

ANNUAL COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS NOTICE

To: District Students (Grades 6 through 11) and Parents

Re: College Credit Plus

The Struthers Board of Education recognizes the value to students and to the District for students to participate in programs offered by accredited colleges and universities in Ohio. Through the College Credit Plus (CCP) program, eligible students can take a course and earn high school and college credit that appears on both their high school and college transcripts.

There is no cost to students to participate in the CCP program when a student is enrolled in a public college or university and earning both high school and college credit. Students choosing to enroll in a participating private college or university might incur costs. Additionally, economically disadvantaged students who choose to attend a nonpublic college or university can do so at no cost. Tuition will be paid by the Struthers Local School district on behalf of the student to all public universities, and a portion will be paid to private universities.

To participate in the CCP program, the student must meet his/her college or university of choice's standards for admission and course placement. The student and his/her parents must also participate in a counseling session provided by the district prior to participating.

The district will not limit a student's participation in the CCP program to only the courses offered at the school. Students may also participate online or at any other participating college or university, or any combination thereof. Students may also concurrently enroll in multiple colleges and universities and may take courses from such institutions concurrently. The school counselor will advise them as to permissible hours in conjunction with Carnegie Units.

Below are the College Credit Plus courses offered at Struthers High School:

English 1550, Statistics, Calculus (Lowellville) Communications, American Lit and Diversity, Chemistry

Students should review the course catalog of the participating colleges and universities for a full listing of course offerings. This information can be found on the websites of the individual universities.

For further information about the College Credit Plus program, students and parents may contact: Mrs. Micco, Miss Ross or Mr. Cracraft.

Determination of Carnegie Units/Full-time Status:

Assure each student does not exceed full-time status. Calculate full-time status as follows:

1) Determine student's number of high school ONLY units,

2) Multiply that number by 3, and

3) Subtract the result from the number 30.

4) That number is the total number of college credits that CCP student may earn that academic year.

Example 1: Canfield offers a possible 8 credits per day.

A student takes 5 credits per day at CHS.

$$5 \times 3 = 15$$

$$30 - 15 = 15$$

* This student may earn a maximum of 15 college credit hours this year.

Example 2: A student takes 2 credits at CHS.

$$2 \times 3 = 6$$

$$30 - 6 = 24$$

* This student may earn a maximum of 24 college credit hours this year.