

## **Dual Credit Policy**

Boyd County High School, in conjunction with specific post-secondary partners, offers college courses for dual credit. A tuition fee is required. These courses must be offered by BCHS and approved by the dual credit coordinator and/or CTE coordinator **before** enrollment to receive high school credit. Alternative credit forms for dual credit must be signed **before** enrollment and students will not be permitted to take dual credit courses through another post-secondary institution if it is offered through one of our partner schools (ACTC, MSU). Dual credit courses are open to juniors and seniors who meet college admittance requirements and high school requirements at a maximum of 12 college hours a school year. CTE dual credit courses must align to a pathway in the state program of studies. Sophomore overrides to take CTE dual credit courses must be approved by the college and the high school **before** enrollment. All dual credit courses must be on the student's schedule to receive high school credit. Transfer dual credit will only appear on your transcript if awarded by another high school.

Beginning with the Class of 2025, Dual Credit courses will be weighted as follows.

A=5 quality points  
B=4 quality points  
C=3 quality points  
D=1 quality point  
F=0 quality points

## **Dual Credit Procedure**

Students will be given the dual credit contract and the course offerings before scheduling with counselors in the spring.

### **Students must**

- a) have a 3.0 GPA to apply for general education dual credit courses and/or a 2.8 GPA to apply for CTE dual credit courses.
- b) meet college requirements before applying.
- c) complete the dual credit contract with a parent/guardian before scheduling begins.
- d) complete all registration steps and follow institution rules/deadlines to be enrolled.
- e) select scholarships by October 1 for fall and March 1 for spring.
- f) only take up to 12 hours of general education dual credit per year.

***Students may not add dual credit courses to their high school schedules after the start of the year. They may wait and apply to take courses the following year.***