

West Shore Jr. Sr. High School

**A Dual Enrollment Opportunity for
Motivated High School Students!**



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Please look for this document as well as other supporting materials related to dual enrollment on our dual enrollment webpage

West Shore
Academics
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Dual Enrollment

or use this direct link to the page:

<https://www.brevardschools.org/Page/17937>

What is Dual Enrollment?



High school students earn high school and college credit at the same time.

West Shore DE Options

Part-Time Dual Enrollment	On Campus College Algebra/Trig	Early Admissions
Up to 3 courses each semester and 1 in the summer	On campus Dual Enrollment math courses	All course work taken at EFSC
10 th , 11 th , 12 th Grade	12 th Grade	12 th grade only
Standard DE admission steps	Standard DE admission steps	Standard DE admission steps AND an additional EA application packet

Dual Enrollment Course Weight

Dual Enrollment courses are weighted the same as *AP, IB, and AICE*:

- ▶ When your high school calculates your overall weighted high school GPA
- ▶ When state universities calculate your high school GPA in the core academic classes for university admission decisions

Associate in Arts Degree

- Two-year degree for students whose goal is a bachelor's degree or higher at a university
- Equivalent to freshman & sophomore years at a state university (60 credit hours)
- Combination of general education and elective courses chosen to meet selected university major prerequisites
- Students graduating with an AA degree maintain first time in college benefits at state universities



Admission Requirements

Dual Enrollment

1. State *cumulative* unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher.
2. Record of good attendance and responsible behavior
3. Passing Reading & Writing scores on PERT, ACT, or SAT
4. Indication on your 2022-2023 Course Selection Sheet that you intend on taking DE courses and how many
5. Completion of West Shore's DE Contract
6. Completion of EFSC Online Application
7. Official High School Transcripts sent to EFSC
8. *Attend DE Student Orientation (currently virtual)*
9. Meet program deadlines and requirements.

DE Class Times/Schedule

- ▶ If you are taking 3 courses:
 - ▶ Periods 1st – 4th at West Shore
 - ▶ Periods 5th – 7th are DE (afternoon, evening, online options)
- ▶ If you are taking 2 courses:
 - ▶ Periods 1st – 5th at West Shore
 - ▶ Periods 6th & 7th are DE (afternoon, evening, online options)
- ▶ Remember! Courses required for High School Graduation will be scheduled at West Shore. You must take your math and your English courses at West Shore – no exceptions!
 - ▶ Unless you are an EA student or taking College Algebra/Trig on campus 😊
 - ▶ Unless you are taking them *in addition* to your West Shore English and Math classes 😊

Required Minimum Scores

	READING	WRITING	MATH
SAT	24	25 (& Lang)	27.5
ACT	19	17 (English)	20
PERT	106	103	123
ACCUPLACER	245	245	258

You must test in all three areas, however, you only need to qualify in math if you are going to take a math course

Only applies to senior EA students and junior/seniors taking the on campus College Algebra and Trig courses

On Campus SAT

- **Wednesday, March 1st from 8:30-12:30 (various locations on campus)**
- ONLY for current Juniors (11th)
- **All juniors are automatically registered for the test and the cost is covered through the West Shore PTA** 😊
- Please check the SAT/ACT websites for additional testing days (Saturdays) and locations in the area

What should I do if I can't take the West Shore SAT or don't have qualifying scores?

Option 1: SAT or ACT

- Please check the SAT/ACT websites for additional testing days (Saturdays) and locations in the area

Option 2: PERT (\$10 re-take fee)

- ▶ To schedule a in-person PERT, students may call the:
 - Melbourne Campus Assessment Center at 321-433-5879
 - Cocoa Campus Assessment Center at 321-433-7694
- ▶ Appointment slots are scheduled between 9:00 AM and 1:45 PM, Monday through Thursday.

Option 3: Remote ACCUPLACER Next Generation (\$25.00 per section)

- ▶ Online proctored exam service (Examiity).
 - May be taken using a personal computer or laptop. (Chromebooks and tablets are not supported)
 - The exam fee is \$25 and is payable directly to Examiity.

Link to the Remote Placement Exam Process:

<https://www.easternflorida.edu/admissions/placement-testing/college-credit-placement-testing/remote-process.cfm>

You must wait 30 days before you can re-test



Get prepared!!!

1. Google *PERT Study Guide* and *PERT Practice Tests*
2. Search *College Placement Test on the Eastern Florida Website*
3. Students may retest 30 days after original testing at EFSC (\$10 re-test fee)
4. Schedule your retest appointment as soon as possible but ensure your date is at least 30 days from your initial test date

Requirements to STAY in the DE High School Program

- ❑ “C” or higher in designated courses requiring writing skills and math competencies (College Algebra or higher)
- ❑ Maintain state cumulative high school GPA of 3.0 or higher
- ❑ Qualify for MAC 1105 or MGF 1106 by the fall term of 12th grade
- ❑ College “Term” GPA of at least 2.0 each term
- ❑ Cannot Withdraw in more than one



Benefits of Dual Enrollment

The Dual Enrollment Program enables students to:

- Adjust to college expectations while still in high school
- Complete elective and some academic requirements in a small class environment
- Use college courses to explore career interests and identify their university major
- Potentially earn a university-transfer Associate in Arts (AA) degree with their high school diploma (the first two years of college with no tuition, textbook costs, or lab fees)

How will EFSC staff help you chart your pathway?

College advisors help students:

- ▶ Plan their degree program
- ▶ Register for classes
- ▶ Use “myGPS” to track courses toward their degree program
- ▶ Access academic support services



EFSC offers:

- ▶ Career Planning & Development Centers to help students identify career interests and skills
- ▶ Elective courses, such as *Discover Your Major and Career*
- ▶ Seminars and clubs in selected career fields

Factors to Consider

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- ▶ EFSC grades stay on permanent college AND high school transcript and GPA
- ▶ Poor grades can impact scholarships and university admission
- ▶
- ▶ Must provide own transportation for classes outside school day
- ▶ Additional study expectations with college coursework
- ▶ Summer classes may be needed to earn degree by graduation
- ▶ Balancing college, high school, and extracurricular demands is necessary
- ▶ Courses designed for adults – **NO** modifications made to accommodate age and maturity level
- ▶ Must meet high school and AA degree requirements

Considerations for Parents

- ❖ High school counselor is point of contact for parents seeking information about student
- ❖ Parents may not contact college instructors for student information (FERPA)
- ❖ Families must follow both high school and EFSC calendars
- ❖ Students required to leave campus for DE periods
- ❖ Students must adhere to the high school's procedures/deadlines to obtain free college textbooks
- ❖ Students are responsible for purchasing required consumables (i.e. workbooks and lab manuals)
- ❖ The college does NOT have an excused absence policy; attendance requirements are specified in each course syllabus

Getting Started!

1. Attend the Dual Enrollment Information Presentation at your school (Feb 2)
2. Indicate on your 2023-2024 Course Selection Sheet that you intend to take DE courses and how many
3. Take the PERT (or Accuplacer Test) if you do not have qualifying ACT or SAT scores **(Deadline 3/30/23)**
 - ▶ Meet the minimum scores and retest in 30 days if needed
4. Complete West Shore's DE Contract and return to College and Career Office
5. Complete EFSC Online Application **(Deadline 3/30/23)**
6. Upon qualifying/being admitted, complete Dual Enrollment Online Orientation **(Deadline 3/30/23)**
7. Complete a Transcript Request for EFSC (Ms. Kellner in Guidance)

Then....



1. Contact your West Shore School Counselor to complete the Dual Enrollment Registration Form (DERF)
 - ▶ See Ms. Feldbush for assistance, get required signature from guidance counselor
 - ▶ you may choose 1, 2 or 3 DE periods
 - ▶ You will still have 7 total classes (WS + DE)
 - ▶ courses must be on BPS approved list
 - ▶ You may only choose 16 week courses
 - ▶ **(when the Fall Term schedule is released, around April 13th)**
2. Upload your DERF to the EFSC Advising Dropbox through your myEFSC Portal
3. Check your student Titan email for information about your registration status
4. Print a copy of your “Student Detail Schedule” and bring it to Ms. Feldbush in the College and Career Office
 - ▶ She will get a copy to Mr. Drake for books
 - ▶ And a copy to Ms. Kellner for your transcript

Important Dates



☐ Attend the Dual Enrollment Information Presentation at your school: **Feb 2**

☐ Have Qualifying Test Scores

☐ Submit Student/Parent Agreement/Contract

☐ Complete EFSC Online Application

☐ Complete EFSC Dual Enrollment Virtual Orientation

March 30^h

☐ Summer Registration Window opens: **April 10^h**

☐ Submit Summer Schedule to Guidance and Media Center: **April 24th**

☐ Fall Registration Window opens: **TBA (typically the first week in May)**

☐ Submit Fall Schedule to Guidance and Media Center: **May 24th**

Students who have not submitted their EFSC paperwork by May 24th will not be eligible for DE for the 2022-2023 School Year. No exceptions.

Important Dates (cont'd...)

▶ **Summer 2023 Terms**

- ▶ May 15 – August 4: Summer A (12-weeks)
- ▶ May 15 – June 23: Summer B (6-weeks)
- ▶ June 12 – August 4: Summer C (8-weeks)
- ▶ June 26 – August 4: Summer D (6-weeks)

▶ **9th Grade Students**

Limited to Summer C and D

▶ **Fall 2023 Term: TBA**

Early Admission Info

- ▶ Senior year students completing their entire coursework through EFSC
- ▶ Same Admission Requirements with additional Application Packet due in April
- ▶ Plan backwards and early!
- ▶ **All subject-area graduation requirements MUST be completed prior to entering 12th grade EXCEPT:**
 - ▶ 1.0 English credit
 - ▶ 1.0 Science elective credit
 - ▶ 1.0 Social Studies elective credit
- ▶ **If you leave these for 12th grade, you MUST take these as college level courses and potentially risk your graduation**
- ▶ Extracurriculars through HS allowed? YES!
- ▶ **Senior Project still required?** **YES!!!!**
- ▶ Other courses (BVS, FLVS, etc.) NO!!

Contact Information

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Useful Links

▶ EFSC Testing: Go to EFSC website: www.easternflorida.edu

Insert RegisterBlast in the search box to schedule your PERT testing appointment online.

▶ West Shore Dual Enrollment Homepage

<https://www.brevardschools.org/Page/17937>

▶ EFSC Dual Enrollment Homepage

<https://www.easternflorida.edu/admissions/dual-enrollment/>

▶ EFSC Early Admissions Homepage

<https://www.easternflorida.edu/admissions/dual-enrollment/early-admissions-details.cfm>

▶ EFSC DE Orientation and Advising Homepage

<https://www.easternflorida.edu/admissions/dual-enrollment/orientation-advisors.cfm>