



Earning College Credit while in High School

ANDERSON HIGH SCHOOL PARENT NIGHT

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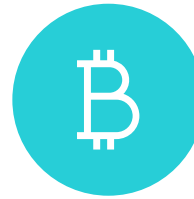
College Credit Options at Anderson High School

- ▶ ACC DUAL CREDIT
- ▶ UT ONRAMPS
- ▶ ADVANCED PLACEMENT
- ▶ INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

WHAT is ACC Dual Credit?



Allows eligible high school students (9-12) residing in the ACC service area to enroll in college level classes



Students receive a total of 12 individual course attempts/waivers. There MAY be costs for textbooks and other materials.



Eligibility determined by PSAT, SAT, ACT, EOC or TSI scores



Classes are taught at Anderson by ACC professors. Students may also take courses online or at ACC campus year-round.

What ACC Dual Credit classes are offered at AHS?

- ▶ English
- ▶ US Government
- ▶ Economics
- ▶ US History (1877-present)
- ▶ Texas State & Local Government
- ▶ Strategies for College Success
- ▶ US History (Pre-1877)





What is UT OnRamps?

OnRamps students are enrolled in both a high school course led by a high school teacher and a distance college course led by a college instructor of record.

The student receives a high school grade from the high school teacher and a college grade from the college instructor of record, as well as ongoing feedback and support throughout the course.

Of the many benefits to this dual enrollment model, the student is empowered to take on the role of college student and is held to the same standards of leading universities.

The number and type of assignments for the college course will vary based on the course. Each course syllabus will contain information specific to that course.



What
OnRamps
classes
are
offered
at AHS?



English IV



US History



Statistics



Physics 1 & 2



Fundamentals of Computer
Science



AP (Advanced Placement)



Started in 1955



College-level curricula
and examinations for high
school students



ANYONE can take an AP
exam – do not have to be
in an AP course



Exams are administered in
spring and credit varies by
University



AP (Advanced Placement)



Pre AP classes can be taken
freshman/sophomore year to
prepare for AP level classes



AP level classes typically
junior/senior year except
World History



About 1300 exams given in
May



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What is IB?

▶ <https://www.ibo.org/programmes/diploma-programme/>

▶ The International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme (DP) is a world wide curriculum that was established in 1968 in Geneva, Switzerland. There are 940 DP schools in the U.S., and 2,926 in the world.

▶ Anderson's IB program was established in 1991, and we are the oldest IB school in central Texas.

▶ The IB Diploma Program is a comprehensive course of study designed for highly motivated students. It is the most rigorous college prep that can be studied at Anderson.



IB at Anderson...

- ▶ IB Courses are taken in the junior and senior year

- ▶ Students apply to the program in spring of sophomore year

2 Options:

- ▶ IB Diploma Curriculum A two year course of study made up of six subject groups and the DP core, comprising theory of knowledge (TOK), creativity, activity, service (CAS) and the extended essay. Students select three courses at the higher level (HL), which involves two years of study at the IB level, and three courses at the standard level (SL), which involves one or two years at the IB level.

- ▶ Select IB Courses Students elect to study at least two higher level IB courses taken over the junior and senior years. These students are also eligible to complete standard level IB courses in their senior year.

College Credit & IB Courses

Texas Senate Bill 111 states that all students who successfully complete the IB Diploma will receive at least 24 hours of credit in the appropriate subject areas at Texas public universities. They must earn a 4 on each exam.

Every college that takes AP credit also accepts IB credit

SL (one year) courses offer less credit than HL (two year courses)

Private schools accept IB credit, search for “IB” on their website to learn how credit is applied at EACH school.

Public schools will apply AP/IB credit differently.

Elite schools may not give credit for select IB courses, only giving credit for courses taken in the Diploma Program

What Next??

- ▶ Research AP/IB credit in potential schools if college credit is the priority
- ▶ <https://testingservices.utexas.edu/search-undergraduate-exams>
- ▶ Check what credit is received – it varies by course
 - ▶ Bio 301 (AP 3-4)
 - ▶ Bio 311 (AP 5 – IB)
- ▶ http://www.biosci.utexas.edu/students/undergraduate/course_desc.aspx
- ▶ Math and History in IB

The University of Texas at Austin (score=course)					
https://testingservices.utexas.edu/sts (accessed 2/6/2019)					
	AP	Dual Credit	IB Certificate	IB Diploma	
Biology	3 = BIO 301L 4 = BIO 301L & 301M 5 = BIO 311C & 311D		(HL) 6-7 = BIO 311C & 311D	(SL) 4-7 = BIO 311C (HL) 4-5 = BIO 311C (HL) 6-7 = BIO 311C & 311D	Bio 301 = credit for business, law & liberal arts Bio 311 = Introductory Biology, Cell Biology
English	(JR Lang) 3-5 = RHE 306 (SR Lit) 3 = E 314L (SR Lit) 4-5 = E 316P	ENGL 1301 = RHE 306 ENGL 1302 = RHE 309K	(HL) 5-7 = E 316P	(HL) 4-7 = E 316P	
History	(US) 3-5 = HIS 315L	HIST 1301 = HIS 315K HIST 1302 = HIS 315L	(HL) 6-7 = HIS 317N	(HL) 4-7 = HIS 317N	
Math*	(Cal AB) 3-4 = M 408K or M 408N or M 408R (Cal AB) 5 = M 408C (Cal BC) 3-4 = M 408C (Cal BC) 5 = choice of 5 different 408 combos	MATH 1314 = M 301		(Studies SL) 4-7 = M 302 (SL) 4-7 = M 305G	
* students in certain majors, regardless of AP/IB score must take a math placement exam					

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