

Ohio County High School Early College Program

Admissions

Enrollment in the Early College Program at Owensboro Community and Technical College is open to all OCHS students who will be in the 11th grade. Enrollment is based heavily on academic performance, attendance, and discipline. We believe that students who can demonstrate past academic success, realize the importance of being in school every day, and who respect the learning environment have the best chance for success in the demanding Early College Program.

Application for Early College is due March 15.

Course Requirement

Students should have the following courses completed before being enrolled in the OCTC Early College Program-

English 1, English 2, Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Geometry, Social Studies 1, Social Studies 2, Integrated Science and Biology. These courses can not be completed in Credit Recovery/Odysseyware

Grade Point Average Requirement

GPA Requirement-3.0 unweighted

Assessments for College Readiness Requirements

Subject	ACT Benchmark
English	18
Math	19
Reading	20

Student Behavior

Student should have no discipline referrals that resulted in ISAP.

Student Attendance

Attendance will be calculated from beginning of 9th grade year until March 15.

Students should not have more than 3 unexcused absences in a school year.

Students should not have more than 3 unexcused tardies to school or to class in a semester.

Courses taken while participating in the Early College Program are not weighted. The grade from the course will go on the student's permanent college and high school transcript.

Students in Early College must take the following courses and have at least 12 hours each semester-

Junior Year- English 101, Math Course, US History Course, and an Earth Science Course. If the student has already completed Environmental Geology they will need to take another Science Course.

Senior Year- English 102 and a Math Course.

Student and parent must initial on the line below stating you understand and agree.

- _____ Students who are enrolled in courses at OCTC must be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours per semester.
- _____ Students are responsible for setting up their class schedule with OCTC.
- _____ Students taking courses at OCTC are responsible for the cost of tuition, books, and any fees.
- _____ Students must provide their own transportation to and from the college.
- _____ Students have 5 days to withdraw from a college class from the first day of the college class without receiving an "F" on the transcript for the course. You must contact Mrs. Phelps to withdraw from a college course.
- _____ Any E or W on a transcript within the first 12 hours per semester will result in an F on their high school transcript.
- _____ Students must complete OCHS graduation requirements.
- _____ Students must complete ILP by Dec 1 of each year.
- _____ Students must complete all required testing which would include but not limited to -, KPREP, ACT
- _____ It is the student's responsibility to stay informed of scholarships and school activities.
- _____ OCHS does not have access to OCTC grades throughout the semester. It is the student's responsibility to stay on top of his/her grades. We will receive the final grade at the end of the semester, which will be on the high school transcript.
- _____ At the end of each semester, we will evaluate performance and will make the decision if the student has the privilege to take dual credit courses the following semester.

I have fully read, fully understand, support and agree to the expectations and requirements set forth by Ohio County High School. I understand Ohio County Schools are not responsible or liable in any way for transportation to and from Owensboro Community and Technical College.

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____