

College Credit Plus (CC+)

Information and Guidelines for Prospective Students

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Overview

Ohio University's College Credit Plus program provides academically qualified students in grades 7 through 12 access to college-level coursework that is non-remedial and non-sectarian in nature prior to graduation from high school. This program promotes rigorous academic pursuits and provides a wide variety of options to college-ready students. Successful completion of college courses under this program not only earns secondary students transferable college-level credit, but also credit that satisfies high school graduation criteria.

Campus Options

Students may apply to any campus of Ohio University. For best access to support services, CC+ applicants are encouraged to attend a campus that serves their geographic area, as described below.

Athens:	Athens, Hocking, Jackson, Meigs, Morgan, Perry, Vinton or Washington counties
Chillicothe:	Adams, Fayette, Highland, Jackson, Pickaway, Pike, Ross or Vinton counties
Eastern:	Belmont, Carroll, Guernsey, Harrison, Jefferson, Monroe, Noble or Tuscarawas counties
Lancaster:	Fairfield, Franklin, Hocking, Licking, Perry, Pickaway or Ross counties
Southern:	Adams, Gallia, Jackson, Lawrence, Pike or Scioto counties
Zanesville:	Coshocton, Guernsey, Licking, Morgan, Muskingum, Noble, Perry, Tuscarawas or Washington counties

Enrollment Eligibility

Participation in the CC+ program is available to any qualified seventh through twelfth grade student who is an Ohio resident and meets one of the following criteria:

- Is enrolled in a public or nonpublic secondary school
- Is enrolled in a non-chartered nonpublic secondary school
- Has been excused from the compulsory attendance law for the purpose of home instruction

Enrollment Options

Applicants to the CC+ program may choose to enroll in courses under either of the following options:

Option A

The student may elect at the time of enrollment to be responsible for payment of all tuition and the cost of all textbooks, materials, and fees associated with the course. Ohio University shall notify the student about payment of tuition and fees in their My OHIO Student Center.

At the time of enrollment, students electing option A shall inform their school counselor of either their intent:

1. to receive only college credit or
2. to receive both high school and college credit for the course

Non-public school and home educated students are admitted into Option A of the program until an ODE funding award letter is provided to Ohio University.

Option B

Under this option, the cost of tuition, textbooks, materials, and fees are covered for the student. Upon completion of the course, Ohio University shall award the participant full credit for the course and the governing entity of a public school or the governing body of a participating nonpublic school shall award the student high school credit.



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Admission Guidelines

The admissions process for CC+ on any of Ohio University's campuses is modeled on the same review process in place for degree-seeking freshman enrollment. In determining admissibility, all available data, including the following, may be considered:

- Strength and rigor of curriculum
- Performance in curriculum
- Class rank
- Grades and Grade Point Average
- ACT and/or SAT scores
- Accuplacer Test scores
- End-of-course examination scores
- Any prior postsecondary work
- Writing assessment
- Secondary teacher or counselor recommendations, including professional judgment assessing the student's maturity and readiness for a college curriculum
- Disciplinary records
- Other official secondary academic information as applicable and available
- Advanced Placement scores, if applicable

Athens Campus

Successful CC+ applicants to the Athens campus typically will be pursuing a strong college-prep curriculum and present documentation of one of the following combinations of credentials:

- A/B average (or minimum 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale) AND a 21 ACT or 950 SAT (math and critical reading) composite test score from one test date.
- B average (or minimum 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale) AND a 25 ACT or 1130 SAT (math and critical reading) test score from one test date.
- A/B average (often demonstrated by minimum 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale) in high school coursework AND strong performance on prior postsecondary coursework (AP, IB, CC+)

Note that the above combinations are provided as examples only and are not an exhaustive list.

Application Procedures

Applicants must submit the following materials to Undergraduate Admissions by the application deadlines prior to the academic year you wish to begin taking classes:

- Online or PDF application for admission, completed in full and signed. If completing the online application, you will be prompted to download the signature page, which must be signed by the student, students' parents or guardians, and secondary counselor. Page 6 is the signature page in the PDF application.
- Official transcripts sent directly from all previously attended secondary schools and post-secondary institutions, when available. When secondary transcripts cannot be provided (e.g., an applicant in grade 7), official grade reports should be submitted by the school, along with any additional documentation that demonstrates academic preparation for college-level coursework.
- For best consideration for admission on the Athens campus, it is recommended that you have taken the ACT or SAT by February of the year you intend to apply for the program. Additionally, Athens campus applicants must submit official ACT or SAT scores sent from the testing agency or directly from the high school.

Regional Campuses

Successful applicants must be remediation-free in English and Reading and demonstrate a strong academic preparation to succeed in college-level coursework.



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Application Deadlines

All application materials, including grade reports or high school transcript and standardized test scores, if applicable, must be submitted electronically or postmarked by the following dates:

Summer Semester (session II) – April 1

Fall Semester - May 1

Spring Semester - November 1

Applicants to any semester must notify their secondary school by April 1 of the school year prior to the year they wish to enroll. Applications are only rarely accepted after the posted application deadlines under extenuating circumstances at the discretion of the offices of Dual Enrollment Programs and / or Regional Higher Education. Students applying for the first time can only apply to second summer session; enrollment in the first summer session is limited to continuing students.

Remediation-Free Standards and Placement Testing

Prior to being offered admission, all applicants, regardless of campus, must demonstrate that they are remediation free based on standards set forth by the Ohio Department of Higher Education and Ohio University. Remediation-free status is determined by ACT, SAT, or ACCUPLACER scores that meet the following pre-defined thresholds.

Readiness Area	Minimum Scores for Eligibility			
	ACT	Old SAT	New SAT*	NextGen ACCUPLACER®
English Subscore	18	Writing 430 or Critical Reading 450	EBRW 480	263
Reading Subscore	22	450	EDRW 480	250
Mathematics Subscore	20	490	520	263 QAS

**The New SAT was offered for the first time in March 2016. Subscore requirements are subject to change based on forthcoming revisions by the Ohio Department of Higher Education.

If a regional campus applicant is not admitted due to low scores on the placement test, he or she may re-apply the following school year. Students are not permitted to take a placement exam more than one time during a 12-month period.

General Information

Students admitted into CC+ and their parents/guardians must attend an orientation session prior to registering for courses. Admitted students will be sent information about orientation locations, dates, and times after notification of an offer of admission. Details regarding registration procedures, books, and advising will be provided at orientation.

Students who do not enroll during the term to which they are admitted must reapply for admission consideration to subsequent terms.

Please note that students who take college courses as a high school student under one of these options and plan to apply for admission to Ohio University as a degree-seeking student will need to apply as a freshman applicant, not a transfer applicant, even though the student has earned college credit. Credit earned at Ohio University under these options will become part of a student's permanent record and will be calculated into the accumulative grade-point average.

Ohio University Notice of Non-Discrimination:

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