

# **Bishop Watterson High School**

## **Annual Information Session**

### **for Non-Public Schools**

Information for the  
2024-2025 School Year



# What is College Credit Plus?

College Credit Plus is Ohio's dual credit program

- ❖ Students can earn high school and college credit at the same time
- ❖ Ohio residents in grades 7-12; enrolled at a public/private high school or homeschooled
- ❖ Take a variety of courses at any public and participating private college in Ohio
- ❖ Courses held at the high school, on a college campus, or online

# How can students participate?

## Step 1: Eligibility

- ❖ A student is eligible for the College Credit Plus program if the student meets any of the following criteria:
  - ❖ Obtains a remediation-free score on one of the standard assessment exams
  - ❖ Has a cumulative unweighted high school grade point average of at least 3.00
  - ❖ Has a cumulative unweighted high school grade point average of at least 2.75 but less than 3.00 and received an "A" or "B" grade in a relevant high school course.

# How can students participate?

## Step 2: College Admission

- ❖ Students must apply for admission at each institution
  - ❖ Admission is reviewed per the requirements of the college or university; contact the college to find specific information
- ❖ College applications include the **permission slip for mature content and a questionnaire about emotional maturity**
- ❖ Colleges have the final decision on student admission

# How can students participate?

## Step 3: Funding Application

- ❖ Families must apply for CCP state funding each year
- ❖ To apply:
  - ❖ A parent or guardian must establish an OH|ID to file the CCP Funding Application
  - ❖ The application includes a college acceptance letter
  - ❖ Parents apply for a number of Credit Hours depending on how many courses the student would like to take

# How can students participate?

## Step 3: Funding Application

- ❖ State Funds are awarded approximately five weeks after the deadline
- ❖ Funds are limited; students may not be awarded all their requested credit hours
  - ❖ Funding awards are distributed based on student grade level
- ❖ Funds cannot be split – all of a course's credit hours must be covered
  - ❖ For example, if a student is awarded 3 credit hours of funding and signs up for a 5 credit class. The student is responsible to pay for all 5 credits out of pocket.

# How can students participate?

## Step 3: Funding Application

- ❖ If awarded funds do not cover the total cost of a course, families may choose to pay for the entire course
- ❖ This is considered Option A – a self pay option described later in the presentation
- ❖ The application opens February 1 and the deadline is April 1 at 5:00 p.m. annually

# How can students participate?

## Step 4: Course Registration

- ❖ The college will discuss course options with the student, based on assessment scores, prerequisites, and other requirements
- ❖ School counselors can help students understand graduation requirements and CCP course substitutions
- ❖ High schools and colleges develop 15 and 30 credit hour pathways to help you determine your plan



# Course Eligibility Rules

**Students must complete their first 15 credits in Level I courses, which include:**

- ❖ Transferable courses
- ❖ Courses in IT, Computer Science, Anatomy & Physiology, foreign language
- ❖ Courses that are part of a technical certificate
- ❖ Courses that are part of a 15- or 30-credit pathway
- ❖ Courses in study skills, academic or career success

# Course Eligibility Rules

## **Non-allowable courses include:**

- ❖ Private applied courses with one-on-one instruction (such as performing art lessons)
- ❖ Courses with high fees
- ❖ Study abroad courses
- ❖ Physical education courses
- ❖ Pass/Fail graded courses
- ❖ Remedial courses or sectarian/religious courses

# How many classes can students take?

**Students may be enrolled in up to 30 credits per year, which includes high school courses:**

- ❖ Calculation:  $30 - (\text{HS units} \times 3) = \text{max CCP credit hours}$
- ❖ The maximum number of college credits a student can complete while participating in the program is 120
- ❖ If a student enrolls in more than 30 credits for the year, they can:
  - ❖ Drop the course prior to the no-fault withdrawal date
  - ❖ Pay for the entire course at the college's standard rates (Option A)

# Additional Considerations

## Grades:

- ❖ The final grades earned in the college course are the same grade that will be on the high school transcript
  - ❖ CCP course grades will be factored into the high school and college GPAs

## Grade Weighting:

- ❖ High schools must weight all advanced standing courses in a subject area consistently (CCP, AP, IB, Honors)

# Additional Considerations

## Selective Service

- ❖ Male students who are at least 18 years of age and Ohio residents are required to be registered with the Selective Service System
- ❖ Students are required to provide their Selective Service number to the public college or university within 30 days of their 18th birthday
- ❖ Failure submit the Selective Service number will result in the student not being considered a College Credit Plus participant for that semester or term
  - ❖ The student will be responsible for any tuition, textbooks, or fees associated with the course(s)

# What are differences between high school & college?

	High School	College
Study Time	Required homework ranges between 1-3 hours per day	2-3 hours of studying/reading for each hour of class
Knowledge Acquisition	Information provided mostly in class, assignments to follow what was covered	Out-of-class work in advance of in-class discussion
Tests	Given weekly or at the end of each unit	Less frequent and cover more material

# What are differences between high school & college?

	High School	College
Grades	Numerous quizzes, tests, homework assignments, etc.	Fewer tests and few homework assignments
Role of Parents/Guardians	Guardians advocate, involved and work with teachers & counselors	Student has more responsibility; guardians more of a mentor/support
Accommodations	Parents and students work with high school staff to determine what assistance or accommodations can be made for students with IEPs or 504 plans	Students must work directly with college staff to determine if accommodations are needed; IEPs and 504 plans may or may not be included in the discussions

# What does it mean to be “college-ready”?

**Being “college-ready” is more than just being academically ready**

- ❖ Consider emotional and social transition and college expectations
- ❖ Consider time management and organizational skills



# What are benefits of participating in College Credit Plus?

## Students can:

- ❖ Earn high school and college credits at the same time
- ❖ Get a head start on career planning and earn degrees or certificate completions
- ❖ Experience college early to understand the expectations of college life
- ❖ Save tuition and textbook costs

# What are risks of participating in College Credit Plus?

- ❖ **How Colleges view CCP courses can vary? In some cases it can be viewed negatively.**
- ❖ **Course grade will appear on high school transcript and college transcript and factored into the student's GPA. Performing poorly in a CCP class will lower the student's high school GPA and could affect college admissions and scholarship eligibility.**
- ❖ **Students will follow the colleges academic calendar. It may not match the high schools. You are responsible for attending both institutions**
- ❖ **While taking a CCP course, you are considered to be a college student. You are responsible to meet with you professor if you are struggling in a course. Your parents cannot speak for you. FERPA restrictions**
- ❖ **Mature content**

# What are the consequences of underperforming?

## **Families may be asked to reimburse courses if:**

- ❖ The student does not earn a passing grade in their course
- ❖ The student withdraws after the no-fault deadline at the college

*NOTE:* A student that is considered “economically disadvantaged” can not be asked to reimburse the cost of the course(s)

# What are the consequences of underperforming?

## College Credit Plus Probation

- ❖ A student will be placed on CCP probation if:
  - ❖ They earn less than a cumulative 2.0 GPA in CCP courses or
  - ❖ They withdraw from 2 or more courses in one academic term

# What are the consequences of underperforming?

## **While on CCP Probation, the student:**

- ❖ May only enroll in one College Credit Plus course for one college term (semester or quarter)
- ❖ May not enroll in a college course in the same subject in which student previously earned D, F, NC grade (or equivalent grade)
- ❖ If students on CCP probation do not increase their CCP GPA to a 2.0 or above during the probation term, they will be placed on CCP Dismissal

# What are the consequences of underperforming?

## College Credit Plus Dismissal

- ❖ If a student does not raise their grade during the probation term, they are dismissed from CCP
- ❖ While on CCP Dismissal, students may not enroll in any College Credit Plus courses
- ❖ A student can request (appeal) to be reinstated in the program

# What are the consequences of underperforming?

## Appeals for Underperformance:

- ❖ CCP Probation:
  - ❖ Student may appeal to take a course in the same subject in which they previously earned a non-passing grade or received no credit
- ❖ CCP Dismissal:
  - ❖ Within 5 days of being dismissed, the student may submit an appeal to the secondary school to appeal CCP Dismissal or the student may appeal at the end of the CCP Dismissal semester

*Note: Each school district must have a policy describing the process for appeals*

# What are the consequences of underperforming?

## After HS Graduation:

- ❖ Grades earned in CCP will remain on students' college transcripts permanently
- ❖ If students fail or withdraw often, future financial aid may be also impacted negatively
  - ❖ Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) is a requirement for financial aid
  - ❖ Standards vary by institution



## **Make Satisfactory Academic Progress**

You need to make satisfactory academic progress in order to continue receiving federal student aid. In other words, you have to make good enough grades, and complete enough classes (credits, hours, etc.), to keep moving toward successfully completing your degree or certificate in a time period that's acceptable to your school.

Each school has a satisfactory academic progress policy for federal student aid purposes; check college's website to view the SAP policy.

# What are the expenses for College Credit Plus?

## Option A:

- ❖ The family/student can choose to self-pay for college courses at the standard rate of tuition, fees, and textbooks
  - ❖ Students/families should arrange a plan for payment with the college or university
- ❖ Students can choose to earn college credit and high school credit OR only college credit
  - ❖ Students must inform the school of their choice of credit for courses

# What are the expenses for College Credit Plus?

## Option B:

- ❖ The “default” or standard option for College Credit Plus
- ❖ All college course tuition, fees, and textbooks will be paid by the state of Ohio
  - ❖ Supported by the school’s foundation funds and the college’s funds
- ❖ Students will earn college credit and high school credit

# What are support services available for students?

## **Students receive support from both the HS and College:**

- ❖ High school counselors continue to provide assistance to all College Credit Plus students
- ❖ College advisors provide course selection assistance
- ❖ Colleges must provide the same academic supports to CCP students such as tutoring, library access, advising, etc.

# What about athletic eligibility?

## **Student athletes should:**

- ❖ Learn the Ohio High School Athletic Association (OHSAA) requirements
- ❖ Know that summer term CCP courses cannot be used to bring a student into compliance with the OHSAA requirements for interscholastic athletic participation

# Will the course credits transfer?

- ❖ Certain general education and technical courses will transfer, especially from one Ohio public college to another Ohio public college
- ❖ Students must check with colleges to confirm transferability
- ❖ Students should also visit <https://transfercredit.ohio.gov> for transfer information

# What are the deadlines?

## **Funding Application/Intent to Participate**

- ❖ March 15: Recommended deadline for first-time parent/guardians to create OH|ID account
- ❖ April 1: Submit funding application and required documents by 5p.m.

## **Check ACT and SAT testing dates**

- ❖ Test early to meet college/university admission deadlines (if required)

## **Semester deadlines**

- ❖ Summer semester deadline will be early as classes usually start in May
- ❖ Check with the college for all other semester deadlines

# Next Steps

- ❖ Contact the college and discuss assessment testing requirements
- ❖ Apply for admission at the college of choice by the deadline
- ❖ Complete the Funding Application/Intent to Participate form by April 1
- ❖ Meet with your school counselor to discuss scheduling and graduation requirements



# Do you have other questions?

**Visit the CCP website for additional resources:**  
<https://highered.ohio.gov/initiatives/access-acceleration/college-credit-plus/ccp>

**Follow up with the ODHE CCP Team:**  
[CCP@highered.ohio.gov](mailto:CCP@highered.ohio.gov)

# **COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS COURSES TAUGHT AT BWHS THRU COLUMBUS STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE COURSES 2024-25**

## **FMGT 1101 – PERSONAL FINANCE**

**3 College Credits / 1 High School Credit**

This course presents a lifetime program of money management for the individual. Topics such as budgets, savings, job search, buying a house, insurance, mutual funds, stock market, real estate investments, taxes, and estate planning are covered. Students will be able to write a basic personal financial plan.

## **HIST 1111 - EUROPEAN HISTORY TO 1648**

**3 College Credits / 1 High School Credit**

Classic and Medieval History. This course is a survey of culture, ideas, people, and values of human civilizations in the western world from their origins through 1648. Emphasis on the achievements of the Ancient Egyptians, Ancient Middle East, Classical Greece & Rome, the Christian & Islamic Middle Ages, the Viking Age, Crusades, Charlemagne, and the Renaissance era. Students are exposed to historical methodologies and analysis through the reading of primary and secondary sources.

## **HIST 1112 - EUROPEAN HISTORY SINCE 1648**

**3 College Credits / 1 High School Credit**

This course is a survey of the culture, ideas, and values of human civilization in the western world from 1648 to the present. This course focuses on the rise of modern science, the Enlightenment, the American and French Revolutions, the Industrial Revolution, the theories of Karl Marx and Charles Darwin, and both World Wars. The growth of ideologies-- liberalism, socialism, capitalism, nationalism, imperialism-- will be explored. Contemporary issues and political movements will also be discussed. Students are exposed to historical methodologies and analysis through the reading of primary and secondary sources.

# *Parent Example*

## Miami Plan

Academic Foundation (27-28 credits)

Each Foundation course incorporates written communication and advances critical thinking as well as at least two additional competencies. The Foundation component enables students to gain a breadth of knowledge across multiple domains of learning.

- ▶ Foundation I - English Composition (3 credits)
- ▶ Foundation II - Creative Arts, Humanities, Social Science (9 credits)
- ▶ Foundation III - Global Perspectives (6 credits)
- ▶ Foundation IV - Natural Science (6 credits, must include one laboratory course)
- ▶ Foundation V - Mathematics, Formal Reasoning, Technology (3 credits minimum)
- ▶ Intercultural Perspectives (3 credits)
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[/https://miamioh.edu/liberal-ed/student-resources/miami-plan/index.html](https://miamioh.edu/liberal-ed/student-resources/miami-plan/index.html)

# Miami plan / College Credit Plus & AP classes

## FOUNDATION COURSE REQUIREMENTS

FOUNDATION AREAS	HRS REQ & TAKEN	COLUMBUS STATE CC / CCP	HIGH SCHOOL AP	MIAMI PLAN TRANSFEROLOGY
I English Composition	3 HRS/NA	None	None	To be taken @ Miami
II-A Creative Arts	3 HRS/NA	None	None	To be taken @ Miami
II-B Humanities	3 HRS/Summer '18	HIST 1111 European History 1648	None	HST 121 Western Civilization
II-C Social Studies	3 HRS/11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	None	AP Psych & AP Government	PSY 111 & POL 241 / Exam Score - 5's
III Global Courses	6 HRS/Summer '19	POLS 1200 / 3 HRS	None	POL 221 / 3 HRS + 3 HRS @ Miami
IV-A Biological Science	3 HRS/Summer '18	ESSH 1101 Intro Environmental Science	None	BIO 121 Environmental Biology
IV-B Physical Science	3 HRS/12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	CHEM 1200 Intro General & Organic	None	CHEM 131 Chemistry of Life Processes
V Math, Reason & Technology	3 HRS/12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	None	AP Calc AB	MTH 151 Calculus I / Exam Score - ____

# TAKE AWAY

- ▶ **Be purposeful** - don't take classes just to take them
- ▶ **Spend time** - do your homework - research courses
- ▶ **Seek advice** - talk to the College's Academic Advisor

# To take Columbus State Community College CCP Classes at Bishop Watterson, follow these steps...

## 1. Review all College Credit Plus information and videos found on our website

<https://www.bishopwatterson.com/academics/guidance/academic-guidance/college-credit-plus/>

## 2. Apply to the College

If you have not taken Columbus State courses previously, you must apply to Columbus

State: <https://www.csc.edu/admissions/ccp-app.shtml> Please do that as soon as possible. Obtain your acceptance letter or conditional acceptance email/letter from Columbus State to upload to your state funding application.

**OR**

If you have taken Columbus State courses previously, you do not need to reapply; instead you will receive an email of Good Standing from Columbus State to upload to your state funding application.

Your transcript will be sent directly from the guidance office to Columbus State.

You must complete the College Credit Plus “Student Questionnaire” and “Permission Slip” and submit it to the counseling office. We will submit your forms to Columbus State for you.

## Eligibility Requirements:

- You do not need to take a placement test to get into CCP if you have a 3.0 or higher GPA
- If you don't have a 3.0 GPA, then please speak to your school counselor for next steps.

## 3. Apply for State Funding: APRIL 1st DEADLINE

- ❑ A parent/guardian must create an OH-ID account at <http://ohid.ohio.gov>. This can be done at any time
- ❑ A parent/guardian must log-in to the OH-ID account to access the CCP funding application.
- ❑ A parent/guardian must log-in to the OH-ID account and complete the “Intent to Participate” section of the funding application.
- ❑ A parent/guardian must log-in to the OH-ID account, complete each section of the funding application, request the appropriate number of credits, upload requested documents (college acceptance letter or letter of good standing), and submit the application before the deadline.

**Note: When completing the application, Bishop Watterson is a “chartered non-public school”. Bishop Watterson’s name should appear in the funding application. *BWHS*  
*Nonpublic IRN is 052720***



#### 4. Submit Funding Award Letter to Columbus State

By mid-May, students with successfully submitted funding applications will be awarded “units” based on the student grade level. Applications are processed until all funds have been allocated. **The student’s funding award letter is accessible in the parent’s OH|ID account. Students must provide the letters to the college to avoid being billed for the course(s).** The letter provides a Unique Identification Number (UIN) and the number of credit hours the student has been awarded.

Note: Families are responsible for paying for course(s) not covered by funding and you cannot split state funding. So if you were awarded 3 credit hours of funding and the student takes a 5 credit hour class, the student will have to pay for the entire 5 credits.



# Found on Bishop Watterson's website under Academics than College Credit Plus

## Resources

- [Ohio Department of Education Private School CCP Video](#)
- [Ohio Department of Education Private School PowerPoint](#)
- [BWHS College Credit Plus Guide](#)
- [Steps to Apply for College Credit Plus](#)
- [Ohio Department of Education College Credit Plus Information](#)
- [College Credit Plus Non-Public FAQs](#)
- [BWHS College Credit Plus Appeal Petition](#)
- [College Credit Plus Funding Application Manual](#)

## Columbus State

- Columbus State Courses Offered at BWHS
- Columbus State CCP Steps to Apply
- Columbus State CCP Video (scroll down the page)
- Columbus State Community College Program
- Columbus State Application (*for courses offered at BWHS and for courses taken directly through Columbus State*)
- Columbus State Community College Level I Courses
- Columbus State CCP Permission Form and Questionnaire

# Columbus State Community College

## College Credit Plus

### **Summer Semester 2024**

#### **Offer 5, 8 and Full terms**

**Term Dates:** May 27 - August 10, 2024

Registration begins: February 19, 2024

**Last day to drop full term courses July 11, 2024**

### **Autumn Semester 2024**

#### **Offer 5, 8 and Full terms**

**Term Dates:** August 26 - December 14, 2024

Registration begins: April 15, 2024

**Last day to drop full term courses: October 31, 2024**

***NOTE: If you plan to take a CCP course at Bishop Watterson, you do not need to register with Columbus State. Bishop Watterson will enroll you in the CSCC CCP Course(s) you listed on your BWHS scheduling form.***

# The Ohio State University

- The Ohio State University Academy Information
- The Ohio State University Academy Program Video
- The Ohio State University Level I Courses
- The Ohio State University Academy Pathways
- **Summer Academy Programs:**
  - The John Glenn School of Public Affairs High School Internship Program
  - Stone Laboratory Summer Program

# OSU Academy (CCP) Application Deadlines

## Non-Public School Students

Non-Public & Home School students must apply for state funding through the Ohio Department of Education.

To meet the state deadlines, all non-public students who wish to receive CCP funding for spring or fall must apply to Ohio State by **March 1**.

*(Students wishing to enroll in Summer Term will need to meet the February 1 application deadline, which will also meet the deadline to apply for state funding.)*

Students who miss this deadline may enroll at Ohio State as self-pay students.

### Summer Term 2024

**Term Dates:** May 7 - July 31, 2024

**Application Deadline:** February 1, 2024

### Autumn Semester 2024

**Term Dates:** August 20 - December 12, 2024

**Application Deadline:** May 1, 2024

# Have College Specific CCP Questions?

## College Credit Plus

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