College Academy Benefits

- If enrolled in a Wayne College class, students would receive a college ID which gives them access to the resources of an on-campus student (i.e. Learning Center, Library, Computer Labs).
- Textbooks and required learning resources will be provided.
- Classes offered within the College Academy program will meet four days a week. Fridays will be considered off, but will also be used for faculty office hours, remediation/tutoring, labs, internships, and service learning.
- Students enrolled in College Academy will operate on an open campus format (report only for scheduled class time).
- Grades earned in College Academy classes will be calculated on a 5.0 scale.
- A 3 or 4 college credit course will equate to 1 high school credit. 2 college credits = .67 HS and 1 college credit = .33 HS.

Additional Information

- College Credit Plus limits credit hours earned to 30 per year. Wayne College limits credit hours to 16 per semester.
- Student schedules are set in April of the previous school year and changes are not typically permitted. Although the colleges typically have drop deadlines of 1 week after the start of the course, be aware that replacement courses may be very limited.
- Three scenarios would require a student to pay for a course at the pre-determined per credit hour rate: Failure, dropping a course after deadline, or re-taking a course.
- At the end of each semester, any student with a cumulative GPA below 3.0 will not be allowed to continue in the College Academy program.

Rittman Exempted Village Schools

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Rittman, OH 44270
Phone: 330-927-7140

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Rittman High School College Academy

2026-2027

College Academy Goals

The goal of the College Academy program is to provide an on-campus option for students to take a full load of post-secondary courses.

Students could earn between 50-60 college credit hours over the course of two school years. These earned credit hours are transferrable to all public universities in the state of Ohio and some Ohio private institutions. Please refer to www.transferology.com

The courses taken by students count toward their graduation requirements for high school, are calculated in their high school GPA, and earn credits at the college level for post-high school education. The credits earned also afford students the ability to maintain eligibility for extra-curricular activities.

Partnerships have been established with the University of Akron/Wayne College, the University of Findlay and Stark State College.

Course Offerings

English/Communication

- Composition I (3 credits) *English ACT 18*
- Composition II (3 credits)
- Fiction Appreciation (3 credits)
- Intro to Public Speaking (3 credits)

Mathematics

- Algebra for Calculus (4 credits) *Math ACT 21*
- Pre-calculus (4 credits) *Math ACT 24*
- Calculus I (4 credits) *Math ACT 28*

Science

- Anatomy & Physiology (4 credits) *Univ of Findlay*
- Basic Chemistry (4 credits) *Univ of Findlay*
- Chemistry I (4 credits) *Univ of Findlay*
- Chemistry II (4 credits) *Univ of Findlay*

Social Studies

- Government and Politics in the US (3 credits)
- U.S. History to 1877 (3 credits)
- Intro to Psychology (3 credits)
- Empires of the Ancient World (3 credits)

World Languages

- Beginning Spanish I (4 credits)
- Beginning Spanish II (4 credits)

Music/Fine Arts

- Bach to Rock (3 credits)

College Academy Eligibility

- Student must be a junior or senior taking at least 2 CCP courses per semester (out of 5 courses minimum requirement per semester). No more than 1 can be online.
- A minimum 3.0 GPA, at the end of each semester
- Note: A student may be accepted into a college, but may not be eligible for CA benefits

Application Process

- Parents & student must attend a mandatory informational session in **October.**
- Online college applications must be completed by **April 1.** The College Credit Plus deadline for intent to participate is also **April 1.**
- Students will be notified of their acceptance into College Academy in **March** by the guidance office.
- Accepted students must attend an orientation at Wayne College in **April/May**.