

Office of Career and College Readiness

How Can Students Earn College Credit in High School?

Opportunities are available to Louisiana students that allow them to earn college credit while in high school.

	<u>Advanced Placement</u>	<u>Dual Enrollment</u>	<u>CLEP Exam</u>	<u>International Baccalaureate</u>
College credit is earned through a single exam	✓		✓	✓
College credit is earned through a final course grade		✓		
A certain test score is required to participate		✓		
College credit is likely to transfer to a Louisiana public college	✓	✓	✓	✓
College credit is likely to transfer to out-of-state and highly-competitive colleges	✓		✓	✓
Students can elect to either claim or not claim the college credit	✓	✓	✓	✓
Taking these courses will affect a student's high school grade point average	✓	✓		✓
Courses have quality points that boost a student's high school grade point average	✓	✓		✓

Studies show that students who take these courses do better in college	✓	✓		✓
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For additional information, contact fastforward@la.gov with questions.