



HIGH SCHOOL-COLLEGE DUAL ENROLLMENT PROGRAM

Take *free* college courses in-person toward a teaching degree during your senior year of high school.

Are you a District of Columbia high school student attending DCPS or a DC Charter School? Eleventh grade students with a GPA of 3.0 or higher are encouraged to apply to take classes while in their senior year of high school. Earn up to six credits toward teacher preparation at American University with in-person classes Mondays and Thursdays from 4:05-5:20pm. The University covers the cost of tuition, transportation, and even the books! Get credits you can transfer to a 2- or 4-year degree, get exposure to a new career path, and gain experience in campus life!



6 College Credits for free



1-on-1 support from a Faculty Coordinator



Prepare for the rigor of college life with in-person college-level courses



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GET EARLY COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

Students from District of Columbia Public Schools and charter schools are enrolled in classes as a group (cohort), and they learn alongside AU college students, receiving the same work as the AU students. The courses are taught in an interactive manner that involves multiple teaching methods, critical thinking, and individual contributions to knowledge in the classroom setting. The class format includes readings, small groups, large groups, group presentations, and debates, among many other interactive styles of class participation.



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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Applying is Easy!

- Standardized test scores like the PSAT are not required to apply.

Fall 3-Credit Course:

- EDU 205: Schools and Society
- Mondays and Thursdays
4:05-5:20pm

Spring 3-Credit Course:

- EDU 280: Social Justice in Urban Education
- Mondays and Thursdays
4:05-5:20pm

Additional Features:

- Dual enrollment students are invited to attend an AU basketball game as a group
- Attend a financial aid workshop to learn about paying for college
- Get full access to the university library

WHY AMERICAN UNIVERSITY?

- **Work** one-on-one with a program faculty coordinator to schedule courses and educational planning linked to long-term career and/or education goals.

- **Enjoy** a variety of services on the AU campus, including academic support, which will provide an overview of coursework students can anticipate at the postsecondary level and an actual introduction to college campus life.

- **Experience** college life while receiving support with applying and enrolling in college.

