

# JOHNSON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL DUAL ENROLLMENT INFORMATION



**Earn  
College Credit  
in  
High School**

# GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



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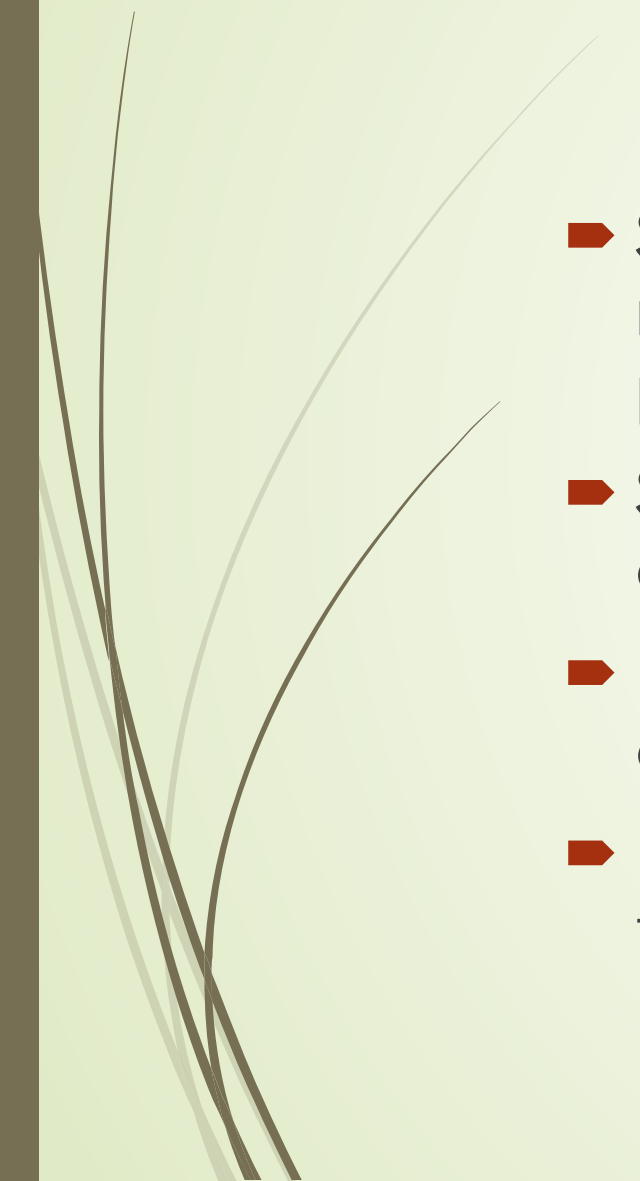
# BENEFITS



- Increases exposure to college-level classes while still in high school
- Allows students with specific goals (academic or career) greater flexibility to attain those goals
- May provide an easier transition from high school to college
- Reduced costs to the student and/or families: covers tuition, mandatory fees, and required textbooks (professor recommended books may not be covered)
- Students receive both high school and post-secondary credit at the same time



# BENEFITS

- Students can attend multiple colleges/universities, but must not exceed the 15 hours per semester or 12 hours per quarter.
  - Students can participate in any high school extracurricular activity, even if they are fulltime DE.
  - DE Courses receive extra weight on HOPE Scholarship calculations.
  - DE Core Courses meet the Academic Rigor requirement for HOPE.
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# ELIGIBILITY



- 9th Grade- ineligible
- 10th Grade
- May enroll in Career, Technical and Agricultural Education (CTAE) courses at a participating TCSG institution only
- High Achievers- SAT score of 1200 or an ACT score of 26, prior to the summer 2020, may enroll in any approved Dual Enrollment courses at a TCSG, USG or private eligible participating postsecondary institution.
- 11th & 12th Grade
- Must meet post-secondary admission requirements to take any approved Dual Enrollment courses at an eligible USG, TCSG or private institution until they reach their capped number of hours.

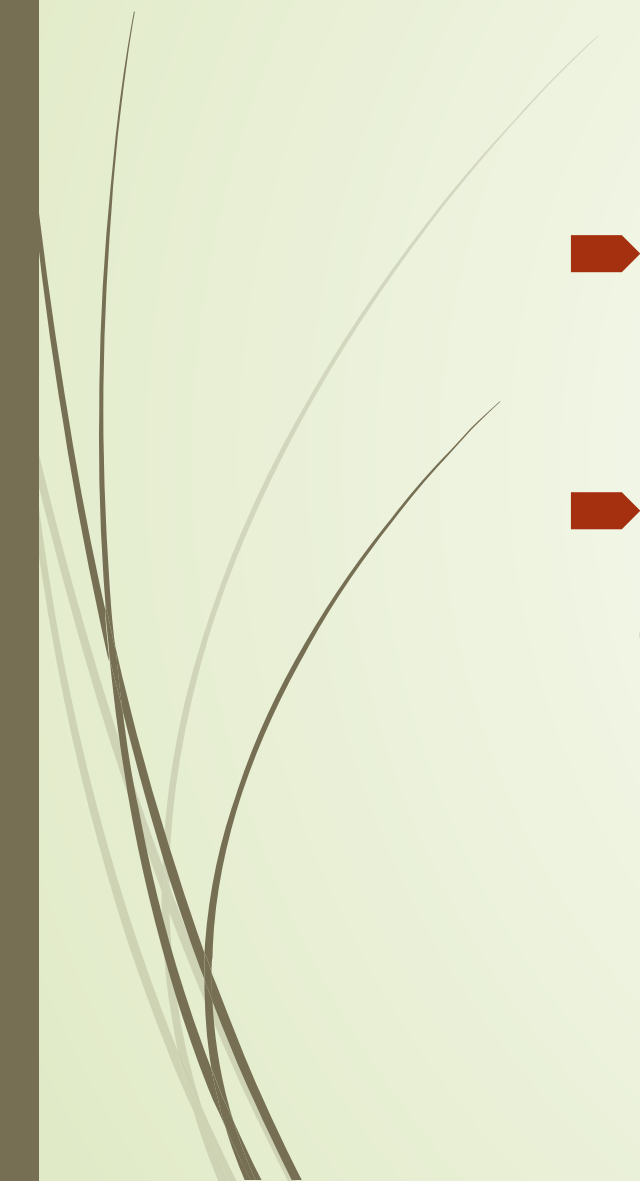


# DUAL ENROLLMENT

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- Dual enrollment program allows eligible high school students to earn college credit while working on their high school diploma.
  - The approved course list is available on [Gafutures.org](http://Gafutures.org) for both technical and 4 year colleges and universities.



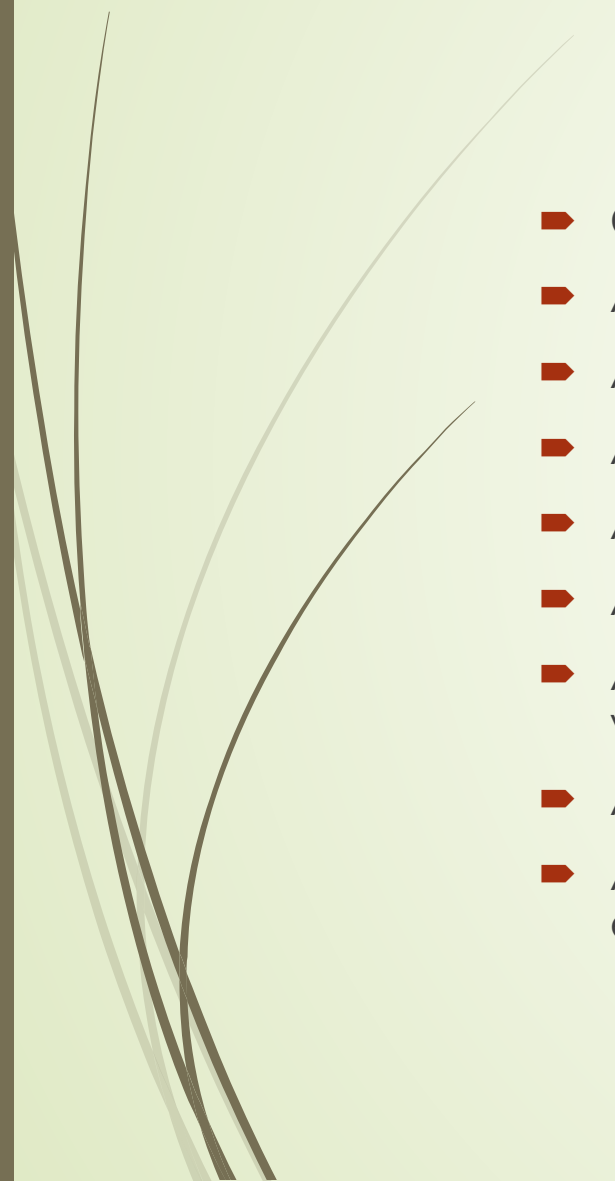
## LIMITS ON STATE FUNDED DE

- Term Cap- 15 hours per semester or 12 hours per quarter
  - Participation and funding is capped at 30 semester or 45 quarter hours
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# ARE YOU READY FOR DE?

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- Consider the following:
  - Are you eligible to participate in Dual Enrollment?
  - Are you self-motivated?
  - Are you proactive in completing assignments and studying?
  - Are you diligent in reporting to class?
  - Are you an independent learner?
  - Are you able to communicate with your teachers/instructors, independently of your parents?
  - Are you proactive in keeping up with school events/activities?
  - Are you able to maintain positive academic behavior while involved in extracurricular activities?



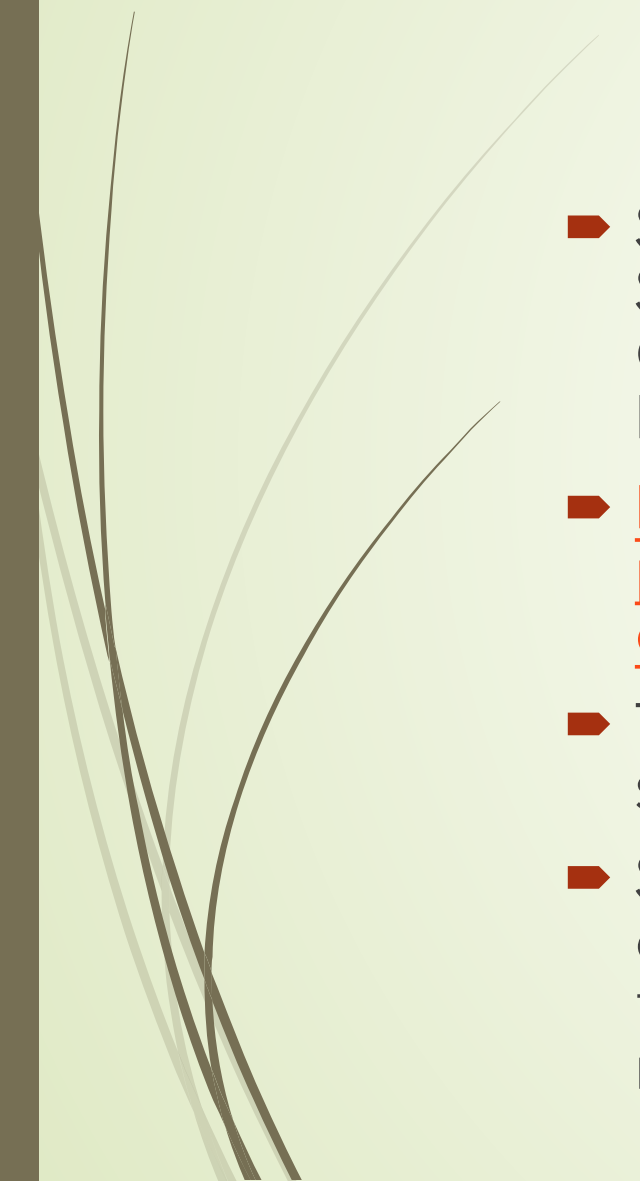


# HOW DOES DUAL ENROLLMENT WORK?

- Advisement must be given to all students grades 8-12 regarding DE by February 1st.
- Students must apply and be accepted to the post-secondary institution they wish to attend.
- Students will need to complete an ONLINE DE Funding Application each semester or quarter and Participation Agreement once per year (unless the student changes schools).

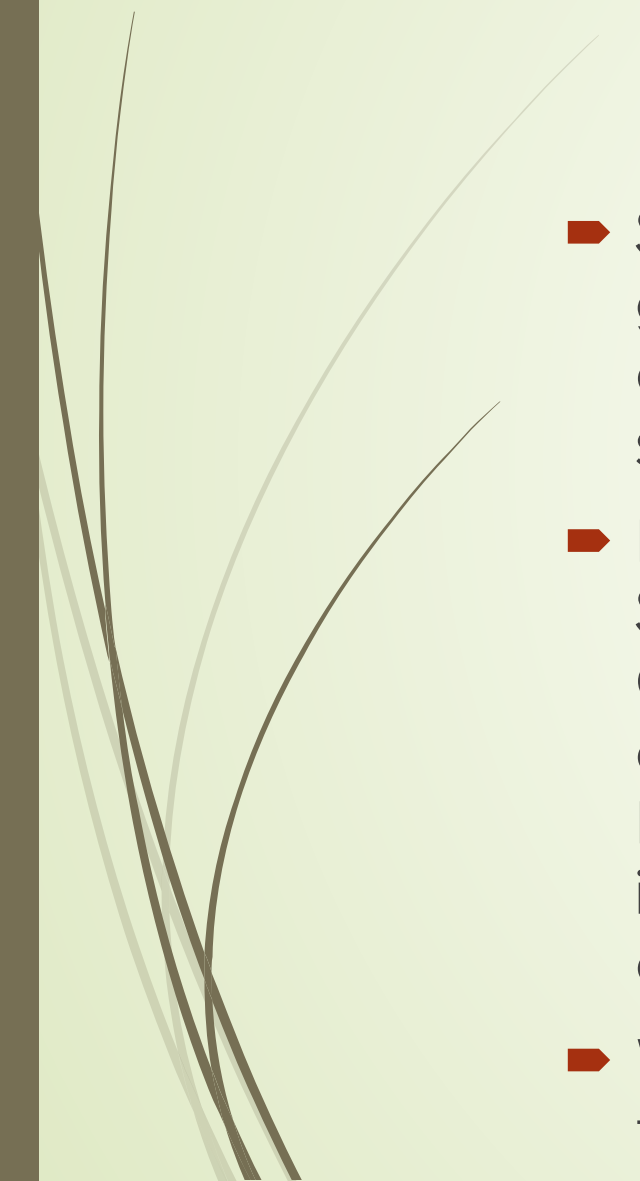


# HOW DOES DUAL ENROLLMENT WORK?

- Students enrolling in approved DE courses through University System of Georgia (USG) and Technical College System of Georgia (TCSG) will not pay any tuition or mandatory fees; books will be provided
  - <https://www.gafutures.org/hope-state-aid-programs/scholarships-grants/dual-enrollment/course-directory/>
  - There may be course specific fees, such as lab fees, that will still be the responsibility of the student.
  - Students who take **American Literature** and **Biology** at college for high school credit must take the End of Course test as a final exam that shall count as a portion of the final numeric grade.
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# HOW DOES DUAL ENROLLMENT WORK?

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- SB 220 requires Personal Finance & Economics course to graduate high school. We are waiting on DE guidelines but at this time students would have to take this at the high school.
  - DE courses do not count toward your HOPE SCHOLARSHIP/ZELL MILLER CAP hours and do not count in the College HOPE eligibility GPA calculations (after a student is enrolled in college) but the DE courses DO count into the High School HOPE GPA calculation and therefore, a student's initial HOPE eligibility when graduating high school and entering college as a college student.
  - While you are in high school and creating your HOPE GPA, these DE courses are calculated into your GPA.



# WITHDRAWAL & RETAKE POLICIES

- Students may not receive funding for the same DE course twice. DE courses (passed/ failed/withdrawn) cannot be retaken and receive funding.
- Grades of W, WD or WF (withdrawal from a course) given at the college will equate to a “F” on the high school transcript.
- Students becomes ineligible to continue to receive funding from the program after their 2nd withdrawal.
- Students who wish to retake a course or continue participating after 2 withdrawals may request an Extenuating Circumstance Exception.



# DE APPLICATION PROCESS



- 1. Parent and student must meet with their counselor to discuss DE interests/options and graduation requirements.
- 2. Student must take the appropriate test (i.e. SAT, ACT, ACCUPLACER) to gain admission into the university/college if required by the college.
- 3. Student must meet GPA requirements for college admission.
- 4. Student must submit all required documentation to the college/university.
- 5. After acceptance is received, the student and parent meet with school counselor to discuss course options and complete any applicable course registration and agreements (mandatory).
- 6. After acceptance is received, the student completes the DE Funding/online application (GAfutures.org).
- 7. Student registers for DE classes with the college advisor based on courses approved by the high school counselor at least 10 days prior to the university deadline.
- 8. Students obtain a copy of the college schedule and gives a copy to the high school counselor for verification of graduation requirements.
- 9. At the end of the semester/quarter, the college will provide the high school counselor with a copy of the transcript; however, the student can also provide the college/university official transcript to the counselor.
- 10. Steps 1-9 must be repeated each semester or quarter a student wishes to enroll in DE.



# COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY ADMISSION PROCESS FROM SOME OF OUR PARTNER UNIVERSITIES





# Georgia Student Finance Commission



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procedures, policies and  
forms.





# REMINDERS



- Complete the student & parent sections of the DE online application (Part I)
- The school counselor must be informed of any changes.
- Grades of W, WD or WF (withdrawal from a course) given at the college will equate to a “F” on the high school transcript, unless there are extenuating circumstances.
- Make sure your counselor receives a copy of the transcript at the end of each semester or quarter.
- Contact the counselor for participating in DE for the following semester.
- Follow all deadlines for the college/university.
- Make sure you balance your high school and college courses if you enroll in both.
- Make the most of this awesome opportunity!!



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2025 Cohort use code @had773

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