

DUAL ENROLLMENT

The parent, guardian, or custodian of a student receiving competent private instruction may also enroll the student in the school district in accordance with state law and policy. The student is considered under dual enrollment. The parent, guardian, or custodian requesting dual enrollment for the student should notify the board secretary no later than September 15 of the school year in which dual enrollment is sought on forms provided by the school district. On the form, they will indicate the extracurricular and academic activities in which the student is interested in participating. The forms are available at the central administration office.

A dual enrollment student is eligible to participate in the school district's extracurricular and academic activities in the same manner as other students enrolled in the school district. The policies and administrative rules of the school district will apply to the dual enrollment students in the same manner as the other students enrolled the school district. These policies and administrative rules will include, but not be limited to, athletic eligibility requirements, the good conduct rule, academic eligibility requirements, and payment of applicable fees.

A dual enrollment student whose parent, guardian, or custodian has chosen standardized testing as the form of the student's annual assessment will not be responsible for the cost of the test or the administration of the test.

After the student notifies the school district which activities in which they wish to participate, the school district will provide information regarding the specific programs.

Post-Secondary Education

A dual enrolled student is eligible to enroll in courses that offer secondary and postsecondary credit on the same basis as any regularly enrolled student.

Grades and Academic Credit

Students at all levels will receive grades and/or credit only for work performed while enrolled in the Clinton Community School District, an accredited public school or an accredited non-public school. Grades from private instruction, non-accredited schools will not be included in grade point averages, class rank and will not be listed on the student's transcript.

Honors and Awards:

Home school and dual enrolled students are not full-time students and, therefore, are not eligible to receive academic honors and/or awards. Students may receive recognition for scholastic achievement only by virtue of courses taken at the appropriate school. Dual enrolled students are eligible for extracurricular letters and awards.

Class Rank

Home school and dual enrolled students are not full-time students and, therefore, are not eligible to receive a class ranking. A student is eligible to receive a class ranking if he/she is considered a full-time student.

Graduation

Regardless of the admission level status, students must earn the number of credits in the subjects required by Board Policy Code No. 505.6 in order to receive a Clinton Community School District high school diploma. Credits earned from an accredited public school or an accredited non-public school, and which meet the requirements specified in Board Policy 505.6, will be counted towards graduation.

Student Fees:

Student fees will be assessed according to the grade level and the fee schedule adopted by the Board of Education.

The applicable legal requirements for dual enrollment including, but not limited to those related to reporting and eligibility, shall be followed. It is the responsibility of the superintendent to develop administrative regulations regarding this policy.

Legal Reference: Iowa Code §§ 279.8, 299A.
281 I.A.C. 31.

Cross Reference: 502 Student Rights and Responsibilities
503 Student Discipline
504 Student Activities
507 Student Health and Well-Being
604.1 Private Instruction

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