

Earn College Credit While Attending High School!

Through agreements with Idaho postsecondary institutions, high school students may receive college credits while taking classes at the Meridian Technical Charter High School. They can apply these college credits toward technical certificates, associate degrees, and/or bachelor's degrees.

Students have three options for receiving these credits:

- 1) ***Concurrent Enrollment (CE):**
The college or university partners with the high school to provide college credits for collegiate-level classes offered at the high school. Credits are offered at a significantly reduced rate (Most colleges charge \$65 per credit). With concurrent enrollment courses the focus is aligning the high school curriculum to the college curriculum.
- 2) ***Tech Prep/Dual Enrollment (TP/DE):** Tech Prep is a national technical and academic postsecondary preparation program that focuses on aligning the competencies that students achieve while in high school with the same competencies that students achieve in similar college programs. The Tech Prep/Dual Enrollment option allows students to receive their credits on an official college transcript, while they are still in high school. Students receive a letter grade for their efforts, and by having the grades recorded on an official transcript,

the credits are portable and may be transferred to other colleges and universities. Each institution charges a small transcription fee ranging from (\$10-\$21 per credit).

- 3) **Tech Prep/Articulated Credit (TP/AC):** Students may choose to attend either institution in the selected tech prep program area. After they have graduated from high school, they have up to two years to take advantage of their agreement. After they have successfully completed the first semester of their postsecondary technical program, the college credits they earned while in high school will posted to their college transcripts as pass/fail credits.

**It is always up to the receiving college or university what credits will be accepted toward the student's degree requirements.*

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College Credit Opportunities

Meridian Technical Charter High School Students

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Technology Pathways	MTCHS Class	College	College Class Number and Name	Credits	CE	TP/DE	TP/AC
					\$65 /CR	\$10 /CR	\$0-20 /CR
Networking	<i>Junior</i>						
	A+	CWI	INTEC 110 Intro to PC Hardware and Software	4		x	x
	Desktop	CWI	INTEC 118 Workstation Operating Systems	4		x	x
	Net+	CWI	INTEC 114 Network Fundamentals	4		x	x
	<i>Senior</i>						
	Applications Mgmt	CWI	INTEC 121 Server Operating Systems	4		x	x
Media Arts	<i>Junior</i>						
	Principles of Design	CWI	INTEC 280 Web Graphics and Multimedia	4		x	x
	Interactive Media	CWI	INTEC 282 Web Authoring in an Integrated Development Env.	4		x	x
CWI		INTEC 278 Principles of Web Scripting Languages	4		x	x	
Programming/Web Development	<i>Junior</i>						
		CWI	INTEC 282 Web Authoring in and Integrated Development Env.	4		x	x
	Fundamentals of Programming	CWI	INTEC 278 Principles of Web Scripting Languages	4		x	x
	Advanced Programming	CSI	CISW 213/225 Web Program. w/ PHP & Web Programming w/ASP	6	x		
		CWI	INTEC 285 Fundamentals of Database Systems	4		x	x
<i>Senior</i>							
	Software Applications	BSU	COMPSCI 125 Introduction to Java	4	x		
Electronics/Pre-Engineering	<i>Senior</i>						
	Intermediate Electronics	ISU-Tech College	ELTR 121/122 Intro to Electronics with Lab	2		x	x
		ISU-Tech College	ELTR 123/124 Electronics DC Theory and Lab	4		x	x
		CWI	ELECTEC 101/151 DC Electronics Theory and Lab	5		x	x
	Advanced Electronics	ISU-Tech College	ELTR 125/126 AC Theory with Lab	6		x	x
CWI		ELECTEC 102/152 AC Theory and Lab	4		x	x	
Other	English 4B	BSU	English 101 English Composition (Letter Grade)	3	x		
	Compass Test English Scores over 95	BSU	English 101 English Composition (P Grade)	3			
	Senior Seminar	CWI	INTEC 102 Orientation to IT Careers	1		x	x

CE = Concurrent Enrollment
TP/ DE = Tech Prep/ Dual Enrollment
TP/ AC = Tech Prep/ Articulated Credits

Compass Tests are a requirement of Junior and Senior students at MTCHS.
No cost to the student.

BSU = Boise State University
ISU = Idaho State University
CSI = College of Southern Idaho
CWI = College of Western Idaho

<http://www.boisestate.edu/concurrentenrollment/cescholarships.html> (Scholarships for BSU)