Early College Vs. Dual Enrollment

There are several ways to earn college credit while in high school. Early college and dual enrollment are two different ways high school students can early college credit it. Both programs provide college classes and cover the cost of tuition, fees and books up to \$725.00 per class. Any amount in excess of this is the student's/family's responsibility. Although these programs are very similar, they also have some very distinct difference. You do not have attend either program if you do not want to.

Early College

Dual Enrollment

Must attend early college program for three years – 11 th , 12 th and 13 th grade required	No 13 th grade requirement/option	
Must attend Early College of Macomb @ Macomb CC	Can attend any public community college or university	
Associate's Degree/credits earned after three years	Maximum of 10 college classes allowed by the end of 12 th grade	
Does not work with Anchor Bay Honors Academy	Works with Anchor Bay Honors Academy	
Must attend Macomb CC after 3 rd hour in 11 th grade	Students leave ABHS for college as needed	
Must attend Macomb CC after 2 nd hour in 12 th grade	Maximum allotment is \$725.00 per class, including the price of books	
Must attend Macomb CC one year after high school	Any high school student can attend regardless of grade level	
Can take in-person, remote, or online college classes	Can take in-person, remote, or online college classes	
No transportation provided to college	No transportation provided to college	
Students must leave ABHS during scheduled college	Students must leave ABHS during scheduled	
hours	college hours	
High school diploma given to student upon early	High school diploma given to student upon high	
college exit, not at high school graduation	school graduation	

Early college and dual enrollment students always have six total class periods each semester. If you attend either program, tell your counselor which classes you'll take at the high school and which classes you'll take at the college. If you decide to go to early college, you must take three classes at the high school and three classes at the college in 11th grade each semester. Dual enrollment does not have a minimum class requirement each semester, but has a maximum of 10 college classes by the end of 12th grade.

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