

College Credit Plus

Earn college credits while still in high school. This presentation will explain what you need to do to make this a possibility for you or your student.

ALL CCP grades are on high school AND college transcripts

CCP Timeline

Take ACT NO LATER than the April test date

Turn in the “Intent to Participate” form to the counseling office BY April 1st.

Apply to your college of choice (deadline varies, but usually May 1st— Kent and Stark come to our building to help students apply during the first week of April)

If accepted, plan/schedule courses. If denied, schedule appointment to take ALEKS (math placement) or ACCUPLACER (English placement)

Financial Responsibilities

- **West Branch will pay for all textbooks**
 - However, students must order them and pick them up from the bookstore & bring a receipt to Mrs. Stitle

Also, DO NOT PAY FOR ANY BOOKS! If you pay for books, WB will not reimburse you.

- **WB will pay for up to 30 credits per school year - this INCLUDES summer classes. If you go over 30 credit hours in one year, the student will be responsible to pay for the entire class that put him/her over 30 hours.**
- **WB is only responsible for a full caseload, including classes at WB and the campus. You can not take a full load on campus and at WB. Meet with Mrs. Stitle if you are concerned about this.**

West Branch Counseling Webpage

- *All forms can be found on this website
- *Brochure with CCP and AP information
- *Due dates and deadlines
- *We have to follow the college due dates, so there is NO FLEXIBILITY

Extra Information You NEED to Know!

1. Students can take any college classes the college permits them to take (usually based upon ACT scores or placement tests)
2. Students can take all their classes on campus, all CCP in our building, or build a blended schedule (both)
3. If students do a blended schedule, it is my recommendation that they eat lunch here - this is strong and needed social time for our students that they will quickly learn they won't get on a college campus as a high school student
4. Colleges will NOT talk to or communicate with the parents. They will treat and view high school CCP students as college students and must follow FERPA laws and regulations.
5. All CCP grades not only appear on college transcripts, but will also show on high school transcripts
6. All 3 credit college courses are worth 1 full high school credit

At WB we offer for college credit in our building:

Through Kent State Salem Campus:

College Writing 1 - 3 credits

Intro to Shakespeare (replacing College Writing 2) - 3 credits

Introductory Statistics - 4 credits

Through Stark State College:

Introduction to Anatomy & Physiology - 3 credits

Human Biology - 3 credits

Computer Applications for Professionals - 3 credits

Medical Terminology - 3 credits

Macroeconomics - 3 credits

Microeconomics - 3 credits

Financial Accounting - 3 credits

Advanced Placement - What's the Difference?

AP courses are recognized nationally. There is an AP Exam at the end of the course. The scores on these exams are recognized across the nation.

CCP is mandatory to be accepted only at state schools in Ohio (many others do accept them, but they do not have to)

AP is more rigorous and has shown to have a direct correlation with higher ACT scores (content reading is imperative on ACT and is done routinely in AP course)

We offer: AP Biology, AP Computer Science, AP US History, AP American Government & Politics, AP Psychology (online)

ACT Information

Go to: [ACT.org](https://act.org) to register

West Branch is a host site for all testing dates except June.

Next Test Date: February 11

Registration Deadline: January 6

Send scores to the school of your choice for free if you put the school's code in your College Board account when you register. If not, you have to pay to have them sent separately. Any time you have your ACT scores sent, you will need to log into your College Board account to do so.

Any Questions?

For more information on CCP contact:

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Time to sign up for the ACT if you haven't already - by the April administration! All juniors will take it in March and that will count!

The Intent to Participate form can be found online or will be passed out when we do our scheduling in the spring (and I have them here tonight)