Concurrent Enrollment:

Basics of Taking Community College Courses

General Information





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» Please see our <u>Central Guide to Community</u> <u>College Concurrent Enrollment Programs.</u> Includes eligibility requirements for all colleges plus links to their High School Enrichment programs, concurrent enrollment forms, and class guides.



General Information

- » Students may take a minimum of 15* -20 high school credits per semester if concurrently enrolled.
- » Some college classes can fulfill high school graduation requirements!
- » Students can take a maximum of 11 community college units per semester.
- » If your student is considering attending a private 4 -year university after HS, please contact the admissions office at the college to check the policy on college classes taken while in HS



General Information

- » The high school counselor will review the community college course and determine:
 - ♦ If the course is a-g approved
 - Ohow the course will count towards HS graduation requirements
 - ♦ If the course will be awarded an extra GPA point





Community College Credits	High School Credits			
1 credit	2.5 credits			
1.5 – 2.5 credits	5 credits			
3 credits or more	10 credits			

^{*} If a student is awarded less than 1 credit at the community college, then we will issue the same amount of credit in high school. For example, if a student completes 0.5 credits at a community college, then we will award 0.5 credits on the high school transcript.

Concurrent Enrollment Process

Concurrent Enrollment Process:



Student Steps

- Student downloads the concurrent enrollment form off of the community college website
- Student submits the concurrent enrollment form to the high school counselor- please leave the High School info. section blank (school name, address, Counselor/ Principal name, etc.
- » Student enrolls in the courses at the community college
- » Student submits proof of enrollment to the high school counselor
- » After grades have been posted to the community college transcript, the student sends in official transcripts to the Records Department

Concurrent Enrollment Process:

High School Counselor Steps

- Counselor evaluates community college course (how courses will count on the high school transcript).
- » Counselor signs concurrent enrollment form and forwards to Records (if needed) for seal and official transcript.
- » Counselor sends email with course evaluation and signed form to family and HST.
- » Counselor adds course to the schedule after proof of enrollment is received and notifies the HST
- » Counseling department updates the grade on the high school transcript after official community college transcript is received

Concurrent Enrollment Process:

HST Steps



- » HST works with family in obtaining concurrent enrollment information (i.e. enrollment form and proof of enrollment)
- » Concurrent Enrollment Guides for most community colleges available in the HST handbook Section 2.21 (new)
- » HST sends out a MA addendum after the counselor has received proof of enrollment
- » HST collects work samples throughout the semester
- » HST enters the grade onto the progress report
- » HST enters an "Incomplete" onto the semester report card

Tips for Students

BIOLOGY

(Natural Sciences Division)

BIOL 002 ANIMAL BIOLOGY

4 units

Major zoological principles, both invertebrate and vertebrate. Animal development, form and function, natural history and economic relationship to human society. Total of 54 hours lecture and 54 hours laboratory.

Transfer Credit: CSU; UC Grade Mode: L, A, P

BIOL 003 HUMAN BIOLOGY

4 units

Introduction to structures, functions and processes of the human body systems and diseases of those systems; human genetics and human evolution. Includes microscope work, and the study of models, computer applications and case studies. Total of 54 hours lecture and 54 hours laboratory. *Transfer Credit: CSU; UC credit limitations. See counselor.*

Grade Mode: L, A, P

BIOL 004 PLANT BIOLOGY

4 units

Basic botanical principles; plant evolution and diversity, the cell, photosynthesis, respiration, reproduction, heredity, ecology, and importance of plants to humans. Total of 54 hours lecture and 54 hours laboratory.

Transfer Credit: CSU; UC credit limitations. See counselor.

Grade Mode: L, A, P



Selecting Courses

The course catalog is a great way for students to start researching what course they are interested in.

Students can also consult with their Inspire counselor about which course they should take.



Remember, community college courses will start the college transcript.

If this is the student's first time taking a community college course, then they should consider taking an easier elective first.

Students should balance their schedule with core and elective courses.





Add/Drop Deadlines

Students should also pay attention to the community college's add/drop deadline. Deadlines will vary.

Calculate Deadlines for Classes that Meet Less Than Full Term

Description	Calculation
Last date to drop with a refund	10% of class meeting times
Last date to add	20% of class meeting times
Last date to drop a class without a W (Census Date)	20% of class meeting times
Last date to apply for pass/no pass	30% of class meeting times
Last date to withdraw with a W	75% of class meeting times
If the class meets for 10 meetings or less, the class must be dropped prior to start of class to be eligible for a refund.	



Community College Class Schedules

Students should check the community college class schedule for course availability.

Popular courses fill up very quickly, so please start the concurrent enrollment process early on in the semester.

Students should select a few back-up courses just in case their first choice is full.



Community College Class Schedules

CLASS SCHEDULE

Search Criteria
* Semester
Spring 2019 \$
* Class Type
Regular & Online 💠
* Class Status
Open & Closed 💠
Subject
Accounting
Administration Of Just
American Sign Langua
Anthropology
Arabic
Art
Art History
Astronomy
Automotive Technolog
Biological Sciences

Course Name	Course Title	Section	Status	Schedule	Campus	Location	Instructor	Begin- End Week	Begin- End Date	Book
ANATMY 1	General Human Anatomy	1099	OPEN	MW 7:30 a.m10:35 a.m.	Main	SCI 224	KANJANAPANGKA J	1 - 18	02/11 - 06/10	Воо
ANATMY 1	General Human Anatomy	1099	OPEN	ARRANGE- 1HR	Main	SCI 245	-	1 - 18	02/11 - 06/10	Вос
ANATMY 1	General Human Anatomy	1100	CLOSED	TTh 7:30 a.m10:35 a.m.	Main	SCI 220	ZIV N B	1 - 18	02/12 - 06/11	Вос
ANATMY 1	General Human	1100	CLOSED	ARRANGE- 1HR	Main	SCI 245	ZIV N B	1 - 18	02/12	Воо

Proof of Enrollment





Proof of Enrollment

Proof of enrollment can be a screenshot of the student's college dashboard as long as all the necessary information is included.

Community colleges can also provide the student with a registration receipt / enrollment verification, this is a great way to provide proof of enrollment.





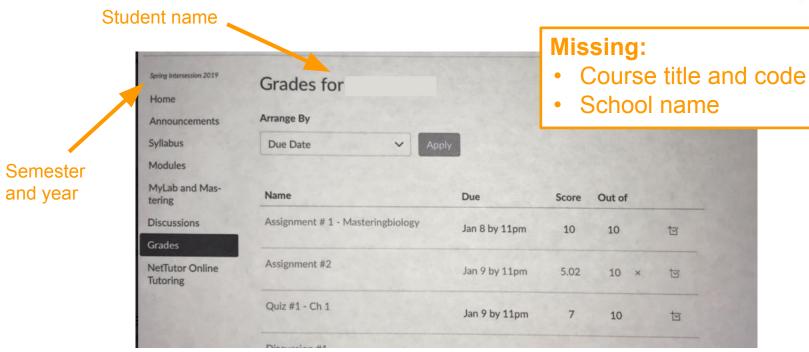
Proof of Enrollment

Proper proof of enrollment needs to contain:

- » Student's name
- » College name
- » Semester and year
- » Course name, code, and credits



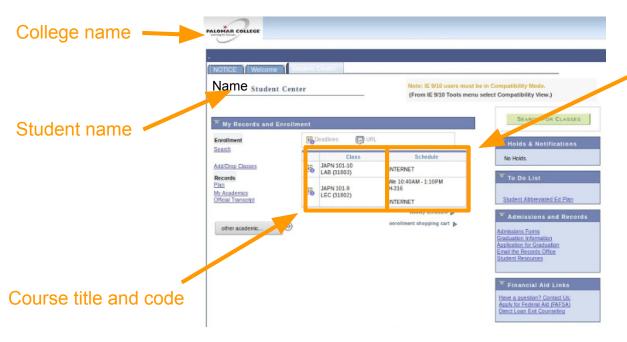
Unacceptable Proof:





Acceptable Proof:





Indicates that course is for the current school year





Perfect Proof:

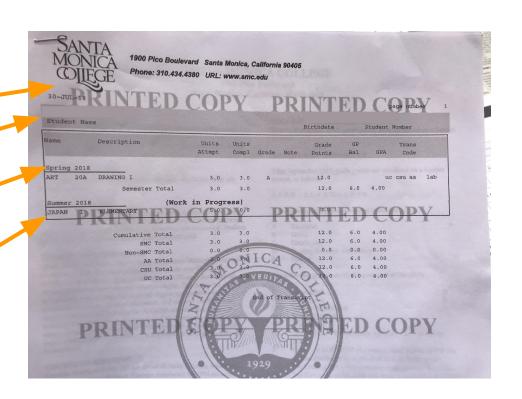
Enrollment Verification / Registration Receipt Sample

College name

Student name

Semester and year

Course title, code, credits



Work Samples



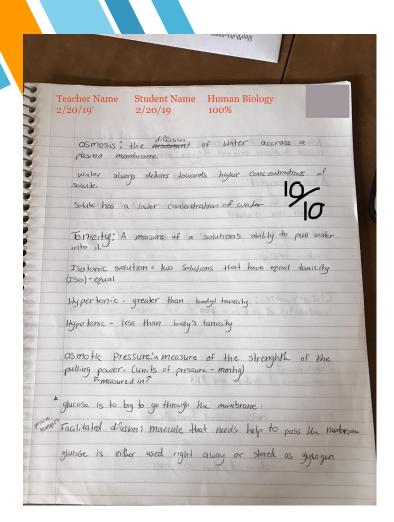


Work Samples

Community college work samples will need to be turned in during each Learning Period.

Notes can be used as work samples if professors are unwilling to release quiz/test questions.

At least 2 graded work samples per semester will need to be submitted and uploaded.





Work Samples

For questions regarding work samples, please reach out to your RC or HSSC Denise Voth.

6. Grades





Grades

Regularly communicate with the HST and high school counselor about progress in community college courses.

Students can show HSTs their community college dashboard for updated grade reports.

HSTs will enter community college grades onto the progress report.





Grades

HSTs will verify that grades for the Progress Reports are accurate to the best of their ability.

HSTs will enter an "Incomplete" onto the semester report card. Don't worry, this will be updated!

The counseling team will verify the community college grades once the official transcript is received and update the high school transcript.

Official Transcripts



Students who withdraw early, apply to colleges, and apply to scholarships will need accurate transcripts.

In order to keep high school transcripts updated and accurate, families will need to send official transcripts to the Records Department once the community college course is completed.





Records Department

Official transcripts can be mailed to:

 Attn: Records – CC Transcripts
 Yosemite Valley Charter School
 Monarch River Academy
 1781 E Fir Ste 101
 Fresno, CA 93720

OR

» Official transcripts can be emailed to: <u>Records@inspireschools.org</u>

Reminders



Turnaround Time

- Concurrent Enrollment forms may take 3 5
 business days to process.
- Remember, you may experience a delay during peak enrollment times (beginning of fall and spring semesters).
- Currently, Records is only in the office on Wednesdays.

Thank you for your patience!





Communication

Families should keep in constant communication with their HST and counselor about progress in the college class.

If a course is dropped, please notify the HST and counselor immediately so that schedules can be updated.













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Please refer to your high school counselor if you have any questions about community college courses.

