



Mt. San Jacinto Community College Dual Enrollment Program

An Opportunity for you!

TEMECULA VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL



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What is Dual Enrollment?

- Allows qualified juniors & seniors to earn college and high school credit while meeting high school graduation requirements
- For some this is an additional option other than AP courses
- Courses are offered here on TVHS campus
- Fast paced, rigorous courses
- A college semester course equals a full year high school course
- Space is limited by the MSJC class size caps.

More Dual Enrollment information

- No tuition fees
- TVHS students save thousands of dollars by completing DE courses. (Tuition rates vary between community college, state schools, & private universities)
- There is a \$6 RTA bus fee that all MSJC students have to pay each semester.
- No AP test fees
- You must have a 3.0 GPA in order to take the Dual Enrollment courses.

Dual Enrollment Objectives

- Increases college credits awarded to high school students.
- Reduces college costs for students and families.
- Reduces the length of time it takes for students to obtain their academic and/or career goals.

Why should I take Dual Enrollment courses?

- Begin college early
- Save money
- Easier transition to college



What courses are offered?

- English 101/Freshman Composition & 103/Critical Thinking & Writing.
- Math 105/College Algebra & 110/Pre-Calculus (Priority placement will be given to students who have not completed courses above Pre Calculus.)
- Spanish 101/Elementary Spanish I & 102/Elementary Spanish II (It is recommended that students complete high school Spanish 1 before taking these courses.)
- Biology 117/Conservation Biology & Biology 140/Ecology (new)
- Biology 117 & 140 taken in a cohort with English 101 & 103 (new)

Comparison of Dual Enrollment and Advanced Placement (AP) Math courses

Dual Enrollment Courses

-Math 105/College Algebra
(TVHS Algebra 2)
Will earn 4 college units

-Math 110/Pre Calculus
(TVHS Pre-Calculus)
Will earn 4 college units
(UC's limit the credits earned to 5)

-Calculus D (4 credits) & Intro. to
Differential Equations (3 credits) after
Accel Math (thru CSU San Marcos)

AP Math Courses

-Accelerated Pre Calculus and AP
Calculus AB & BC (2 year program)

-Can earn 2 AP scores on AP test at
end of 2nd year

Spanish 101 & 102

- Spanish 101 is 4 units and is the “equivalent” of TVHS Spanish 1 & 2
- Spanish 102 is 4 units and is the “equivalent” of TVHS Spanish 3 & 4.
- By taking Spanish 101 in semester 1 & Spanish 102 in semester 2 students can complete 4 years of high school Spanish and earn 8 college units.
- It is recommended that students complete at least Spanish 1 at TVHS before taking DE Spanish 101.
- May have an afternoon/evening required event as part of course.

Biology 117 Conservation Biology & Biology 140/Ecology

- Biology 140 is a lab course so will have extra time commitment (usually with Advisement)
- Biology 117/Conservation Biology & Biology 140/Ecology are paired.
- English 101/103 cohort with Biology 117/140 (new offering)

English 101/103 & Biology 117/140

(new cross curricular project for 2020-2021)

For students who are:

- **Passionate about the environment**
- **Concerned about environmental issues**
- **Want to express their thoughts and feelings through the action of creative nonfiction writing**

The specifics:

- **Students will be simultaneously enrolled in both DE Science and DE English for both semesters and earn college credits**
- **They will create works of nonfiction -- creative writing based in science**
- **The goal is to publish: online, in various journals and, eventually, a book anthology**

What's next?



- If you are interested download a form, fill it out, and return it to the Counseling office.
- You must complete the MSJC application & orientation before you can be scheduled into the class.

