



Dual Enrollment Information Night

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What is dual enrollment?

- **Embedded into HPCA required classes, credit granted by The College at Southeastern**
 - **English IV Honors -> ENG 2110**
 - **Understanding The Times (UTT) -> PHIL 112**
- **Career and College Promise** (at Guilford Technical Community College)
- **Other colleges and universities**

Why dual enrollment?

- **College readiness**
- **Affordability of transfer credits**
- **Flexible scheduling and numerous offerings**

Why NOT dual enrollment?

- **May not be taught from a biblical worldview**
- **Unfamiliar instructors**
- **Little peer-to-peer or classroom support**
- **Students need to be self-driven have strong study and time management skills**

How does it work in my schedule?

- **Elective credit only (may not replace a graduation requirement - exception to this is English IV Honors and UTT)**
- **11th grade- minimum of 7 HPCA classes**
- **12th grade- minimum of 6 HPCA classes**
- **Most often taken online during a Study Hall period**
- **3-credit college course = 1 high school credit on high school transcript**
- **Final grade is included on high school transcript**

How do dual enrollment courses impact a student's GPA?

- **Beginning in the 2024-2025 school year, dual enrollment courses will be factored into the unweighted GPA only.**

Dual Enrollment

vs.

AP

- Often taken online during a study hall to work into student's HPCA schedule
- Can be semester-long or "mini-mester"
- Final grade of a "C" or higher earns transferable college credit
- Without a standard way to measure whether students have mastered college-level work, it can be difficult for college admissions officers to know the quality or difficulty level of a dual enrollment course
- Cost varies depending on the institution. GTCC is tuition free, while other colleges are typically \$300 or more per 3-credit class.

- Taught by HPCA faculty on campus
- Meet in-person every other day for 90 minutes
- Days and times offered are limited to HPCA schedule
- Require a certain score on the AP Exam to receive college credit
- The AP Exam offers a standard way to measure how well students have mastered content
- The AP Exam fee is \$97

Is dual enrollment or AP more favorable for college admissions purposes?

On a high school transcript, both are seen as “college-level” work.

It is always best to ask the colleges/universities you are interested in attending, especially highly selective colleges.

English IV and UTT will show on the high school transcript as a high school course

How do dual enrollment courses transfer to college?

- **Career & College Promise classes are guaranteed to transfer to UNC system schools, and commonly transfer to independent colleges and universities as well.**
- **For other dual enrollment courses, students and parents are encouraged to check the websites of the colleges/universities they might attend. Look for a “Transfer Equivalency Tool”.**
- **Upon HS graduation, students must request a college transcript to be sent to the college where they enroll to transfer the credit**

How do I sign up?

- **CCP (Career and College Promise)**
 - Thursday, February 15th- Info Session at GTCC Jamestown Campus
 - Tuesday, February 27th- CCP Advisor will be at HPCA- sign-up sheet
- **English IV Honors and Understanding the Times (UTT)**
- **Other Colleges and Universities**