

Dual Enrollment Frequently Asked Questions

1. Q. Which students are eligible for dual enrollment?
 - A. Student eligibility to participate in dual enrollment is a local decision that should include multiple sources of information about whether or not a pupil is ready for a postsecondary educational experience. In terms of academic readiness, pupil eligibility for enrollment should be informed by pupil performance on one or more of the assessments listed in Table 1 below. The MME, ACT, SAT, and Compass scores are designed to be indicative of whether or not a pupil is ready to take postsecondary courses and succeed without remediation. The EXPLORE, PLAN, and PSAT scores are designed to indicate whether a pupil is on track to be ready to take postsecondary courses and succeed without remediation. In light of these differences, the same weight should not be given to scores from the different classes of assessment.

Table 1. Minimum Postsecondary Dual Enrollment (PDE) Qualifying Score by Assessment

	Assessment	Test Section	Content Area	Minimum PDE Qualifying Score
Ready to Take Postsecondary Courses and Succeed Without Remediation	MME	Reading	Reading	1108
		Writing	Writing	1100
		Mathematics	Mathematics	1116
		Science	Science	1126
		Social Studies	Social Studies	1129
	ACT	Mathematics	Mathematics	22
		Reading	Reading	21
		Science	Science	24
		English	English	18
	SAT	Critical Reading	Reading	500
			Writing	500
	COMPASS	Mathematics	Mathematics	52
		Reading	Reading	88
		English	English	77
		Assessment	Test Section	Content Area
On-track to be Ready to Take Postsecondary Courses and Succeed Without Remediation	EXPLORE	Mathematics	Mathematics	17
		Reading	Reading	15
		Science	Science	20
		English	English	13
	PLAN	Mathematics	Mathematics	19
		Reading	Reading	17
		Science	Science	21
		English	English	15
	PSAT	Critical Reading	Reading	42
			Writing Skills	Writing
Mathematics		Mathematics	44	

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2. Q. Are there any limitations regarding which courses a student may take at a postsecondary institution?
 - A. Yes. Courses that are a hobby, craft, recreational or a course that is in the areas of physical education, are not eligible for tuition support.

3. Q. What cost is the school district required to pay?
 - A. Superior Central will pay \$501.86 per course per semester.

4. Q. Who decides what type of credit a student will receive for postsecondary enrollment?
 - A. The law requires a pupil to designate whether the course is for high school or postsecondary credit, or both at the time of enrollment. Pupils also are required to notify the high school of his/her decision. Pupils taking more than one postsecondary courses may make different credit designations for different courses.

For more information on dual enrollment please visit the Michigan Department of Education website @ http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/9-12_Dual_Enrollment_FAQs_397781_7.pdf

For more information on dual enrollment at our local universities please visit the following websites:

Bay College - <http://www.baycollege.edu/Admissions/Apply-to-Bay/High-School-Dual-Enrollment.aspx>

Northern Michigan University - <https://www.nmu.edu/admissions/node/289>