

DE Information

Spring 2017

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Sign up for remind!

- A If you have a smartphone, get push notifications.

Text the message @dehhsnew to the number 81010.

If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting @dehhsnew to (407) 583-4479.

** Standard text message rates apply.*



What is Dual Enrollment?

- ▶ DE is an opportunity for students to take college classes while attending high school. Dual Enrollment is paid for by the School District of Osceola County.
- ▶ There are 5 options for DE
 1. Valencia College
 2. TECO
 3. UCF**
 4. UF**
 5. Polk State College

****PART TIME STATUS ONLY.**

Purpose of DE

- ▶ Opportunity for students to experience the college atmosphere.
- ▶ Dual Enrollment is designed to allow students to take courses not usually offered in high school.
- ▶ The purpose of DE is to earn college credit towards an Associate or Bachelors Degree while simultaneously earning high school credit.

Is DE right for everyone?

- ▶ No, DE is not for everyone but students who succeed in DE possess the following qualities:
 - ▶ **Strong Academic Skills**
 - ▶ **Solid Study Habits**
 - ▶ **Dedicated**
 - ▶ **Independent**
 - ▶ **Trustworthy**
 - ▶ **Mature** (students will be with adults)
 - ▶ **Strive for success**
 - ▶ **Good Time Management Skills!!!**

DE Reminders

- ▶ Courses become part of students' **permanent college transcripts**.
 - ▶ Ex. If a student earns a D, their college transcripts will show a 1.0 GPA. This can drop them from future College admissions and Scholarships.
 - ▶ Ex. If a student withdraws from a class, it can endanger their Financial Aid and scholarship opportunities.

DE Reminders Continued

- ▶ Students may feel a disconnect from high school events and their peers
 - ▶ Students need to check on a regular basis
 - ▶ HHS Website:
<http://hrhs.osceolaschools.net/>
 - ▶ Follow Remind
 - ▶ Students will need to make sure the courses they choose for DE also meet the requirements for **high school graduation** and/or **AA Degree**

HHS Website

▶ www.hrhs.osceolaschools.net



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Welcome to Harmony High School Guidance! Please see our sub-links for information on topics to make high school successful.

AP vs. DE

▶ AP Classes

- ❑ 5.0 weight
- ❑ Can earn up to 9 college credits per class (Depending on AP exam score)
- ❑ Most colleges accept AP exam credits
- ❑ Can strengthen transcript

▶ DE Courses

- ❑ 5.0 weight
- ❑ Earn 3 or 4 college credits per class
- ❑ Most Florida colleges accept credits
- ❑ Can strengthen transcript

How do you know which is best?

- ▶ Ask yourself what are your future plans?
- ▶ Will you attend college in Florida or out of state?
- ▶ Will your DE classes transfer?
- ▶ Does your college want to see DE/AP or both? Do your research.

Contact Colleges

It is very important to research your college choices before you enter into DE. Some out of state colleges do not accept DE course credits.

UCF



UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA

- ▶ 11th & 12th grade DE
- ▶ Locations: Main Campus or online
- ▶ Maximum of 6 credit hours each semester no summer courses/Gen Ed courses only
 - ▶ 3.8 core weighted GPA
 - ▶ ACT 26, SAT 1200 reading/math
 - ▶ **Deadline May 1st for Fall 2017**
- ▶ 12th Early Admissions
- ▶ More info and to apply: [UCF DE and EA](#)

UF



- ▶ 11th & 12th grade DE
- ▶ Location: **Online ONLY**
- ▶ Maximum of 6 credit hours per semester no summer courses. UF chooses course options
 - ▶ 3.5 unweighted GPA
 - ▶ PSAT 142/1030, ACT 21, SAT 1490 all sections (1000 new SAT)
 - ▶ **Deadline May 19th for Fall 2017**
- ▶ More info and to apply: [UF DE](#)

Polk State College



- ▶ Location: Winter haven, Lakeland, Bartow, Lake Wales, and online classes
- ▶ Dual Enrollment (grades 6th-12) credit hours depend on core classes earned. **No summer.**
- ▶ 3.0 unweighted GPA college ready test scores
- ▶ Early Admissions for 12th grade
- ▶ [Polk DE information](#)

TECO



- ▶ **Locations:** St. Cloud, Kissimmee, Poinciana
- ▶ 11th and 12th grade DE only (students attend half day at TECO and finish HHS grad. requirements online or at school for up to 3 periods.)
- ▶ **2.0+ unweighted GPA**
- ▶ **MUST be on track for graduation!**

TECO Application

- ❑ Obtain DE application from Guidance Office
- ❑ Fill out application
- ❑ Make sure both student and parent/guardian sign!
- ❑ Bring back to Guidance Counselor to sign/approve application
- ❑ TECO will be picking up completed apps at HHS on a weekly basis.
- ❑ Application Deadline: **February 28th**

- ▶ 3.0 unweighted GPA
- ▶ **Under 16 must be escorted between classes by a parent and attend under 16 meeting**
- ▶ College Ready Scores any combination:

Language arts:

Math:

PERT	Reading 106	Writing 103	Math 123 114 (Intermediate, MAT1033C)
ACT	Reading 19	English 17	Math 21 19 (Intermediate, MAT1033C)
SAT	Critical Reading 440		Math 500 440 (Intermediate, MAT1033C)

Valencia Application

- ▶ More info: [Valencia DE](#)
- ▶ **Application Deadline for Fall 2017: April 7th**
 - ▶ Fill out application (typed only, not written) and print out.
 - ▶ Both the student and parent/guardian must sign
 - ▶ Bring App to your guidance counselor to sign
 - ▶ Valencia Coach will be taking applications to VC

PERT at HHS

- ▶ HHS is offering the PERT to students, who turn in their completed applications to Guidance **by March 6th**.
- ▶ The PERT will be given to these students **March 9th**(3 sections)
- ▶ If you don't pass any section, you **MUST** retest at Valencia Campus (Lake Nona or Osceola).
- ▶ **Test score deadline for Fall 2017: April 28th**

For all students interested in PERT see HHS Website for study info: [PERT Info](#)

Choose What Works Best

- ▶ You can split your day between HHS and DE
- ▶ The Breakdown
 - ▶ **4 DE courses + 0 periods at HHS**
 - ▶ **3 DE courses + 3 periods at HHS**
 - ▶ **2 DE courses + 4 periods at HHS**
 - ▶ **1 DE course + 5 periods at HHS**

What do I take? See HHS website

From Your Counselors

Thank you, and please remember your counselors are here to support you. We can't wait to see you through graduation!



Go Longhorns!!