Dual Enrollment Information Meeting

2024-2025

Please sign in using the QR code, & pick up the DE packet.

Information subject to change based on legislative action

Welcome!

Agenda:

- Learn about the Dual Enrollment (DE) program

- Hear from local college DE representatives

What is Dual Enrollment??

- The Dual Enrollment program is an opportunity for qualified high school students to earn college credits.
- The student is concurrently enrolled in high school and in college.
- The student can be a full time or part time college student.
- The student earns college credits as well as high school credits needed for graduation.

Who is eligible to participate?

- 11th & 12th graders who are **college ready**
  - 10th graders are only eligible to take CTAE electives at technical colleges (TCSG); most colleges <u>do not</u> accept 10th graders
- No residency or citizenship requirement
- Must meet postsecondary admission requirements
- Cannot have already met graduation requirements at the start of the school year

What are the Benefits??

- <u>Free</u> head start on college-Dual Enrollment covers tuition, books & mandatory fees
- Access to a variety of advanced curriculum
- Provides flexibility with scheduling
- Helps students with the transition to college from high school
- Opportunity to investigate and pursue career goals
- DE does not cut into credit hours for the HOPE Scholarship
- Attendance during fall, spring and summer is possible; full time or part-time
- Students may still remain connected to SKG through extracurricular and other activities

Course Sequencing

English

*American Lit is required (HS or DE) w/ EOC

Math

*Must complete Adv. Alg before taking DE Math

Foreign Lang.

Science

*Intro to Bio cannot count as 4th sci. credit

CTAE

Career, Technical, Agricultural classes

Social Studies

*Beginning Summer 2025, Econ 1101 is the only course meeting graduation requirements

-Not all courses are funded by the state; you must meet with your counselor before registering for a class

-Not all classes are available at all institutions

Advising Students

2024-2025 CURRICULUM CHECKSHEET for BACHELOR OF SCIENCE majoring in INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (BSIT)
For students entering the program in 2024-2025

Student Services, IT 1208 (912) 478-4877
Allen E. Paulson College of Engineering & Computing
Georgia Southern University

Name: _____ Eagle ID: _____

Communication in Writing (9hrs) ** Grades must be C or better		H	G	Sem
Communication Skills (6 hrs)				
ENGL 1101	Composition I	3		
ENGL 1102	Composition II ('C' in ENGL 1101 or WRIT 1101)	3		
MATH Skills (3 hrs)				
MATH 1111	College Algebra (Two years of high school algebra or equivalent)	3		

Institutional Priority – Global Focus (7 hrs)		H	G	Sem
HIST 1111 **OR** HIST 1112	World History I World History II	3		
CORE 2000	CORE Capstone	1		
Global Perspective Course		3		

Arts, Humanities & Ethics Arts (6 hrs)		H	G	Sem
Art 1000, ARTH 2531 or 2532, COMM 1110, FORL 1001, MUSC 1100, or THEA 1100 [COMM 1110 - Public Speaking ('C' in ENGL 1101 or WRIT 1101) – *Recommended*]		3		
ENGL 2100, 2111 or 2112 or PHIL 2110 or 2130		3		

Technology, Math, and Sciences (11 hrs)		H	G	Sem
Select two lab science courses (8 hrs):				
		4		
		4		

Major Requirements (34-35 hrs)		H	G	Sem
MATH 2130	Discrete Mathematics (Prior or concurrent enrollment in MATH 1232 or a 'C' in MATH 1111, MATH 1112, MATH 1113, MATH 1441, or MATH 2242.	3		
IT 2333	IT Infrastructure ('C' in IT 1130 and prior or concurrent enrollment in (STAT 1401 or MATH 1401))	3		
IT 2530	Operating Systems ('C' in IT 1130)	3		
IT 2531	Introduction to Cyber Security	3		
IT 3133	Electronic Commerce ('C' in IT 3233)	3		
IT 3231	Data Communications & Networking ('C' in IT 2333)	3		
IT 3233	Database Design & Implementation ('C' in (IT 2430, CSCI 1236, OR CSCI 1301), (IT 2530), AND (MATH 2130).	3		
IT 3234	Computer Systems Acquisition ('C' in IT 2333, IT 2531, and (COMM 1110 or COMM 1100).	3		
IT 4130	Modern I.T. Management ('C' in IT 3234)	3		
IT 4530	Senior Capstone Project ('C' in IT 2431, IT 3231, IT 3233, IT 3234, Senior Standing, and a minimum of 33 hours of coursework in the program)	3		
IT 4790	Internship in Information Technology (Permission of Instructor)	3		

Specialization: Choose 9 hours from one specialization or 9 hours of upper division IT classes		H	G	Sem
Cybersecurity				
IT 3530	Information System Security ('C' in IT 2531)	3		
IT 4336	Network Security ('C' in IT 3530)	3		
IT 4337	Ethical Hacking ('C' in IT 3530)	3		

Which colleges participate?

- Colleges within:
  - University System of Georgia (30)
  - Technical College System of Georgia (22)
  - SACS - accredited private colleges (21)
- Most of our SKG students attend the following colleges:
  - Gwinnett Technical College
  - Georgia Gwinnett College
  - University of North Georgia
  - Toccoa Falls College

Things Current Students Like Most About Dual Enrollment

- Independence & freedom
- Freedom to pick schedule/flexibility of classes
- Getting ahead with college credits
- College experience
- Sleeping in
- Ability to work ahead
- Weekly assignment options instead of daily

Some Challenging Issues…..

- Communication w/professors; not always easy to reach
- Grade determined by 3 tests/essays or low amount of assignments
- Time management; keeping up w/workload
- Breaks are not the same as GCPS
- Procrastination–students work at own pace
- Classes move quickly–must study more

Some Challenging Issues…...

- Navigating online platforms, course expectations, textbooks, etc.
- Some professors are not as understanding as SKG teachers
- Professors don't tell you exactly what to study for –must study consistently and take good notes
- Possibly taking classes outside of SKG hours

Part-Time

- Take a combination of classes at SKG and the college
- **Minimum 6 classes are taken between the college and SKG** (ex. 3 at college & 3 at SKG)
- Plan college classes and class times around the courses student selected to take at SKG
- If taking an online DE course, students may opt to work in our lab on campus for a class period

Full-Time

- Attend classes at the college full-time; No classes at SKG
- Minimum of 4 classes at the college for both semesters
- Take up to 15 semester hours
- Still considered SKG student
- Must earn 2.5 credits per semester in order to be eligible for participation in athletics

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- A **total of 30 DE credit hours** will be funded by the state. Any additional credits are self-pay.
- The state will <u>not</u> pay for a student to retake a class.
- If a student **withdraws from 2 courses or fails 2 courses**, they will **<u>not</u>** be eligible to continue in the DE program.
- Student must maintain "Satisfactory Academic Progress" at the college – **can be denied participation for violation of college rules or academic progress.**

Considerations for DE

- **Students must have transportation** to & from the college (if applicable); must factor in travel time, parking, traffic, bell schedules, etc.
- **College and high school breaks/holidays often do not align.**
- **College attendance policies are strict**: absences may not be excused due to state play-offs, family vacation, etc.

- **DE courses start a student's college GPA and transcript!**
- Student may be in classes with adults and be the youngest in the room.
- SKG announcements or information could be missed; **students must check in with the SKG website/senior page for important information.**

Considerations for DE

- Student services (504 Plans, IEP, etc.) must be arranged with the college by the student. Please speak to your case manager prior to enrolling in dual enrollment courses. Accommodations given at the college could be different than ones given at SKG.

- Students may be assigned to a lab period if working on an online DE course, and attendance is required. (Students w/o their own transportation)

- If not in a DE Lab, students are not allowed to be on SKG's campus on days or periods they don't have their college classes. Students can't hang out in the media center, collaboration space, etc.

A Few More Things to Consider:

- Colleges **communicate with the student**-not the parent or with SKG.
- Students **must be able to handle all college responsibilities** on their own.
- Final grades are sent at the **end of the semester**-SKG and parents may not know about failing grades until the end of the semester.

- Competitive colleges may not consider dual enrollment courses as rigorous as Advanced Placement courses.
- Credit transferability is **<u>not</u>** guaranteed.
- Some course specific fees must be covered by the student.

How does grading work??

- Letter grades from the college will be transcribed as:
  - **A=95   B=85   C=75   D=70   F=55**
- ALL DE grades are included on the high school transcript – including F's and withdrawals. (w=z)
- 3+ credit hours = 1 Carnegie unit
- 1-2 credit hours=0.5 Carnegie unit (Science labs do not earn high school credit)
- Additional points are NOT added to the college grade on the high school transcript w/ the exception of Georgia Tech math and computer science courses.
- Students receive a .5 GPA boost for DE courses on their HOPE transcript.
- College classes are one semester long, NOT the entire year. **Your DE schedule will need to be updated each semester.**

How do DE and AP classes compare?

Both options allow the opportunity to earn college credit and demonstrate rigor/challenge. Differences include:

Advanced Placement

- Classes taken at the local school, taught by HS teachers
- Students can choose to take AP exams at a cost
- College credit is awarded based on performance on the AP exam
- Recognized nationally by colleges and universities
- 10 points added to final grade in the course

Dual Enrollment

- Taught on the college campus by college instructors
- Classes can be taken face-to-face or online
- Grades of C or better transfer to most colleges within Georgia and to some (not all) out of state colleges
- 10 points not added to the final grade unless upper level math or computer science at GA Tech.

Transferring Dual Enrollment Credits

It is the **student's responsibility** to verify with colleges regarding their policies on accepting transfer credit and how the credit will be used (elective vs credits for major).

The counselor is responsible for advising on courses needed for graduation.

Students who are looking to attend private or out-of-state colleges & universities need to speak to those colleges to determine what is accepted.

Dropping or Changing Courses

- **Classes may NOT be dropped after the college's drop/add period.**
  - If a student withdraws from a class, this will be reported as a "Z" on your transcript.
  - This action could delay graduation plans.
  - If W/D, students are required to return to SKG to take the class.
  - If a student W/D from a class without informing counselor and DE Coordinator, they will **not** be able to continue in the DE program for the next semester.

Is Dual Enrollment right for me?

Considerations – Are you or is your student...

- Disorganized or Organized?

- Reactive or Proactive?

- Rigid or Flexible?

- Easily Overwhelmed or Able To Handle Stress?

- Unassertive or Assertive?

- Unwilling/Unable to Ask for Help or Can/Able to Self-Advocate?

- A Procrastinator or On Top of Things?

- Highly Dependent on Parents or Independent?

- One Who Ignores Emails or Checks & Responds Right Away?

Student Responsibilities

Colleges will only communicate with the student –not the parent/guardian or with SKG Staff.

Students must be able to handle all college responsibilities **independently.**

While participating in DE, students will be expected to follow the course syllabus –this includes navigating through different online platforms for their college classes. Course requirements and expectations will vary from course to course.

Parents, think of this as the time for your student to "sit in the driver's seat" of their college journey. You can be there providing direction and support, but **allow your student to "drive the car."**

What are the next steps?

February Registration Process at SKG

When you register for classes in February, select **seven classes at SKG** that you plan to take.

Once you are accepted into the college and register for your DE classes, we will adjust your SKG schedule accordingly (probably July).

In February, select classes for A FULL SKG SCHEDULE!

After this meeting......

- ❑ Refer to the SKG Dual Enrollment Checklist handout
- ❑ Register to take SAT/ACT/ACCUPLACER if needed – send scores to the college (**Counselors are not able to send scores!**)
- ❑ Complete the College Application online – It's free!
- ❑ Complete the Dual Enrollment Funding Application on GAfutures.org and submit the DE Tuition Acknowledgment Agreement directly to the college (if applicable).
- ❑ Submit transcript to the college through GAfutures.org (**SSN must be on file at SKG for this option to be available**.)

DUAL ENROLLMENT HELP SESSIONS

A counselor will be available during ALL lunches to answer questions about Dual Enrollment.

5th pd. in the Main Hall Collab space

EVERY Wednesday in February

After being accepted to the college...

- ❏ Schedule an appointment in the month of March to meet with your assigned counselor to confirm the courses needed for graduation.
- ❏ Return the SKG Dual Enrollment Contract signed by student and parent/guardian by April 1, 2025 (to Counseling Canopy)
- ❏ Make a registration or orientation appointment at the college.
- ❏ Register for college classes – follow college procedures for registration.
- ❏ Confirm your SKG schedule with your counselor before the start of each semester. (Summer-end of April, Fall-end of July, Spring-end of November)
- ❏ Submit a copy of your college schedule to your counselor. This must be done every semester.
- ❏ Part-time DE students will need to make transportation arrangements.

Deadlines

Students must complete all paperwork & apply to the college for Dual Enrollment by the following dates:

Fall 2025 or Summer 2025 Deadline – <u>April 1, 2025</u>

Spring 2026 Deadline – <u>November 5, 2025</u>

College deadlines could be earlier or later,
but students **<u>must</u>** meet SKG's deadline to participate.

Testing Information

SKG

SAT - Register at www.collegeboard.org
  *Test dates available in March & May

ACT - Register at www.actstudent.org
  *Test dates available in February & April

PSAT - 10th gr./some 11th gr. took at school in Oct. 2024
  *Accepted by some Technical Colleges

Check with colleges - taking their institutional SAT or ACT or the Accuplacer may be an option
  *Contact the college to schedule the test.

SKG

➔ Under NEWS YOU CAN USE, select the Trending Tab, select **Dual Enrollment Funding Application**

➔ Under COLLEGE PLANNING, you can **send your transcripts** and apply to some colleges

➔ View the **DE Course Directory** and **Credit Transfer Tool**
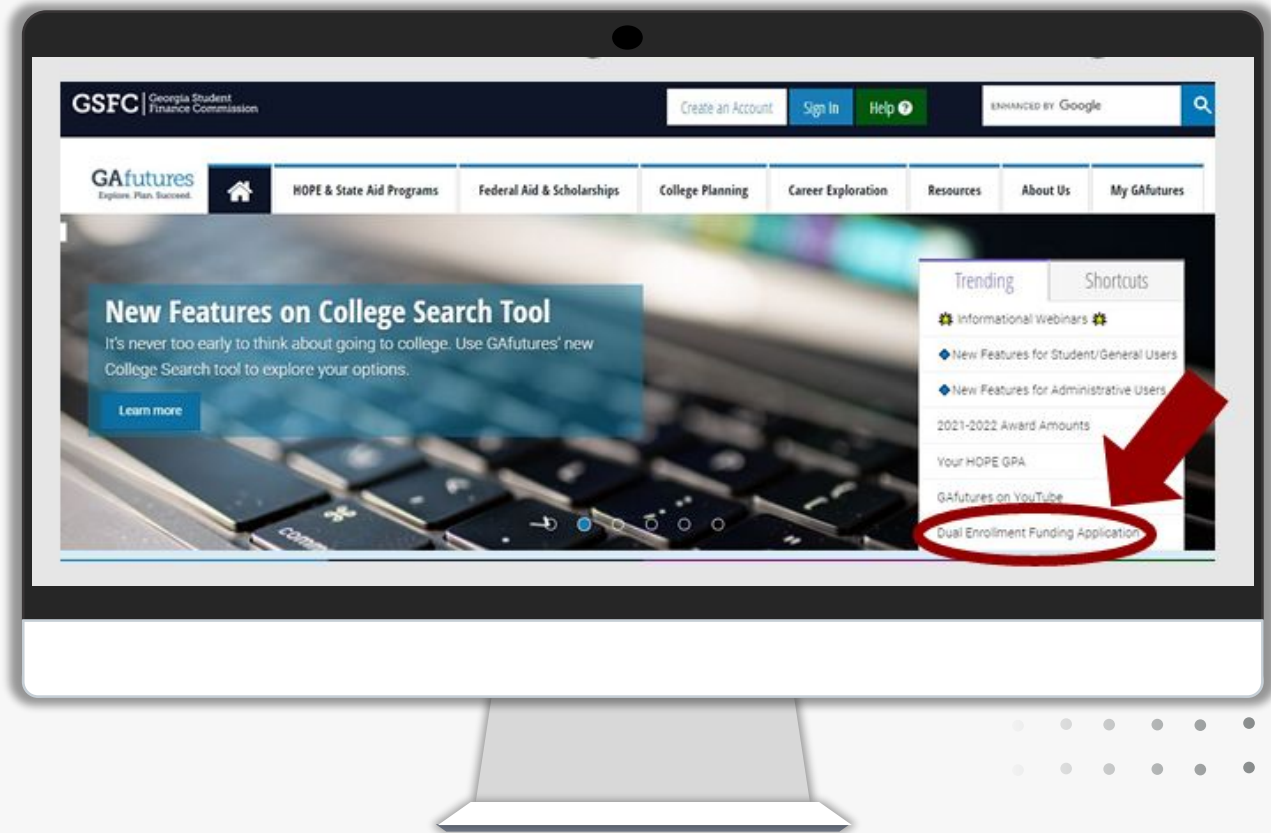
College Representatives

Toccoa Falls College

Georgia Gwinnett College

University of North Georgia

Gwinnett Technical College

Toccoa Falls College

Dual Enrollment at Toccoa Falls College offers the opportunity for high school students to take college courses online or in person to earn both high school and college credit.

tfc.edu/dual

Who can dual enroll?

10th Graders
- 3.0 GPA
- For funding, 1200 SAT or 26 ACT score

11-12 Graders
- 3.0 GPA
- No test scores required!

Why enroll with TFC?

- 8-week courses
  - Some courses are offered in 16-week format
- 2 start dates per semester
- Smaller class sizes
- 100 GAFutures approved courses
- Degree-tracks
  - Business Administration
  - Counseling Psychology
  - Education
  - History
  - Nursing

How to apply:

- **Apply Online**

- **Send in high school transcript**

- **Complete GAFutures Application**

- **Choose your courses!**

Meet The Team

Our team is here to assist you every step of the way!

Please reach out to us with any questions!!

KATIE SKEEN
DE ADMISSIONS

JENNIFER HAM
DE COORDINATOR

HOPE BROCKWAY
DE COORDINATOR

THANK YOU!
LET'S GET IN TOUCH

Email:

de-admissions@tfc.edu

Visit Our Website

tfc.edu/dual

ABOUT GGC

- Part of the University System of Georgia
- Most **ethnically diverse** Southern regional college
- Students from more than **120 different countries**
- Nearly **13,000** students
- **44% of students** are first in their families to attend college
- About 30 minutes from Atlanta

WHO QUALIFIES FOR DUAL ENROLLMENT AT GGC

- By the first day of semester at GGC:

- must be 16 years of age

- must be an 11th or 12th grade student

- Be on-track for completing all high school graduation requirements

- Be on-track for completing the USG's Required High School Curriculum (RHSC)

- Have a 3.25 High School GPA as calculated by GGC Admissions on the RHSC courses completed

- Meet all other dual enrollment admission requirements

- Meet GSFC's Dual Enrollment funding Program eligibility (details on GAfutures site: gafutures.org)

TEST SCORES

GGC is test-optional for admission into the dual enrollment program. However, SAT/ACT or ACCUPLACER exams might be needed for placement purposes.

- Dual Enrollment students may only enroll in an English or mathematics course if they exempt placement in corequisite Learning Support.
- Meaning, it is possible to be accepted but not place into a math or English course.
- For course placement purposes, limit of two Next Generation ACCUPLACER exam attempts per academic year

Georgia Gwinnett
COLLEGE

HOW AND WHEN DO I APPLY?

1. Create Grizzly Profile to Apply Online, Dual Enrollment Students are exempted from application fee- watch for a pop-up in your browser window

2. Review Admission Requirements

3. Submit Document Requirements

4. Meet with your high school counselor so they can begin the approval process on the high school side.

5. Once accepted, register for an orientation where you will be advised and register for your classes

All application materials must be submitted by the dates below for each semester.

- Spring Semester, priority – Nov. 1

- Summer semester, priority – April 1

- Fall Semester, priority – May 1

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Dual Enrollment Information Session
Summer and Fall 2025

go.ung.edu/dualenrollment

175+ DUAL ENROLLMENT COURSE OPTIONS

https://www.gafutures.org/checs/dualenrollment/DECourseDirectory

Mathematics
Science

English Composition
Literature

Accounting
Economics

Public Speaking
History
American Government

Engineering
Computer Science

Philosophy
Foreign Language

CLASS SCHEDULES

On Campus

Monday/Wednesday/Friday
meet for 50 minutes
(ex. 8:00-8:50, 9:00-9:50)

Tuesday/Thursday
meet for 75 minutes
(ex. 8:00-9:15, 9:30-10:45)

Attendance is required

Online

Online classes offered through UNG Online or eCore

Classes are fully asynchronous
(unless explicitly stated)
Student completes assignments on their own time and submits them by the set deadlines.

Proctored exam or major project required.
DE funding does not cover the proctored exam fee(s).

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STANDARDS OF ACADEMIC PROGRESS

A Dual Enrollment student must maintain a 2.50 or higher post-secondary GPA and complete 67% of all attempted classes to remain in good academic standing.

A student who earns a 2.0 to 2.49 overall GPA at the end of a semester will have one semester to raise their overall GPA to a 2.50. Failure to earn an overall GPA of 2.50 or higher will result in dismissal from the UNG Dual Enrollment program.

A student who earns below a 2.0 overall GPA at the end of a semester will be immediately dismissed from the Dual Enrollment program.

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Dual Enrollment courses result in real college credit and the grades become a part of the student's permanent college record. Grades earned through Dual Enrollment could impact future eligibility for college admission and scholarships as well as high school graduation.

TIPS FOR STUDENT SUCCESS

- Communicate proactively

- Ask for help/Use college resources

- Prioritize collegiate work

- Turn in assignments on time

- Follow-up and follow through with instructions and recommendations

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ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

- Student must be entering junior or senior year of high school.

- Student must present a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.25 or higher, and the transcript must show evidence that the student is on track toward the completion of the USG RHSC requirements and high school graduation.

- The student must meet the subsection minimum requirements for a single test type.
  - UNG accepts: SAT, ACT, PSAT, PreACT, Accuplacer

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APPLICATION PROCESS

1 **Apply for admission through GA Futures**
The application fee is waived for all DE applicants.

2 **Request High School Transcript**
UNG Admissions must receive a copy of your transcript in a sealed envelope directly from the school or electronically through GA Futures.

3 **Submit official test scores**
Acceptable test formats: SAT, ACT, Accuplacer, pSAT, PreACT.

4 **Submit proof of lawful presence**
https://ung.edu/registrar/student-records/lawful-presence-verification.php

5 **Complete GAfutures funding application**
Separate application is required to obtain funding for DE courses.

UNG DEADLINES

Summer 2025: April 15

Fall 2025: May 15

Your high school may have different deadlines.

SCAN FOR MORE INFO

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ADMISSIONS QUESTIONS?

Gainesville: admissions-gvl@ung.edu 678-717-3641

ADVISING QUESTIONS?

dualenrollment@ung.edu

THANK YOU!

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Welcome to
Gwinnett Technical College

EDUCATION **THAT WORKS**

Lawrenceville – 5150 Sugarloaf Parkway
Alpharetta-North Fulton – 2875 Old Milton Parkway

GwinnettTech.edu

Enrollment Information

Participate in all semesters (including mini-mesters)

Summer 2025
Deadline April 1 (Reg. 2/11 - 5/5)

Fall 2025
~ Deadline July 17 (~Reg. 4/9 - 7/22)

Spring 2026
~ Deadline December 5 (~Reg. 9/17–12/9)

* Students must meet the high school deadline
to be approved to participate in Dual Enrollment.

Classes offered online and on campus

Over 120 different programs of study

GWINNETT
TECHNICAL COLLEGE

CREDIT ENROLLMENT
13,780

Students hold a Bachelor's degree or higher: **6.1%**

Gender Breakdown: Male **40%**/Female **60%**

Job Placement Rate: **100%**

In-Field Placement Rate: **92.7%**

Retention Rate: **66.8%**

AWARDS CONFERRED
Graduates: **2,582**
Degree: **737**
Diploma: **469**
Technical College Certificate: **3,353**

ENROLLMENT BY COUNTY
Gwinnett: **61.7%**
Fulton: **13%**
DeKalb: **7%**
Barrow: **3.1%**
Forsyth **1.8%**
All other counties: **13.4%**

DUAL ENROLLMENT   **2,754**

DIVISION ENROLLMENT
Business Sciences: **14.5%**
Computer Sciences: **18.9%**
Engineering, Construction, Manufacturing, and Design: **9.2%**
Health Sciences: **4.3%**
Interdisciplinary Studies: **28.5%**
Miscellaneous: **16.9%**
Nursing and Life Sciences: **1.5%**
Public and Professional Services: **9.5%**

RACE AND ETHNICITY
American Indian: **0.1%**
Asian: **9.4%**
Black/African American: **38.6%**
Hispanic: **23.6%**
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander: **0.2%**
Two or More Races: **4.5%**
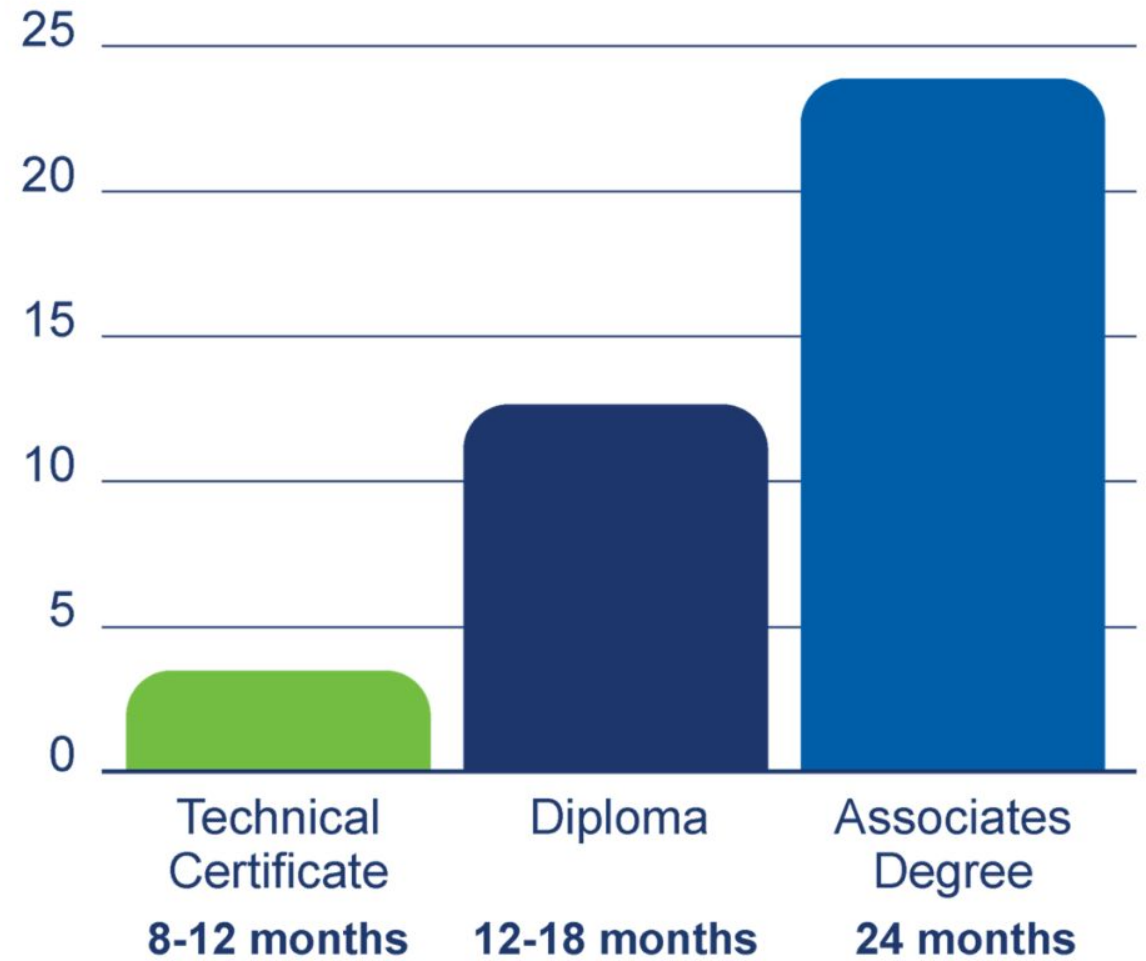Unknown: **1%**
White: **22.6%**

HANDS-ON TRAINING

SMALL CLASSES

Program Types by Number of Months

Technical Certificate	Diploma	Associates Degree
8-12 months	12-18 months	24 months

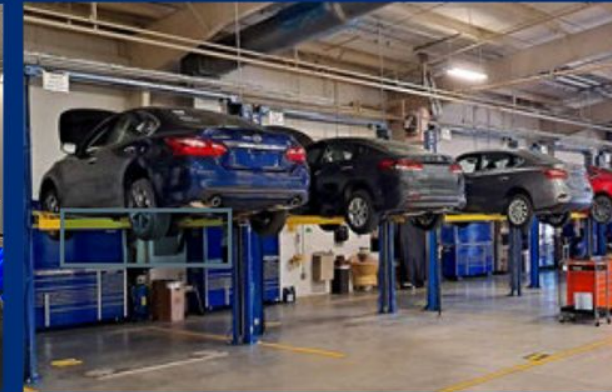# What programs are offered?

Early College Essentials

(General Education Courses)

- Automotive*
- Business Management*
- Computer Sciences
- Construction
- Pre-Diagnostic Medical Sonography

- Pre-EMS/Paramedicine*
- Engineering*
- Marketing
- Pre-Nursing
- Welding

...and more!

*HOPE Career Grant eligible
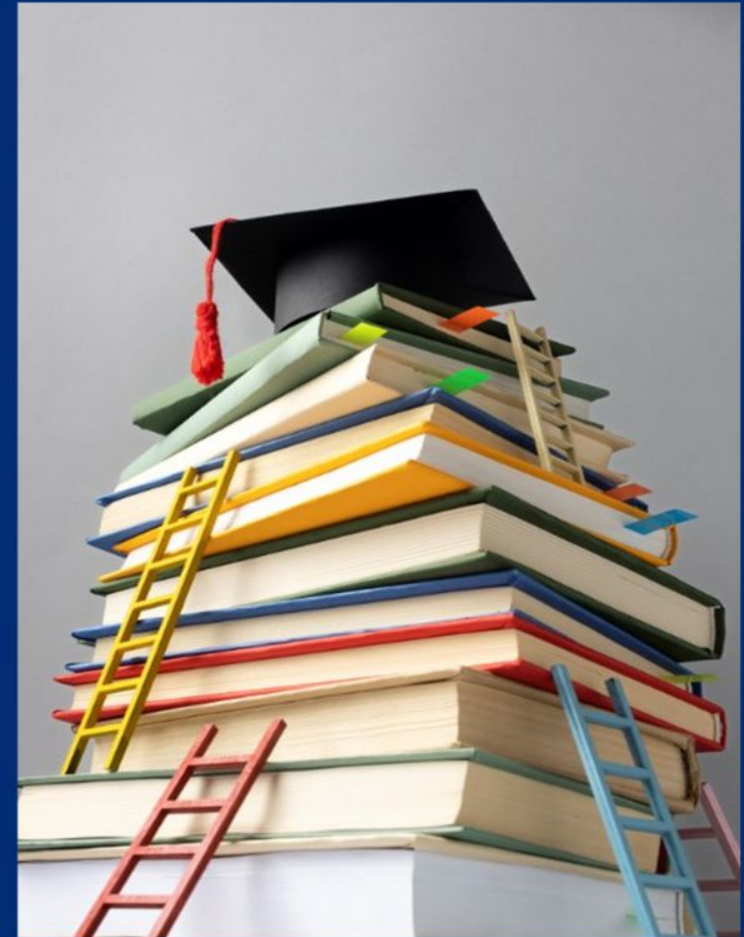
Discover all our programs here!

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How To Apply

- Submit a Dual Enrollment Application
- Submit a Dual Enrollment Tuition Acknowledgement (DETA) form
- Complete the GA Futures Dual Enrollment Funding Application
- Submit academic transcript or Placement Test Scores
  - Degree – 2.6 GPA
  - Diploma/Certificate – 2.0 GPA

Test Score Requirements

	GPA	PSAT	SAT	ACT
	Transcript via GA Futures or Parchment.	Unaltered .pdf of all pages of PSAT score report.	Sent directly to College Board.	Sent directly from ACT.
Degree Program	2.6	Reading 17 or 340 Writing 17 or 340 Math 21 or 420	Reading 17 or 340 Writing 17 or 340 Math 21 or 420	Reading 16 English 14 Math 17
Gen Ed/Core Classes	2.6	Same as above.	Same as above.	Same as above.
Diploma or Certificate Program	2.0	Reading 16 or 320 Writing 15 or 300 Math 18 or 360	Reading 16 or 320 Writing 15 or 300 Math 18 or 360	Reading 14 English 13 Math 14

Thank you!

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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DUAL
ENROLLMENT
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Thank you for attending!

Reminder: Scan QR code if you did not sign in!

Visit the SKG Counseling website for Dual Enrollment information and required documents.