Advanced Placement & Dual Credit

Course Information

Course Selection Process

- Course Selection Assembly April 24
- You do not need to obtain a teacher recommendation for AP or Dual Credit classes
- Students requesting a Dual Enrollment Course must meet the stated criteria either through SPC or Clearwater Christian College

Course Information

- AP and Dual Credit classes are both college level courses
- Students taking these classes are expected to be
 - motivated
 - disciplined to work independently
 - ability to participate at a higher level in class.

Advanced Placement Classes

- AP classes are college-level courses offered in high school.
- Students take an AP exam at the end of the course to show mastery of the college level work. The exam dates are in May and are set by College Board.
- A score of 3 or higher on an AP exam typically earns students college credit and/or placement into advanced courses in college. Colleges or universities set their own standard for AP scores.
- Students taking AP course are required to take the AP exam. The fee is \$89.

Dual Credit

- These classes are also college level classes.
- For the classes taught on our campus, the classes are taught in conjunction with SPC. The faculty teaching classes at Calvary have been credentialed by SPC to teach courses on our campus.
- Students earn high school credit while concurrently earning college credit.

Dual Credit

- Students need to be aware that they are starting their college transcript, and while it is a benefit to have earned some college credits, it can also be a detriment. For example, taking a dual credit class and earning an A yields an A on you high school transcript and your college transcript. Similarly, taking a DC class and earning a "D" will also show up on both high school and college transcripts.
- We are pleased to be able to offer Dual Enrollment classes in partnership with Clearwater Christian College. You will be hearing about three options that student will have to take classes on their campus and receive both college and high school credit

Benefits of AP and Dual Credit

- Students learn rigorous college-level content and skills
- Taking AP and or Dual Credit is valued in the college admission process
- Opportunity to earn valuable credit and placement in college
- Students with AP and/or Dual Credit experience will transition into college with the experience and discipline necessary for the higher expectations of college work.

Caution for AP & DC Courses

- More time in and out of the classroom required to complete assignments and projects
- High expectations for critical thinking, analysis, synthesis, evidence, multiple perspectives, and clear written and verbal communications
- Teachers are not going to be able to "spoon feed" or "hand hold."

Enrolling at St Pete College

- Verify Eligibility (Must have a minimum 3.0 UGPA) in the area of the course
- Apply on line You must apply as a Dual Enrollment student
- Obtain a Placement Test Referral for High School Programs (aka Pink Card) from Mrs. Peabody.
- 2 ways to qualify -
 - Take PERT test at SPC
 - Have your ACT or SAT scores verified by SPC
- Return Scores or Verification of ACT/SAT scores to Mrs. Peabody

Taking a Course at SPC that is not Offered at Calvary

- You need to meet the same eligibility as described above
- You will need to provide the course and section number of the course you wish to take to Mrs. Peabody
- Taking the course requires administrative approval

Enrollment Deadline at SPC

MAY 22nd

If you have not met the requirements for the requested class by May 22, you will not be scheduled for the course.

Dual Enrollment at Clearwater Christian College

- Complete and Submit the required application.
- Meet the stated criteria for the desired class
- College Algebra placement test will be given at CCHS in May

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College Acceptances

Resources

AP/DE 2015-16

SPC Dual Enrollment Process 2015-16

Clearwater Christian Dual Enrollment

AP Spanish

AP 2d Art Syllabus 2015-16

AP English Language and Composition 2015-16

AP Literature

AP Statistics and AP Calculus 2015-16

SPC Composition I & II Dual Enrollment

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College Algebra – Clearwater

College PreCalc - Clearwater

English Comp 1 & 2 - SPC

AP Gov/AP Eco - SPC