

Dual Enrollment Informational Session



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Relevant Staff and Offices

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 - We can help with: Admissions Requirements and Process, receiving HS transcripts, continuing at GSU as a First Year Student
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 - Assist with: Registration, schedule changes, contact point for HS counselors regarding DE funding, **all other post-admission processes.**
 - **Dual Enrollment Website:** <https://success.students.gsu.edu/dual-enrollment/>
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Dual Enrollment

- **Dual Enrollment:** Program that allows high school students to earn college credit while working on their high school diploma. Uses DE funding until exhausted (30 credits)
- Classes with traditional undergraduate students
- Receive high school/college credit
 - ~Does not take away from HOPE benefits
- Courses must be selected from state approved lists
- Students can self-pay for courses not on DE Course Directory



Dual Enrollment

- The offering of college courses to high school students looking to get a head start
- Offered to rising juniors and seniors
- Must have the approval from HS counselor and parent/guardian
- Tuition is covered by Georgia Student Finance Commission (up to 30 credits) and courses must be selected from state approved list
- Students are enrolled as Non-Degree seeking student type (no major is assigned)
- If student wants to pursue the Associates pathway will be declared when applying for graduation
- Students can take classes during the regular Fall, Spring, or Summer semesters

Cost

- Tuition is covered by Georgia Student Finance Commission (GFCS)
 - Courses must be selected from state approved list
 - Non-funded classes must be paid for at the time of registration
- Mandatory university fees are waived
- Textbooks are provided on loan basis through the bookstore, but must be returned in good condition.
- **Student Responsibilities:**
 - **Course specific fees: (Ex: science or foreign language)**
 - **Transportation**
 - **Parking and meals**

Campus Locations

Atlanta

- Located in downtown Atlanta
- **On campus only** (1000-4000 level courses)

Perimeter College

- 5 Campus locations around metro Atlanta:

Locations

- Alpharetta
- Clarkston
- Decatur
- Dunwoody
- Newton
- **Online or on campus** (1000-2000 courses)



Requirements

- On track to graduate
- College Level Readiness
- Test-optional policy is in place until Summer 2025
 - ATL GPA requirement – 3.4
 - PC GPA requirement – 3.2
- Any GPA below than the TO requirement but **above a 3.0** can use test scores below:

Atlanta Campus

Satisfactory test scores

- SAT 580ERW/560 Math
- ACT 23 English/23 Math
- PSAT: 580 Evidence-Based Reading and Writing, 560 Math (SAME as SAT)

Perimeter College

Satisfactory test scores

- SAT 530 ERW/530 Math
- ACT 20 Engl/21 Math
- PSAT: 530 Evidence-Based Reading and Writing, 530 Math (SAME AS SAT)
- Accuplacer (237 Reading, 4-8 Writeplacer, 258 QAS)

Requirements

Core Curriculum

A dual enrollment student must have completed Algebra II or higher in order to take collegiate-level math.

SUBJECT	UNITS	COURSES:
ENGLISH	4	Any 4 English/Language Arts
MATH	4	Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry & 1 Higher Level Math
NATURAL SCIENCE	4	1 Life Science/Lab, 1 Physical Science/Lab, & 2 Science Electives
SOCIAL SCIENCE	3	1 U.S. History, 1 World History & 1 Social Science Elective
FOREIGN LANGUAGE	2	Both units must be the same language. American Sign Language is acceptable.

Benefits of Dual Enrollment

- Pass the course: you will receive college credit
- Lighten the AP/IB course/testing load for advanced students
- Opportunity to grow and mature
 - Handle college registration
 - Requesting transcripts
 - Communicating with college professors
- Access to campus facilities, clubs & student life activities
~(Excluding Greek organizations)



Deadlines

November 1st

- Application and Documentation deadline for **SPRING 2024**

April 1st

- Application and Documentation deadline for **SUMMER 2024**

May 1st

- Application and Documentation deadline for **FALL 2024**



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Student Expectations

- Demonstrate high academic and personal maturity
- Be prepared for college level course work at a research institution
- Communicate with your high school/stay on top of your application status
- Ensure the college courses you select meet your HS graduation requirements
- Remember that your performance affects: HS GPA, HOPE, and college admissions



Parent Expectations

- Encourage your student with their coursework
- Professors and staff will not provide updates on student progress/performance in a course
- Students' grades remain part of both their high school and college record



Parents

FERPA

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA):

A Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records.

***Once a student reaches 18 years of age or attends a postsecondary institution**, he or she becomes an "eligible student," and all rights formerly given to parents under FERPA transfer to the student, this includes the right to access records and right to have control over disclosure of personally identifiable information from the records

~ DE participants sign a FERPA waiver granting access for disclosure to the high school counselor. Students can grant access to parent/guardian.



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Next Steps

1. Meet with High School counselor (deadlines)
2. Submit DE Application via www.gsu.edu
3. Submit Funding Application via www.gafutures.org
 - Include SSN to prevent delays in releasing funds
4. Submit final paperwork by deadline
 - Transcripts
 - SAT/ACT scores



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Thank you!



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