

DUAL CREDIT

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What is Dual Credit?

Dual Credit is a statewide program by which eligible high school and home-schooled students can receive high school credits and college credits for taking approved college courses.

Beginning with the graduating class of 2013, one of the required 24 units for high school graduation must be a course from:

- Honors
- Advanced Placement (AP)
- Dual Credit
- Dual Credit Curriculum Aligned Course

NMSU-A Course	High School	Star Code
BIOL 101G/101GL	Biology– First Year	1711
CHEM 110G	Chemistry– First Year	1721
ECON 201G	Economics	2741
ENGL 111G	Eng/Language Arts IV	1004
ENGL 244G	English Literature	1006
	English/Composition	1008
GOVT 100G	U.S. Govt.– Comprehensive	2730
MATH 121G	Algebra II, Intervention	2018
MATH 190G	Pre-Calculus	2053

Easy as 1, 2, 3. . .

1. College tuition is not charged for approved dual credit courses.
2. Check on your high school's textbook policy.
3. You are responsible for any specific course fees associated with the class you take, i.e. online course fees and lab fees.

Do YOU Qualify?

- **Grade Point Average (GPA)**

 - Seniors 3.0 (or better)

 - Juniors 3.0 (or better)

 - (2.0 for applied & technical courses)*

 - Sophomores 3.75 (or better)

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 - Freshmen

 - At this time AHS is the only high school allowing Freshmen to take dual credit courses
 - Completion of 2 or more high school level courses in 8th grade with B+ or better
 - Letter of recommendation from a teacher
 - Principal or designee makes final determination

- **College credits earned** from either track (vocational/technical or academic) may be applied towards an Associate or Bachelor degree. Meet with a NMSU-A advisor to choose an academic plan.

- **Some courses require a placement test** before enrolling to ensure a greater chance for success.

- **There are courses**, including physical education and developmental courses, that do not qualify for dual credit.

- **After high school graduation**, you must apply to NMSU-A as an undergraduate and declare a major.

Contact Information

Visit with your high school
counselor first!

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