

Dual Enrollment

St. Johns River State College



BTHS School Counselors

<https://www-bths.stjohns.k12.fl.us/guidance/dual-enrollment-sjrsc/>

Please visit the link called
'Dual Enrollment
at St. Johns River State College'
on our School Counseling Website.

It is recommended both students
and parents read the **Dual Enrollment
Frequently Asked Questions** as this
covers a lot of questions we often
receive.

Why Choose Dual Enrollment?



Dual Enrollment gives high school students the opportunity to earn both high school and college credits simultaneously.



Students can expedite their path to a college degree by starting in high school.



Students can earn transferrable college credit.



Students can save money on college courses.

Programs Offered through Dual Enrollment

- **Traditional Dual Enrollment:** Traditional Dual Enrollment provides eligible accelerated high school students the opportunity to simultaneously earn both college credit and a high school diploma. It is recommended that students take no more than ten (10) Dual Enrollment credits in the fall and spring terms, and six (6) Dual Enrollment credits for the summer term.
- **Early Admission:** Early Admission is a form of Dual Enrollment which allows eligible high school junior and senior students to enroll in a recommended minimum of twelve (12) and a maximum of sixteen (16) Dual Enrollment credits per fall and spring term, and six (6) Dual Enrollment credits for the summer term. Early admission students may only attend college courses and may not be enrolled in any high school classes.
- **Early College Program:** This program allows admitted students to complete 60 credits of Dual Enrollment coursework, culminating in earning both a standard high school diploma as well as an Associate of Arts (AA) Degree upon the completion of four years of high school. This program is offered at Toco Creek High School and Pedro Menendez High School, and students must begin the Early College Program in the 9th grade.

A close-up, shallow depth-of-field photograph of a person's hands typing on a laptop keyboard. The hands are positioned over the trackpad area, which has a pink sticky note attached to it. The person is wearing several colorful beaded bracelets on their left wrist. The background is blurred, showing a desk with various items like a pen holder and a water bottle. The image is split vertically by a dark gray diagonal line, with the text content on the right side.

Dual Enrollment Eligibility

- Minimum 3.0 unweighted high school GPA
 - Maintain a 3.0 unweighted high school GPA and a 2.0 college GPA to stay in the DE program
- Have taken a placement test that is less than two years old and provide an OFFICIAL copy of the test scores
 - ACT, PSAT, SAT, or PERT
 - Specific qualifying scores are needed for English Composition and College Algebra
- Have you're their own transportation

Dual Enrollment Placement Testing

- As previously mentioned, students must provide an official copy of their test scores.
- Students do not need a minimum test score in order to begin Dual Enrollment, **BUT** they will need certain college-ready test scores if they wish to take three specific courses.
- These courses include:

ENC 1101 – English Composition

MAC 1105 – College Algebra

Test & Course	PERT	ACT	SAT	Digital SAT	PSAT	CLT
ENC 1101 (Eng Comp 1)	103-150 (writing) 106-150 (reading)	17-up (writing) 19-up (reading)	25-up (writing) 24-up (reading)	490-up (Reading and Writing)	490-760 (writing) 490-760 (reading)	38-up Sum of Verbal Reasoning & Gram/Writing
MAC 1105 (Coll Algebra)	123-150	21-26	25-28	490-560	530-760	19-40

Course Delivery Options

- **SJR State Campus** – In-person course at the St. Augustine, Orange Park or Palatka campus that meets at specific dates and specific times.
- **Online** - Students complete the course completely online with no meeting times.
- **LIVE Online** – Similar to online but students will be required to meet and sign in on their computer on specific dates and times, i.e. – Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6-7:30pm while at home on their computer.
- **Hybrid** – Students have a mix of online and meeting in-person at one of the 3 campuses.

Transferring Dual Enrollment Courses

- Credits taken through Dual Enrollment at SJRSC can transfer to the Florida State University System (SUS) due to the Florida Common Course Numbering System and the statewide articulation agreement.
- Upon high school graduation, if students do not attend the same college or university where they earned their dual enrollment credit, the application of transfer credits to general education, prerequisite, and degree programs may vary at the receiving institution.
- For out-of-state and private colleges, students will need to check with the individual schools to inquire whether their dual enrollment credit will be accepted to transfer.

Grades and GPA

It's important for students to know that Dual Enrollment is the start of their college transcript.

These grades can affect college admissions, Bright Futures, and financial aid eligibility.

Students that earn a 'D' or 'F' or Withdrawal from a course will be removed from the DE program. Students are only permitted to petition the DE office ONE time requesting to remain in the program.

If a student's high school GPA drops below 3.0, they will be removed from the DE program.

Students are only permitted to earn up to 60 credits through Dual Enrollment.

Expectations of Dual Enrollment Students

- ❑ Students handle **ALL** communication themselves. Once a dual enrollment student they are classified as a college student and all communication between the SJRSC office and professors must come through the student, not the parent.
- ❑ Students need to have the social and emotional maturity to handle DE college level courses.
- ❑ Students need to identify if they are having an issue with a course, instructor, or assignments and be able to handle the issue and communicate it appropriately in a timely manner.
- ❑ SJRSC expects students to log in to their MySJRstate account and check their SJR State email daily as this is the main form of communication that the professors and the DE office will have with students.



Dual Enrollment Application and Registration Process

- When considering DE, students should consider the rigor and time commitment of their BTHS courses, the time needed for outside commitments and whether they meet the eligibility requirements. They should consult their School Counselor about these things and get any questions answered before the process begins.
- Students will be notified via Schoology when the DE Spring and DE Fall packets are available to pick up in the main Guidance office (packets will also be available online on the School Counseling Webpage). There will be a packet for 'New' students to DE and a packet for 'Returning' students. These packets have a LOT of important information and specific steps students must follow.
- We understand new to DE students may need parental help with completing the steps in the packet, but we kindly ask that parents do not complete the packet nor enroll their student into courses themselves. Students wanting to take college level courses need to learn how to complete these important steps.

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- Dual Enrollment Academic Calendar and Important Dates
<https://www.sjrstate.edu/dual-calendar>
- Textbooks and Access Codes – these come from the St. Johns School District Media Services Department, NOT from the college!
<https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/de-textbook-requests/>

Academic Student Resources



Library and Academic Support Services -
learningresources.sjrstate.edu



Free On Campus Tutoring -
learningresources.sjrstate.edu/Tutoring



Career Services - advising@sjrstate.edu
to schedule an appointment



Academic Advising - advising@sjrstate.edu
to schedule an appointment



If your student has questions about
the Dual Enrollment program at
St. Johns River State College,
please encourage them to speak
with their school counselor!

Thank you!