Is an Early College Program for YOU?

Collaborative College for Technology and Leadership (CCTL)

Crossroads Arts and Sciences Early College (Crossroads)

Agriculture & Science Early College (ASEC)

- Two-years of college for FREE!!!
- Complete 6 years of education (high school diploma AND an Associate's Degree) in 5 years
- Smaller learning environment
- Students can still play sports and participate in extracurricular activities. Fun events, too -- dances, prom, lock-ins, bake-gives, homecoming, dodgeball tournament, etc. -- events vary from school to school.
- Transportation available to all Early Colleges through shuttle buses and shuttle bus stop locations throughout Iredell County.
- Honors level high school curriculum in all Early Colleges.
- All Early Colleges operate on the collegiate calendar (start in early August and finish in mid-May)
- Students have the opportunity to earn an Associate in Arts, Associate in Science, Associate in Engineering, or Associate in Fine Arts transfer degrees, as well as other degrees offered by Mitchell Community College.

Some differences in Early College Programs

CCTL	Crossroads	<u>ASEC</u>
Located on campus at Mitchell Community College	Located on campus at Statesville High School	Located on campus at North Iredell High School
Students eat lunch with CCTL students - lunch catered by Statesville High School	Students eat lunch in SHS Cafeteria but have a completely separate lunch block	Students eat lunch in NIHS Cafeteria but have a completely separate lunch block
Students play sports for their district high school. Students may participate in Band and JROTC after school at SHS	Students play sports, cheerleading, JROTC, and marching band for SHS	Students play sports, cheerleading, JROTC, and marching band for NIHS
Attend college classes by walking to the appropriate building	Attend college classes via shuttle bus to MCC	Attend college classes on ASEC campus taught by MCC professors

HOW DO I APPLY?

- Applications available online on all 3 Early College and ISS websites. One application for all 3 early colleges.
- Application submission window is **Dec. 1, 2020 to Jan 15, 2021** by 11:59pm.
- Current 8th, 9th, and 10th graders may apply for admission.
- Recommendations required from ELA teacher, Math teacher and Counselor also submitted online. Any student and parent, regardless of I-SS school or not, can complete the application online. Any teacher and counselor who has g-mail school email can complete the recommendations online (regardless of I-SS or not).
- Students will be notified of acceptance in late-February 2021 and will have 24 hours to confirm their seat in the Early College Program. Waitlist letters will be mailed.

<u>LEARN MORE BY ATTENDING THE</u> <u>OPEN HOUSES</u>

Crossroads

Thursday, December 3rd from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

CCTL

Tuesday, December 8th from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

ASEC

Thursday, December 10th from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

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