

SEHOME HIGH SCHOOL Dual Enrollment/Credit Programs

	COLLEGE IN THE HIGH SCHOOL	RUNNING START	ADVANCED PLACEMENT EXAM	TECH PREP
Description	A program that offers high school students the opportunity to earn both high school and college credit while taking courses that also meet high school graduation requirements.	A program that offers high school juniors and seniors the opportunity to attend college classes and earn both high school and college credit.	Identified courses that prepare high school students to take advanced placement tests, allowing advanced placement and/or credit at the postsecondary level.	An opportunity for students to earn high school credit while beginning vocational/technical coursework that leads to a two-year degree or certificate program.
Location	Student is enrolled in classes at the high school campus with their peers	Student attends class on college campus	Student is enrolled in high school AP classes at the high school campus with their peers	Student is enrolled in classes at the high school campus with their peers
Advantage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school setting College level class Earn both high school and college credit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> College level class Earn both high school and college credit 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school setting College level class Advanced placement and/or college credit granted based on test score 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> High school setting Prepare for vocational/technical career Earn both high school and college credit College credit at little or no cost
Instructors	High school teacher possesses the same academic credentials as college instructor	College class taught by college instructor	High school teacher possesses credentials to teach AP class	High school teacher possesses credentials to teach Tech Prep class
Transcripts	Class is listed as a college class on transcript	Class is listed as a college class on transcript	Class is listed as a college class on transcript	Class is listed as a college class on transcript
Do credits transfer to a college or university?	Since all classes in the program are on the "AAS Direct Transfer A" list, all WA 4-year public colleges will accept the credits	Any class appearing on the "AAS Direct Transfer A" list will be accepted by all WA 4-year public colleges	Each community college and university has its own policy for the acceptance of AP credits	Up to 15 credits can be transferred Some colleges and universities recognize these but students will need to verify on their own
Student Costs	Variety of fees including tuition and text books (Currently only tuition is charged. Books provided in the course as usual for high school.)	Tuition waived, student pays lab fees, textbook fees, and is responsible for providing own transportation	Test Fee (For 2017, the District will be paying 50% of the required cost)	Lab and materials fees are not charged Fees vary by college – minimal or no student cost
Student Responsibilities	Meet college course standards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Determine transferability of college credits Ensure credits apply to high school graduation Must meet application/registration deadlines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apply for testing Meet high academic standards 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enroll in Tech Prep designated classes Earn a "B" or higher in the course
Class Selection	Limited to what the high school offers through the program	Large variety of classes available based on Community College programs	Large variety of classes available based on what the High School offers	Variety of classes based on what the School District offers