

Knox County Board of Education

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Enrollment in College Level Courses

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1 Students in the 11th or 12th grades, who are in good standing, may earn high school credit by enrolling
2 in college level courses at an institution of higher education.¹
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4 The institution shall be accredited by the state or by a state-approved accrediting agency. In order to qualify
5 for dual credit, a student shall:
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- 7 1. Meet all the requirements for dual credit enrollment of the college/university;
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- 9 2. Have a planned high school program endorsed by guidance personnel as appropriate,
10 including the college level course;
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- 12 3. Agree to assume all financial costs associated with the college level course,
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- 14 4. Obtain written permission of the high school principal and the acceptance of the college
15 admissions officer; and
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- 17 5. Continue to be enrolled in their base high school.
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19 Upon receipt of the course grade transmitted directly from the institution of higher education, the high
20 school shall grant credit on a term-to-term basis. Grades transmitted as letters A, B, C, or D shall be entered
21 on the student's cumulative record. Grades transmitted as percents shall be converted into letter grades
22 according to the regular high school grading scale. Such grades shall be included in the computation of
23 the student's cumulative grade-point average.
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35 Legal Reference:

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