Indian River State College

Dual Enrollment Information Session

2014-2015
Dual enrollment is an acceleration option that enables students to pursue a rigorous curriculum for high school graduation, as well as earn college credit toward a degree or industry certification.
WHAT IS DUAL ENROLLMENT?

The state's largest college “scholarship” program.

Each year, more than 50,000 students participate in Florida’s DE program

94% receive college credit
IRSC DUAL ENROLLMENT

In Fall 2013 and Spring 2014, 2,643 and 2,573 local high school students (respectively) worked on their HS diploma AND college degree through participation in Dual Enrollment at IRSC.
Tuition fees and textbook costs are **FREE** to dual enrolled students who attend a public high school.
DUAL ENROLLMENT FACTS

For each dual enrollment course successfully completed, you save on average $500.00 per class including textbooks, and more if compared to University rates.
DUAL ENROLLED GRADS
Of 3,706 IRSC graduates in 2012-13:
103 Dual Enrollment Students earned their Associate’s Degree, and 49 graduated with Honors!

- Highest honors: 19
- High honors: 12
- Honors: 18
On average, DE students complete five college courses while in high school.

Students who participate in Dual Enrollment enroll in postsecondary education at higher rates than high school graduates as a whole.
CALLING ALL FUTURE TEACHERS:

$10,000 degree guarantee for Dual Enrollment students interested in teaching math or science!
$10,000 Teaching Degree
Are you eager to earn your Bachelor’s Degree without high tuition costs?

If you are a motivated student who stays on track, you may be eligible for a special incentive program enabling Florida residents to earn a Bachelor’s Degree in Math or Science Education for $10,000 or less.

Program options are:
- Middle Grades Math Education
- High School Math Education
- Middle Grades Science Education
- High School Biology Education

For more information, contact Racquita Williams at (772) 462-7451 or rwilliam@irsc.edu

5 Steps to a $10,000 Degree:
- Sign a “Challenge Contract” agreeing to meet the conditions of the program.
- Complete appropriate Dual Enrollment or other accelerated courses in high school. Certain accelerated credits from other Florida colleges may also apply.
- Successfully complete 45 credits toward your Associate in Arts Degree and 45 credits toward your Bachelor’s Degree.
- Successfully complete every course you attempt and maintain at least a 2.5 G.P.A.
- You may be awarded a scholarship for the final 15 credits!

Benefit from affordable tuition in whatever program you choose. IRSC is ranked the 4th Most Affordable College in the country by the U.S. Department of Education.

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MORE GRADUATE FACTS:
Baccalaureate graduates from IRSC’s School of Education typically sign contracts for teaching jobs soon after completing the program.
WHO IS ELIGIBLE for DE?

- Students enrolled in 10th, 11th, or 12th grade
- Minimum of 3.0 UW GPA for traditional academics
- Minimum of 2.0 UW GPA for Career Training
- Minimum college level placement scores on PERT, ACT or SAT
- Written approval by parent or guardian (if student is under 18); and High School approval
Dual Enrollment Students are college students and are expected to:

- Complete assignments on time or before the work is due.
- Work independently without reminders from the teacher.
- Follow the syllabus.
- Budget their time well.
- Ask questions and talk to their professor.
SUCCESS IN DE COURSEWORK

An Academic Support Center (ASC) is located on all five IRSC campuses and offers free tutoring in math, science, English and Reading.
ABOUT DE CREDIT

- Dual enrollment college credit becomes part of your permanent college transcript.
- Failing grades impact future Financial Aid opportunities.
- Course retakes are at the student’s expense.
- Dual Enrollment courses are weighted the same as Honors, A.P., I.B. and A.I.C.E. classes.

Comparison of Florida’s Articulated Acceleration Programs
COMMON DE ACADEMIC COURSES

- English Composition
- Life Science with Lab
- Biology 1 with Lab
- Chemistry 1 with Lab
- College Algebra
- American History
- World History
COMMON DE TECHNICAL COURSES

- Principles of Accounting
- Introduction to Automotive Technology
- Introduction to Law Enforcement
- Introduction to Engineering
- Adobe Photoshop
- Medical Terminology
APPROVED DE COURSE LIST

1. www.irsc.edu
2. Programs & Careers
3. Dual Enrollment
4. Resources Box on Right: DE Course List
DUAL ENROLLMENT SEMESTERS

- **Fall** - August
- **Spring** - January
- **Summer I** - Early May
- **Summer II** - Late June

*Compressed term – approximately 7 weeks; great opportunity to start with 1 – 2 classes one term. Start the process NOW!*
1. Meet with your high school counselor.
   - Obtain your GPA
   - Discuss academic and career goals
   - Discuss credits needed for high school graduation
HOW TO GET STARTED

2. Apply to IRSC
   - Go to [www.irsc.edu](http://www.irsc.edu)
   - Click on 10 Steps to Get Started
   - Click on Application for Admission
   - Complete the application
   - Be sure to indicate intent as DUAL ENROLLMENT
   - Obtain New Student ID
2. Take the “Florida Entry Level Placement Test” (P.E.R.T.)

- There is a PERT Practice Test online
- There is no “passing” score – just a placement score
- Will need to provide student ID number and photo ID
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3. Complete the Dual Enrollment Application and Registration Form

- Be sure all necessary signatures are included. High school counselors must authorize all schedules and any modifications.
- Have placement test scores available.
- Submit all forms to any IRSC campus
- Obtain schedule with class days/times
- Obtain textbook(s) from high school
4. MEET WITH YOUR ASSIGNED ADVISOR
5. CREATE YOUR STUDENT SUCCESS PLAN

- You will be assigned an IRSC advisor to assist you while you are a dual enrolled student.
- Schedule an appointment with your advisor to create a Web-based Student Success Plan tied to your degree goals. Once created, you can access this plan at any time from any location.
- AA students can discuss acceptance of DE credits if transferring to University
Dual Enrollment Advising Network (DEAN)

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GENERATING D.E.A.N. COMMUNICATIONS

- Drops
- Adds
- Withdrawals
- ReachOuts

Student Success is our #1 Priority
HELPFUL IRSC WEBPAGES

- Dual Enrollment Program
- Assessment Services Center
- Academic Support Center
- RiverSupport Resources
- RiverMail
- Honors Program
FOLDER CONTENTS

REGISTRATION RELATED INFORMATION

- Sample Approved Dual Enrollment Courses
- Sample DE Application for Admission
- Sample DE Admission/Registration Form
- Sample DE Course *Repeat* Authorization *

ADDITIONAL HELPFUL INFORMATION

- How to Apply for Admission Online
- Dual Enrollment Program Brochure
- IRSC Viewbook
- P.E.R.T. Frequently Asked Questions
- Dual Enrollment FAQs

*Students are accountable for expenses related to 2\textsuperscript{nd} attempts*
Additional Considerations

• How to get started
• Scores needed
• Class selection
• Available classes
• Transfer of credits
• Credit hours and how to spread them
• Transportation
• Classes offered on HS campuses
• Options for Home Schooled and Private school students
• Summer DE Courses – do they count?
WHEN CAN YOU REGISTER?

Summer Registration Begins
Monday, March 31, 2014

Summer I Courses Begin
Wednesday, May 7, 2014

Summer II Courses begin
Tuesday, June 24, 2014
Questions ?

Contact the Fort Pierce Main Campus at 772-462-4772 if additional DE information is needed.