.
- ▶ Schedule an orientation at the college if you are taking classes on their campus.