

# Earning College Credit While in High School

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AP, DUAL CREDIT, AND DUAL  
ENROLLMENT

# Why?

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- Get a head start on college
- Graduate in less than four years
- Carry a lighter load
- Add another major

# How?

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- AP Exams
- Dual Credit
- Dual Enrollment

# AP EXAMS

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- Advanced Placement (AP) Exams are standardized exams designed to measure mastery of skills and content of an AP course.
- Given in May each year
- About \$100 each
- Students receive a score of 1-5
- Colleges award credit and/or advanced placement as they choose

# Some Examples

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- University of Missouri
- Saint Louis University
- Washington University

# AP Course Offerings at WGHS

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<b>AP Biology</b>	<b>AP French</b>	<b>AP Spanish</b>
<b>AP Calculus</b>	<b>AP German</b>	<b>AP Statistics</b>
<b>AP Chemistry</b>	<b>AP Music Theory</b>	<b>AP Studio Art: 2D</b>
<b>AP Computer Science</b>	<b>AP Physics I</b>	<b>AP US Government and Politics</b>
<b>AP English Language</b>	<b>AP Physics II</b>	<b>AP US History</b>
<b>AP English Literature</b>	<b>AP Psychology</b>	<b>AP World History</b>

# DUAL CREDIT

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- Dual Credit courses are college credit-bearing classes taught by WGHS teachers at WGHS.
- WGHS partners with three different universities (Missouri State University, St. Louis University, and University of Missouri, St. Louis) to offer credit for students.
- \$70-\$75 per credit hour
- No additional exam required
- Transfers to 95% of colleges and universities nationwide

WGHS Course	College	Credit Hours
ACC Advanced Forensic Science	SLU	3
ACC Emerging Voices	UMSL	3
ACC Oceanography	SLU	3
ACC Personal Finance	MO State	3
Advanced Ceramics	UMSL	3
Advanced Drawing and Painting	UMSL	3
AP Calculus	UMSL	5
AP Computer Programming with Java	MO State	3
AP English Language (Gifted and Non-Gifted sections)	UMSL	6
AP English Literature (Gifted and Non-Gifted sections)	UMSL	3
AP French	UMSL	3
AP German	UMSL	3
AP Psychology	UMSL	3
AP Spanish	UMSL	3
AP US Government and Politics	UMSL	3
AP US History	UMSL	6
AP World History	UMSL	3
Ceramics 1	UMSL	3
College Algebra	UMSL	3
Computer Programming with Java	MO State	3
Drawing and Painting 1	UMSL	3
French 4	UMSL	5
French 5	UMSL	5
Game Design and C#	MO State	3
German 4	UMSL	5
German 5	UMSL	5
Honors US Studies (English)	UMSL	6
Honors US Studies (Social Studies)	UMSL	6
Marketing 2	MO State	3
Spanish 4	UMSL	5
Spanish 5	UMSL	5
THRIVE	MO State	3
Web Design	MO State	3
Women, Gender, and Diversity	UMSL	3



# Dual Enrollment

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- Students take college courses on college campuses (or online)
- Students earn college credit and high school credit (3 college credits=.50 high school credit)
- STLCC, Webster University, UMSL, and others
- Costs and requirements vary by college
- STLCC:  
<https://stlcc.edu/admissions/college-credit-in-high-school/dual-enrollment.aspx>