

Get an **Early Start** on **College** Through **Dual Enrollment**



Dual Enrollment

Earn College Credit While Still in High School!

Dual Enrollment is an opportunity for high school students to get an early start on college. Dual Enrollment courses allow students to earn both high school and college credit simultaneously during regular school hours at their high school. Dual Enrollment courses are high school courses taught at a college level for Maricopa Community College credit. The credit earned may be transferred to a community college or university upon high school graduation.



“It’s a great program. You need to understand that it’s for college credit, so you have to be just as driven as a college student, not just a high school student.”

Jennifer Jones — a Maricopa Student Success

With Dual Enrollment, High School Students Can:

▶ **Sharpen Academic Skills**

Students experience the rigor of community college course expectations and are better prepared when they become full-time college students

▶ **Save Money**

Students will save money, learn from highly qualified instructors, and build knowledge and skills to support successful transfer by starting their college education at a Maricopa Community College

▶ **Save Time**

Students who earn college credit while in high school may shorten the time it takes to complete a certificate or degree when they enter college

What Dual Enrollment Students are Saying About the Program—

“I loved having the extra credits in college. I was able to take electives that I wanted and still graduate on time.”

“I finished college a semester early and was able to save a substantial amount on tuition. I recommend it to every high school student.”

“Dual Enrollment gave me a great advantage in college. Even though I did not graduate early, I was able to devote more time to my major.”

Dual Enrollment FAQs

Who can participate in Dual Enrollment?

Dual Enrollment is open to high school juniors and seniors, and in some instances underclassmen may be eligible to enroll.

How to enroll?

High schools will distribute Dual Enrollment information, including how to apply for admission, testing requirements, and registration forms. Students should ask their high school counselors for more information.

What does tuition cost?

Current in-county tuition is only \$86 per credit hour.* Tuition is more affordable at a community college than at public or private colleges and universities. Qualifying students may receive tuition assistance based on financial need.

**In-county tuition is subject to change; \$15 registration fee is required.*



Dual Enrollment Contacts at Maricopa Community Colleges

Maricopa Community College District Office

480.731.8409

www.maricopa.edu/dual

Chandler-Gilbert Community College

480.732.7006

www.cgc.edu/dual

Estrella Mountain Community College

623.935.8443

estrellamountain.edu/dual

GateWay Community College

602.286.8671

www.gatewaycc.edu/dual-enrollment

Glendale Community College

623.845.4821

www2.gccaz.edu/dual-enrollment

Mesa Community College

480.461.7705

mesacc.edu/dual

Paradise Valley Community College

602.787.7182

www.pvc.maricopa.edu/dualenrollment

Phoenix College

602.285.7743

phoenixcollege.edu/dual-enrollment

Rio Salado College

480.517.8080

www.riosalado.edu/programs/dual

Scottsdale Community College

480.423.6450

www.scottsdalecc.edu/dualenrollment

South Mountain Community College

602.243.8303

southmountaincc.edu/dual-enrollment

For additional information about Dual Enrollment, please visit: www.maricopa.edu/dual