



Dublin City School District

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Credit Flexibility Ohio Option 2 – Subject Area Competency Application (Test Out)

- Upon completion of this form, please return it to your School Counselor by May 1 (for summer & semester 1) and December 1 (for semester 2). Applications submitted after these dates will be considered during the next review period.

Student name (print): _____

Student ID number: _____ Graduating class: _____ Building: _____

Home phone: _____ Other phone: _____

Parent mail address: _____

On the questions below, please mark yes or no:

Are you on an IEP, 504, or Intervention Plan?	___ Yes	___ No
Do you receive English Language Services?	___ Yes	___ No
Do you intend to participate in school athletics?	___ Yes	___ No

Please explain your reason for selecting credit flexibility – test out:

Course title: _____

DCS course code: _____ EMIS subject code: _____

When will you be taking this assessment? Beginning of school year At the end of 1st semester

Which semester test(s) are you requesting? Semester 1 Semester 2 Both

Please see 2nd page to complete application ----->

How does the Ohio High School Athletic Association Calculate Athletic Eligibility?

- A year-long course with a value of one (1) academic credit = 1 OHSAA equivalency per 9 weeks
- A semester course worth ½ academic credit = 1 OHSAA equivalency per 9 weeks
- A semester course (ex: Phys. Ed.) valued at ¼ academic credit = ½ OHSAA equivalency per 9 weeks

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The student and parent/guardian **must initial** each item below indicating that all parties agree to the following terms:

Student Parent

- _____ _____ It is understood that any grade earned through credit flexibility option 2 will be treated as a permanent grade on a student's transcript.
- _____ _____ Students may not retake the exam. If a student would like to replace the grade, the course must be taken in a traditional manner through Dublin City Schools curriculum.
- _____ _____ The student will hold sole responsibility for the preparation for this option. Students will not be given study materials. Students may pick up a course description/outline at their designated high school. Also, the graded course of study, for all classes, is available online at the district website.
- _____ _____ Using credit flexibility for core coursework may affect a student's ability to pass the state mandated tests and could jeopardize a student's graduation status.
- _____ _____ Choosing this option could negatively impact college admissions decisions. Students are encouraged to contact any college of interest to get a perspective from an admissions standpoint.
- _____ _____ The International Baccalaureate Program is not available for credit flexibility.
- _____ _____ Credit Flexibility may impact a student's athletic eligibility during high school (see explanation at the top of this page) and/or collegiate career. It is the student's responsibility to verify that flexible credits earned are NCAA acceptable.
- _____ _____ Some courses may require a performance component in addition to the exam in order to earn credit in this option. Examples may include science labs, food labs, additional writing or speaking component, etc.
- _____ _____ The exams will be given only 2 times per year: Once at the beginning of the school year, and again at the end of the 1st semester.
- _____ _____ The grade will be posted within 30 days of testing.
- _____ _____ Credit Flex can be used only for advanced credit.

SIGNATURES (student is responsible for securing **ALL** signatures prior to turning in this application)

By signing below, I acknowledge that I understand the above information and that the assessment grade earned will appear on my transcript.

_____	Print	&	Sign	_____
Student Applicant				Date
_____	Print	&	Sign	_____
Parent/Guardian				Date
_____	Print	&	Sign	_____
School Counselor				Date
_____	Print	&	Sign	_____
Teacher of Record				Date
_____	Print	&	Sign	_____
Principal				Date

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Office of Teaching & Learning Approved Not Approved Date _____

EMIS subject code: _____ Credit: _____ Initials: _____