



Intent to Participate – Important Info

STUDENTS AND FAMILIES, MAKE SURE YOU UNDERSTAND THE RULES AND REQUIREMENTS OF COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS (CCP) BEFORE ENROLLING.

THE LISTS BELOW HIGHLIGHT SOME MAJOR BENEFITS AND RISKS, BUT DO NOT COVER ALL POSSIBLE BENEFITS AND RISKS OF EARLY COLLEGE ENROLLMENT. MORE INFORMATION IS AT WWW.OHIOHIGHERED.ORG.

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Possible Benefits of College Credit Plus

- Allows a student to earn college credit while in high school.
- May expand the curriculum available for a qualified student.
- Provides opportunities for a student to explore “in depth” those areas of special interest.
- Pays for college courses and books (students at private colleges may have some fees due).
- All CCP course grades will appear on a student’s transcript and be counted in their GPA.

Possible Risks of College Credit Plus

- If a student fails a course, or drops a course after the college’s deadline, the student’s family will be charged by the school district for the costs of the course, unless the student is economically disadvantaged. Grades and credits received for high school courses taken will be withheld until reimbursement has been made.
- CCP textbooks are the property of Bedford High School. If they are not returned, the student’s account will be charged. Unpaid student account debts may delay graduation.
- All CCP course grades will appear on a student’s transcript and be counted in their GPA.
- It is the student’s responsibility to communicate with the college and the high school regarding graduation requirements and courses. Students must be proactive with both schools.
- All coursework may not be transferable to some universities. Be sure to check the college Transfer Assurance Guarantee (TAG) list, or the Ohio Department of Education’s “Transfer to Degree Guarantee” page.
- Taking CCP classes may affect athletic eligibility.
- Transportation is the responsibility of the family.
- Admission to the college is the student’s responsibility – you must follow college rules and deadlines.

Special Notes

- Students are limited to 30 credit hours per year (summer, fall, and spring), including high school-only courses and CCP courses. For details about the credit-hour requirement, and to ensure CCP is right for you, please talk with your School Counselor.
- Bedford offers “Partnership” CCP courses at Bedford High School, through Lorain County Community College, which are taught by Bedford teachers. Students receive high school and college credit for these courses, just like CCP courses taught on a college campus.



CollegeCredit PLUS

LETTER OF INTENT TO PARTICIPATE IN COLLEGE CREDIT PLUS 2021-2022

*****Complete and return to the School Counselor*****

Date: _____ (After April 1, you will need permission from the principal to participate)

Student Name: _____ Graduation Year: _____

Student Email: _____ Counselor/school: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Parent Phone (Day) _____ (Evening) _____

Parent Email Address: _____

I intend to participate in CCP

I intend to apply to the following college/university: _____

Parent/guardian and student, initial next to the statements below to acknowledge awareness and agreement:

_____ I have read and understand the rules/procedures of the College Credit Plus (CCP) Program.

_____ I understand if I fail or withdraw too late from any CCP course, I am responsible for paying Bedford back for the cost of the class, unless my family is economically disadvantaged. Unpaid student account debts may delay graduation.

_____ I understand that all textbooks received through CCP are the property of Bedford High School, and must be returned to the high school textbook office. If they are not returned promptly, my student account will be charged. Unpaid student account debts may delay graduation.

_____ I understand that it is my responsibility to notify my school ASAP if I do not gain admission to my selected college or university, or choose not to participate for some other reason.

_____ I am aware that CCP students are subject to the same rules and regulations as any college student. I understand that I am expected to meet the same standards of performance as any student of that college, and will receive permanent college credit and transcripts for any courses.

_____ I certify that I have received counseling about the CCP program concerning the rules and regulations, and that I understand my responsibilities as well as the benefits and possible risks of participating in the CCP program.

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____