Regulation 6172.1:

Concurrent Enrollment In College

Classes

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Credit

Unless enrolled as part of a College and Career Access Pathways (CCAP) partnership agreement in which students are authorized to take up to 15 units per term in a community college, as described below, district students enrolled in a community college as special part-time students may enroll in up to 11 units per semester, or the equivalent. Such students shall receive credit for community college courses that they complete in an amount jointly determined appropriate by the district and the community college governing board. (Education Code 48800, 76001, 76004).

A written agreement regarding the student's enrollment in postsecondary courses and the credits to be awarded for successful completion shall be signed by the student, parent/guardian, principal, and college representative.

The student shall be informed whether the credits to be earned are considered academic credits or elective credits, whether the credits count towards high school graduation requirements, and whether the course would need to be completed again during the college years to satisfy college graduation requirements.

To receive district credit for coursework completed at a community college or four-year college, the student or parent/guardian shall submit a transcript showing completion of the course with a passing grade.

As a general rule, credits earned at the community college will be applied to the elective course requirements for high school graduation, except for the options articulated below, that would allow for some college coursework to be applied to graduation requirements other than electives.

Application of Community College Class Credit to AUSD Core Graduation Requirements			
Subject	HS Graduation Requirements	Community College Course Alternatives	Total Non-Elective Credits Possible
English	Forty (40) credits/4 years	Community college courses beginning with English 1A or above can be used to meet up to 1 year or 10 of the required 40 high school English credits. Other examples from COA include: ENG 31 Survey of African-American Literature ENG 32A Contemporary Women Writers ENG 47 Children's Literature	10
World Languages	Ten (10)	AUSD students can take world language classes at Community Colleges to satisfy this requirement provided the course is NOT offered at the student's school.	10

	credits/1 year1		
		**at the community college level, one semester course satisfies two years of high school foreign language.	
		*Grade of C or better in any transferable course(s) (excluding conversation) held by the college to be equivalent to two years of high school language.	
		Many colleges list the prerequisites for their second course in language as "Language 1 at this college or two years of high school language." In this case, Language 1 clears both years of the requirement.	
Social Science	Thirty (30) credits/3 years	California Education Code establishes a minimum set of requirements for graduation from high school. In the area of Social Studies, the three year course requirement is explicitly prescribed to include a) U.S. History, b) World History, Culture, and Geography, and c) one semester of both American government and Economics	TBD
		The Superintendent shall, in collaboration with CDE, the Board, and Community, as other districts have, explore the option to revise HS graduation requirements at a later date to allow for courses like those listed below to earn the U.S. History requirement.	
		HIST 17 History of Mexican-Americans AFRAM 30 African-American History ASAME 45A Asian-American History	
Mathematics	Twenty (20) credits/2 years	Up to ten (10) credits for a course that is NOT offered at a student's school can be taken at the community college to satisfy one (1) year of this two (2) year requirement.	10
	Anadorian in the Property of Contraction of the Con	Note that of the two (2) courses required 1 must be Algebra 1.	
		Additional math courses taken at the community college can count toward elective credit for graduation requirements.	
Science	Twenty (20)	Up to ten (10) credits for a course that is NOT offered at a student's school can be taken at the community college to satisfy one (1) year of this two (2) year requirement.	10
	Credits/2 years	Any additional courses taken at the community college must NOT be offered at a student's AUSD school and will be applied to elective credit for HS graduation upon completion.	
Visual and Performing Arts	Ten (10) credits/1 year ²	Only courses that are NOT offered at a student's school can be taken at the community college to satisfy this one (1) year requirement.	10
		Any additional courses taken at the community college must NOT be offered at a student's AUSD school and will be applied to elective credit for HS graduation upon completion.	
Physical Education	Twenty (20) credits/2 years	All AUSD students are required to meet this requirement in AUSD schools.	0
Visual and Performing Arts	redits/2 years Ten (10) credits/1 year² Twenty (20)	Any additional courses taken at the community college must NOT be offered at a student's AUSD school and will be applied to elective credit for HS graduation upon completion. Only courses that are NOT offered at a student's school can be taken at the community college to satisfy this one (1) year requirement. Any additional courses taken at the community college must NOT be offered at a student's AUSD school and will be applied to elective credit for HS graduation upon completion.	10

¹ Currently AUSD grad requiorements allow students to substitute ten (10) credits in a Career Technical Education (CTE) course to meet the HS graduation requirement for either World language or Visual and Performing Arts

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College and Career Access Pathways Partnerships

The district may enter into a CCAP agreement, in accordance with Education Code 76004, which includes terms regarding course offerings, student eligibility, protocols for sharing information, joint facilities use, and staff qualifications.

A copy of the CCAP agreement shall be filed with the Office of the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges and with the California Department of Education before the start of the agreement. (Education Code 76004)

Only courses that provide career technical education or preparation for transfer, assist in improving high school graduation rates, or help high school students achieve college and career readiness shall be offered, and physical education courses shall not be provided. (Education Code 76004)

Students may enroll in up to 15 units of community college courses per term if all of the following circumstances are satisfied: (Education Code 76004)

- 1. The units constitute no more than four community college courses per term.
- 2. The units are part of an academic program that is part of a CCAP agreement.
- 3. The units are part of an academic program that is designed to award students both a high school diploma and an associate degree or a certificate or credential.

A high school student shall submit one parental consent form and principal recommendation for the duration of the student's concurrent enrollment under a CCAP partnership. (Education Code 76004)

The district shall report information annually to the office of the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges as specified in Education Code 76004.

Minimum School Day

The minimum day of attendance in district schools shall be 180 minutes for any student who is enrolled part-time in a community college and any student in grades 11-12 who is enrolled part-time in the California State University or University of California, when the student is enrolled in classes for which academic credit will be provided upon satisfactory completion of enrolled courses. (Education Code 46146, 48801)

A student enrolled full-time at a community college shall be exempted from full-time attendance in the district's regular education program. (Education Code 48800.5)

However, both part-time and full-time community college students shall be required to undertake courses of instruction of a scope and duration sufficient to satisfy the requirements of law. (Education Code 48800.5, 48801)

Community College Classes on High School Campus

If a community college class is to be offered at a district high school campus, the class shall be held during the time the campus is open to the general public as determined by the Governing Board. Members of the public who are enrolled in community college class(es) shall register immediately upon entering school buildings or grounds.

Policy Reference Disclaimer:

These references are not intended to be part of the policy itself, nor do they indicate the basis or authority for the board to enact this policy. Instead, they are provided as additional resources for those interested in the subject matter of the policy.

State	Description	
Ed. Code 11300-11302	Early and middle college high schools	
Ed. Code 42238.02	Definition of unduplicated student	
Ed. Code 46141	Minimum school day (high school)	
Ed. Code 46145-46147	Minimum day, high school	
Ed. Code 48800-48802	Enrollment of gifted students in community college	
Ed. Code 51225.3	High school graduation	
Ed. Code 52200-52212	Gifted and talented education program	
Ed. Code 52620	Adult education and attendance at community college	
Ed. Code 76000-76002	Enrollment in community college	
Ed. Code 76000-76004	Enrollment in community college	
Ed. Code 76140	No community college fee/tuition for special part-time students	
Ed. Code 87010	Definition of sex offense	
Ed. Code 87011	Definition of controlled substance offence	

Management Resources		Description
Website	Foundation for California Community Colleges	
Website	University of California	
Website	California Postsecondary Education Commission	
Website	California State University	
Website	California Community Colleges	
Website	California Department of Education	