

# Dual and Concurrent Enrollment



Overview and  
FAQs for Parents



# What is Dual Enrollment?

- ❑ Dual enrollment classes are college courses that are taught on Helix's campus.
- ❑ Students in grades 10-12 can earn college credit, as well as high school credit.
- ❑ Courses are taught by qualified Helix teachers or Grossmont instructors.
- ❑ Classes are college level and students will be held to a college-level standard.
- ❑ Courses are completely Free (Tuition, Fees, Books)





# What is Concurrent Enrollment?

- ❑ Concurrent enrollment classes are college courses that students can take on Grossmont/Cuyamaca's campus.
- ❑ Students may also take online classes.
- ❑ Students earn both college and high school credit for approved courses.
- ❑ Students are responsible for fees and textbooks/materials (tuition is waived)



# How Many Classes Should My Student Take?

- ❑ We advise students take only one course their first semester, regardless of grade level.
- ❑ After that, students should consider their course load, time commitment and success level. The following are general guidelines:
  - ❑ First Year: 1 per semester
  - ❑ Second Year: 1-2 per semester
  - ❑ Third Year: 2 per semester
  - ❑ Summer: 1 class (accelerated pace)

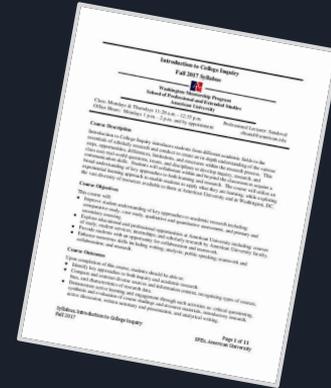


# How are Dual/Concurrent Enrollment Classes Different than High School Classes?

- ❑ Students will be held to college-level standards and will complete college-level work.
- ❑ The grades students earn will stay on their college transcript FOREVER.
- ❑ Parents will NOT have access to grades and cannot email instructors for information. Students must be responsible for all aspects of learning and coursework.

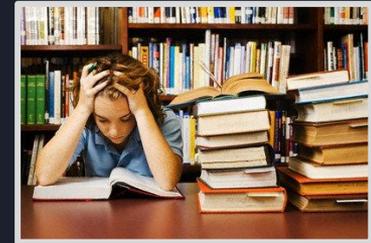
# What are the Advantages of Dual/Concurrent Enrollment?

- ❑ Students earn college credit and high school credit simultaneously.
- ❑ Dual enrollment classes are FREE and concurrent tuition is paid for.
- ❑ Students learn how to be college students
  - ❑ Expectations
  - ❑ Reading and Following a Syllabus
  - ❑ Work and Deadlines



# What Do We Caution About Dual/Concurrent Enrollment?

- ❑ Make sure your student is ready to take on the responsibility-great reward, but great responsibility.
  - ❑ Instructors will not remind students of their assignments and deadlines. Students must read the syllabus and review it regularly.
- ❑ Do not take too many classes, better to take less and have better grades.
- ❑ Important to stay on top of deadlines and important dates.



# Requirements and Process to Enroll

- ❑ 1. Students must create an account and submit an application.
- ❑ 2. Students must fill out an authorization form and a parent/guardian must sign. 
- ❑ New form required **EVERY** semester
- ❑ 3. Concurrent enrollment students must also enroll online on WebAdvisor.

**GROSSMONT-CUYAMACA COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT**  
High School/College Credit Dual Enrollment Application

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:**  
A new form must be completed and submitted each semester prior to class enrollment. If you choose to attend both Cuyamaca College and Grossmont College, a separate HS/CC Enrollment Authorization Form must be submitted to each college.

For GCOCCD Official Use Only  
Received Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Received By: \_\_\_\_\_

▼ THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT - Please read carefully and sign below ▼

Request attendance for:  Cuyamaca College  Grossmont College  
Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Semester (mark one):  Fall  Spring  Summer

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please PRINT) Last First Middle GCOCCD I.D. Number \_\_\_\_\_

Student Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Number & Street City/State Zip Code Phone \_\_\_\_\_

High School Currently Attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you participating in a Home School program? Yes  No  Program Offered by: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Address: (Please provide an address only if you attend a non-public high school (e.g. home school). If homeschooled, please provide a copy of the Affidavit for Homeschooling, filed with the Department of Education, at the time of submitting this form.)  
Number & Street City/State Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

I will only enroll in courses recommended by my high school representative. I understand that these courses are subject to all terms and conditions associated with college enrollment. I have read the attached pages on "Student Expectations and Responsibilities" and agree to abide by them.

X \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Student's Signature

▼ THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR OR SITE ADMINISTRATOR ▼

Enrollment Type (check all that apply):  CCAP (Dual Enrollment)  Non-CCAP (Dual Enrollment)  Concurrent Enrollment

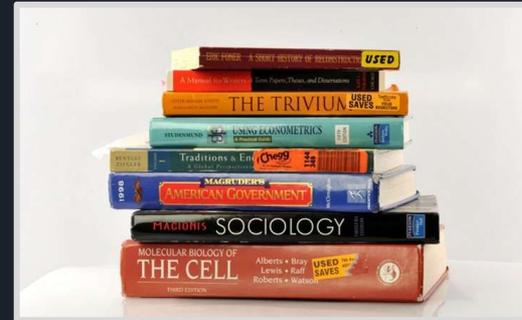
\*\*Please see definition of terms on attached info sheet to determine enrollment type.

DESIRED COURSES LIST			
<small>See current GCOCCD class schedule for specific course information. Course approval does not guarantee a seat in class.</small>			
Course Title	Course number	Section number	Units

I certify that the above student has completed the  10th grade  11th grade and will be at least 14 years of age at the opening day of the session of attendance. Expected high school graduation date is: \_\_\_\_\_ I have determined that the above student has the ability to benefit from "advanced scholastic or vocational work" and is attending high school for at least the minimum high school day as defined by Education Code 49800.5-49802 and 76000-76002.

# What are the Costs of Dual/Concurrent Enrollment Courses?

- ❑ Dual enrollment classes are completely FREE (includes tuition, fees, and textbooks)
- ❑ Concurrent enrollment classes include free tuition, but families will be responsible for paying for textbooks and any related fees.





# Where Can I Go For More Information?

- ❑ The College Center is located in Room 180 and we are more than happy to help students with all of their questions.
  - ❑ Open to drop in during tutorials, lunch and Club College.
- ❑ Please be advised that if you go to the college for questions, they will advise you as a college student, not a high school student. Due to this reason, we suggest you contact us for any enrollment questions.

