



**CHARDON**  
HIGH SCHOOL

2025 College Credit Plus  
Information Night



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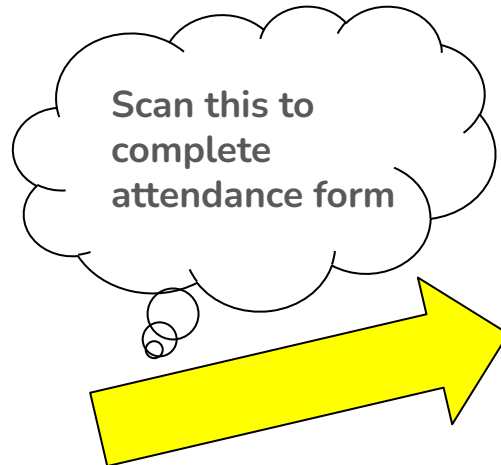
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## Annual Information Session 2025 – 2026



# What is College Credit Plus (CCP)?

## **CCP is Ohio's dual credit program**

- Students can earn both high school & college credit
- Ohio residents in grades 7-12; enrolled at a public/private high school or homeschooled
- Take a variety of courses at any public & participating private colleges in Ohio
- Courses held at the high school, on a college campus, or online

# Who Can Participate?

- Students in grades 7-12 that are:
  - ◆ Ohio residents
  - ◆ Meet academic eligibility standards (determined by the State)
  - ◆ Be “College Ready”
- Students must maintain satisfactory completion of CCP courses/GPA (returning CCP students)

# Academic Eligibility Standards

- Have a cumulative unweighted high school GPA of at least 3.0  
-or-
- Have a cumulative unweighted high school GPA of at least 2.75 and an “A” or “B” in a relevant high school course  
-or-
- Have a remediation-free score on the ACT, SAT or Accuplacer
  - ◆ Students entering 7th-9th grade must submit test score
  - ◆ CHS 10th & 11th grade students take ACT at CHS on **March 11th**
    - *ACT English of 18, ACT Reading of 22 or ACT Math of 22.*
    - *SAT Evidence-based Reading & Writing of 480 or SAT Math of 530.*

# What does it mean to be “College-Ready”?

More than just academically ready

- ◆ Emotional and social transition
- ◆ Meeting college expectations
- ◆ Time management and organizational skills
- ◆ Ability to self-advocate
- ◆ Some college classes have content that is oriented toward a mature or adult student. College instructors will not modify the course content for CCP students.

Ohio requires new CCP students and parents to complete a Mature Content Permission Slip.



# Benefits of CCP

- Maximize credits earned (1 class = credit in high school & college)
- Head start on career planning, degree earning and/or certificate completion
- Experience college early to understand the expectations of college courses
- Save tuition and textbook costs

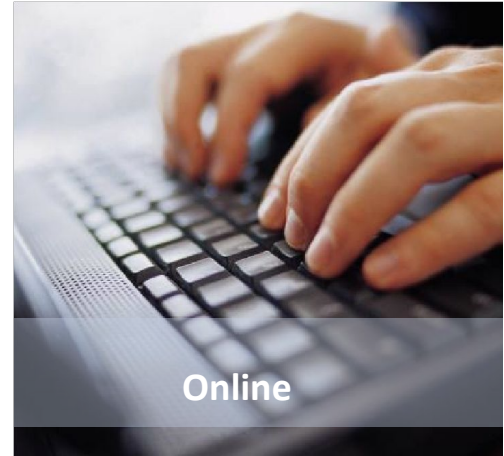
# Differences Between HS & College Courses

	High School	College
Study Time	Required homework ranges between 1-3 hours per day	2-3 hours of studying/reading for each hour of class
Knowledge Acquisition	Information provided mostly in class, assignments to follow what was covered	Out-of-class work in advance of in-class discussion
Tests	Given weekly or at the end of each unit	Less frequent and cover more material

# Differences Between HS & College Courses

	High School	College
Grades	Numerous quizzes, tests, homework assignments, etc.	Fewer tests and few homework assignments
Role of Parents/Guardians	Guardians advocate, involved and work with teachers & counselors	Student has more responsibility; guardians more of a mentor/support
Accommodations	Parents and students work with high school staff to determine what assistance or accommodations can be made for students with IEPs or 504 plans	Students must work directly with college staff to determine if accommodations are needed; IEPs and 504 plans may or may not be included in the discussions

# Where Can Students Take CCP Courses?

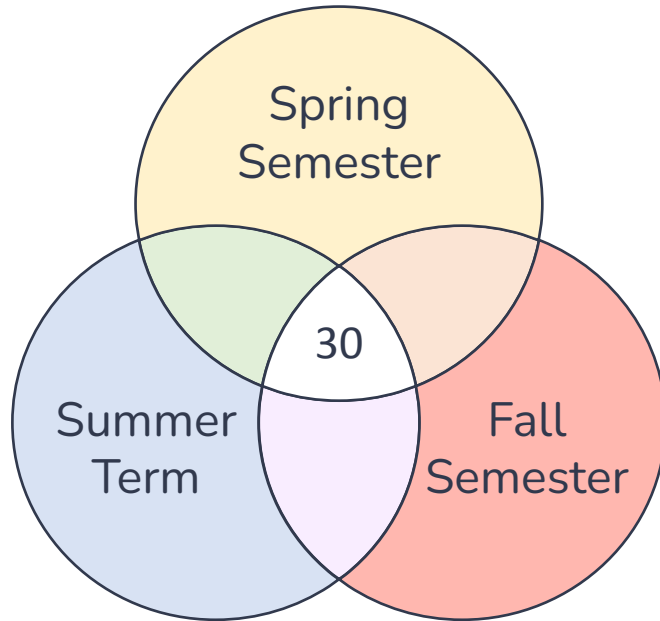


The option to take courses at the high school is only available if the high school has partnered with a college or university to offer courses at the high school. At Chardon High School, this partnership is through Lakeland Community College.

# How Many Classes Can Students Take?

- Students may be enrolled in up to 30 total credits per year, which include high school courses:
  - ◆ Calculation:  $30 - (\text{HS units} \times 3) = \text{max CCP Credits/Year}$
  - ◆ The max number of college credits a student can complete while participating in the program is 120
  - ◆ If a student enrolls in more than 30 credits for the year, they can:
    - Drop the course prior to the no-fault withdrawal date
    - Pay for the entire course at the college's standard rates

# When Can Students Take CCP Courses?



- Summer is the first term of the calendar year
- Student athletes should know
  - summer term CCP courses CANNOT count for athletic eligibility for the academic year.

# What CCP Courses Can Students Take?

- Courses in subject areas that will satisfy high school grad reqs
  - ◆ Students must work with high school counselors to ensure they are meeting any mandatory testing or other high school reqs
- Courses that will count toward the gen ed requirements of a college/university (Ohio Transfer 36)
- Courses in a career pathway that interests them
- Courses that are major or degree requirements
  - ◆ Students must meet all prereqs for all courses taken
  - ◆ Students must complete their first 15 credits in Level I courses

# Course Eligibility Rules

- Non-allowable courses include:
  - ◆ Private applied courses with 1:1 instruction (such as performing art lessons)
  - ◆ Courses with high fees
  - ◆ Study abroad courses
  - ◆ Physical education courses
  - ◆ Pass/fail graded courses
  - ◆ Remedial courses or sectarian/religious courses



# Additional Considerations

## → Grades

- ◆ Final grades earned in the college course are the same grade that will be on the high school transcript
- ◆ CCP course grades will be factored into the high school & college GPAs

## → Grade Weighting

- ◆ High schools must weight all advanced standing courses in a subject area consistently (CCP, AP, IB, Honors)
- ◆ CHS weights CCP courses on a 5.0 scale

# Athletic Eligibility

- Student athletes should:
  - ◆ Learn the Ohio High School Athletic Association (OHSAA) requirements
  - ◆ Know that summer term CCP courses cannot be used to bring a student into compliance with the OHSAA requirements for interscholastic athletic participation
  - ◆ Demonstrate passing courses mid-term to maintain eligibility

# Transferability

- Ohio Transfer 36: 36-40 sem credit hour courses in English, math, arts/humanities, social sciences & natural sciences guaranteed to transfer to any of Ohio's public institutions of higher ed
- Certain general education & technical courses will transfer, especially from one Ohio public school to another
- Students must check with colleges to confirm transferability
- Helpful sites:
  - ◆ <https://transfercredit.ohio.gov>
  - ◆ [transferology.com](https://transferology.com)
  - ◆ [Lakeland specific Ohio Transfer 36](#)

# FERPA “Family Education Rights and Privacy Act”

- Protects student education records
  - ◆ Parents do not have access to student’s academic records
    - Attendance, registration, In-progress grades, early warning indicators.....
  - ◆ Colleges reserve the right to communicate student record information with appropriate high school officials who have an “educational need to know”
  - ◆ “Permission to Release Information Form” – student’s written consent to share information with a third party
    - For example: for *Lakeland*, this must be student initiated with photo ID at the Student Service Center

Ohio Dept of Education FERPA Explanation

# Financial Consequences/Considerations

- If you fail a course (F, FNA, Inc.), you will be billed for the cost of the course and the textbooks
- If you withdraw after the no-fault deadline, you will be billed for the course

\*Lakeland allows students to withdraw from a course within the first 2 weeks for a full refund.\*

- ◆ If you register for a course, drop the course with Chardon, but forget to drop it with Lakeland officially, you will (likely) be billed for the cost of the course and the textbooks
- ◆ If you withdraw from a course after the first 2 weeks, you will be billed for the cost of the course

# Lakeland

# Kent Geauga

## CCP Cost Chart for 2024-25 Academic Year

Summer 2024, Fall 2024 and Spring 2025

- Books are an additional \$25.00 a credit hour

Fees per credit hour	Primary Partner HS	Other HS Student
	(Student Type Code 1 or 2)	Student Type 5 or 6
A. Course taught at HS by HS teacher	\$41.64	\$146.06
B. Course taught at HS by LCC teacher	\$68.90	\$146.06
C. Course taught at LCC	\$105.00	\$146.06

Summer 2024, Fall 2024 and Spring 2025

- **\$166.55/credit hour**
- Cost of books vary by course (Can range from \$100-\$300 depending on course)

# CCP Probation & Dismissal

## Probation

- A student will be placed on CCP Probation if they earn less than a cumulative 2.0 GPA in CCP courses or withdraws from 2 or more courses in one academic term
- When on CCP Probation, the student may only enroll in one CCP course for one college semester and may not enroll in a college course in the same subject in which they previously earned a D, F, or W grade
- Appeals\*: students may submit an appeal to retake a course

## Dismissal

- If a student on CCP Probation does not increase their CCP GPA to a 2.0 or above during the probation semester, they will be placed on CCP Dismissal
- While on CCP Dismissal, students may not enroll in any CCP courses
- Appeals\*: students may submit an appeal within 5 days of being dismissed, or wait until the end of the CCP Dismissal semester

\*Each high school must have a policy describing the process for appeals

# Support for CCP Students

- Students receive support from both the HS and college:
  - ◆ High school counselors continue to provide assistance to all College Credit Plus students
  - ◆ College advisors provide course selection assistance
  - ◆ Colleges must provide the same academic supports to CCP students such as tutoring, library access, advising, etc.

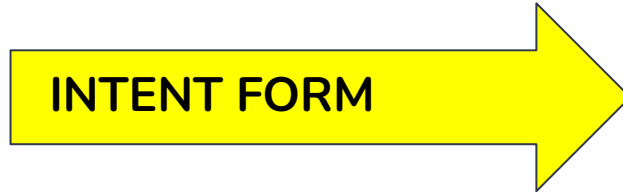


# Accessibility Services

- CCP students with disabilities in Ohio can receive accommodations
- Students must follow the below steps in order to request accommodations for their CCP classes:
  - ◆ Register with their college's Accessibility Services office
  - ◆ Provide documentation of their disability
    - May include physical or educational diagnosis, copy of IEP/504, and any additional information required by college
  - ◆ This should be done BEFORE the course begins as many institutions will not retroactively apply accommodations

# Intent to Participate Form

- Students must complete the Intent to Participate Form & submit it to their high school by **April 1, 2025**
- ◆ Only way CCP students can receive state funding
- ◆ Not a binding contract - can always decide not to participate
- ◆ Separate from the college application
- ◆ On the form, students indicate a tentative plan to use Option B for payment of the CCP courses



# Myths

- Courses are easy because it's a community college and going to a 4 year college is more challenging.
- Taking CCP classes will negatively impact your high school social life.
- If you are successful in high school classes, you will definitely be successful in college classes.
- If you're not doing well in a college level class, there will be someone to step in and help you.

# From a Student's Perspective

- My expectations going into CCP
- What I didn't expect
- Hardest challenges of CCP
- Worst part of CCP
- Best part of CCP
- Most helpful



# Chardon CCP Timeline Checklist

- ☐ Attend / Watch a CCP Informational Session / complete attendance form
- ☐ Complete CCP Intent to Participate Google form by **April 1, 2025**
- ☐ **Apply** online at lakelandcc.edu/apply (or college of your choice) - use **personal email**
- ☐ Complete the CCP Permission Slip (Part of online application or paper version to be mailed)
- ☐ Request CHS transcript from Mrs. Giddings
- ☐ Send ACT scores or schedule Accuplacer, if applicable
- ☐ Check your **personal email** for your acceptance confirmation
- ☐ Once accepted, complete CCP Online Orientation (check your **college email** for this)
- ☐ Meet with college advisor (new CCP student only) to schedule your classes
- ☐ Meet with Office of Accessibility (if applicable) for students on 504 or IEP plans
- ☐ **Register for your courses by May 1, 2025** (all CCP application materials must be complete at this time).

# Chardon School Counseling Team

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Brandi Giddings: Guidance Secretary  
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440-285-4060

# CCP at Lakeland!

High School Subject	Lakeland Course
English	Any "ENGL" course
Math	Any "MATH" course
Science	Any "BIOL", "CHEM", "PHYS", "PSCI", or "GEOL" course or GEOG 1550
Social Studies	Any "GEOG", "HIST", "SOCY", "PSYC", "ECON", or "POLS" course
Government	POLS 1300
Economics	ECON 1150
Health	PEHR 1750
Physical Education	Any "PEHR" activity course ( <i>self pay</i> )
Career Search	COUN 1100
Technology	ITIS 1005 or ITIS 1007
Fine Arts	See your high school guidance counselor
Foreign Language	Any "SPAN", "FREN", or "ASLI" course
Financial Literacy	FINN 1100
Electives	Any "HUMX", "PHIL", "MUSC", "HLTH", "BUSM", or any other course ( <i>as long as prerequisites are met</i> )

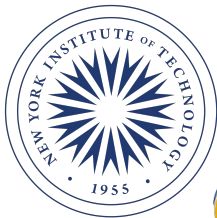
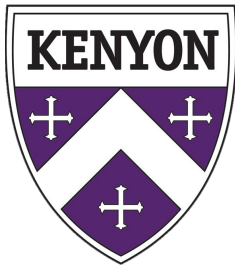
- Over 1,600 CCP students
- Roughly 1/3 of all Lakeland students
- Lakeland has over 140 degree & certificate programs
- In 2019, Lakeland was named the safest college campus in the nation (ADT)
- In 2023, Lakeland was ranked #2 for best Community College in Ohio (WalletHub's 2023 Best & Worst Community Colleges Rankings)
- Lakeland awards more associate degrees & certificates to CCP students than any other college/university in Ohio.
- Lakeland courses can fulfill high school graduation requirements
  - Students must meet the prerequisites for any course they take!
- Lakeland offers online, in-person, or hybrid courses
- CCP Certificate programs are available:
  - Welding, Information Technology, Health Tech, Real Estate, Business, Engineering, and MORE!



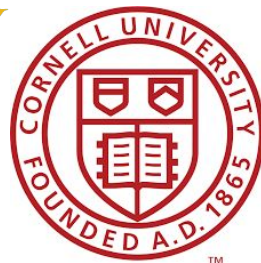
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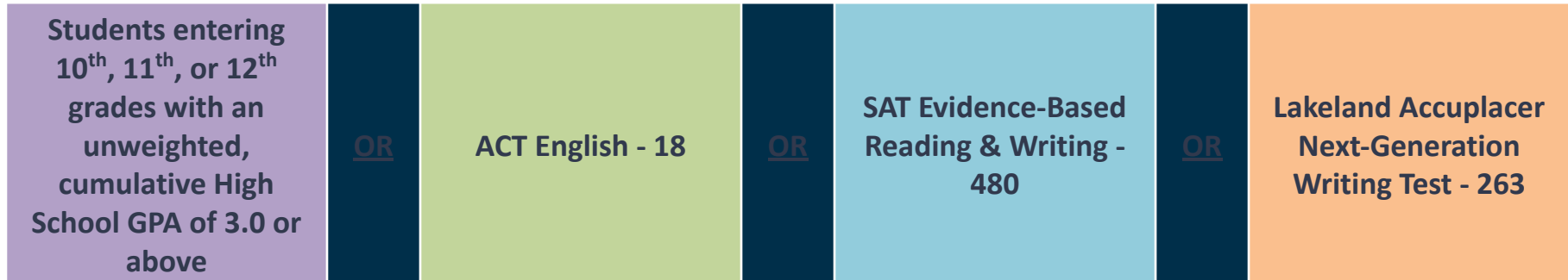
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# CCP Eligibility Requirements at **Lakeland!**

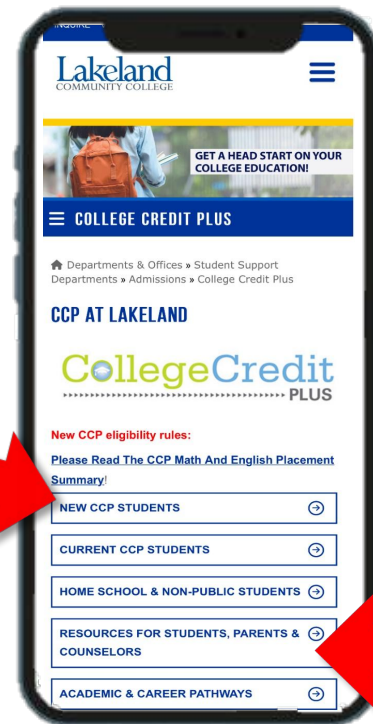
*CCP students must meet the college readiness standards for English*



- *Students entering the 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, or 9<sup>th</sup> grade must take the Accuplacer placement test.*
- *FREE test prep resources are on Lakeland's website*

# Getting Started Checklist:

- ✓
  - ☐ Attend a CCP Information Session
  - ☐ Submit Intent to Participate form to High School – **due April 1**
  - ☐ Apply Online at [lakelandcc.edu/apply](https://lakelandcc.edu/apply)
    - Create an account
    - Complete the CCP Application (*Social Security Number required*)
- ☐ Request your high school transcript be sent to [CCPinfo@lakelandcc.edu](mailto:CCPinfo@lakelandcc.edu)
- ☐ Complete the CCP Permission Slip and send to [CCPinfo@lakelandcc.edu](mailto:CCPinfo@lakelandcc.edu) (*form available on Lakeland's website or in Chardon Guidance office*)
- ☐ Prepare & take the ACCUPLACER Exam or submit ACT/SAT scores (*if needed*)
- ☐ Monitor your email for CCP Acceptance information (*subject line: CCP Acceptance*)
- ☐ Complete the CCP Online Orientation & CCP Student Questionnaire (*available via myLakeland, Blackboard*)
- ☐ After the online orientation is complete, send an email to [CCPinfo@lakelandcc.edu](mailto:CCPinfo@lakelandcc.edu), for registration steps



**Lakeland's CCP Office:**

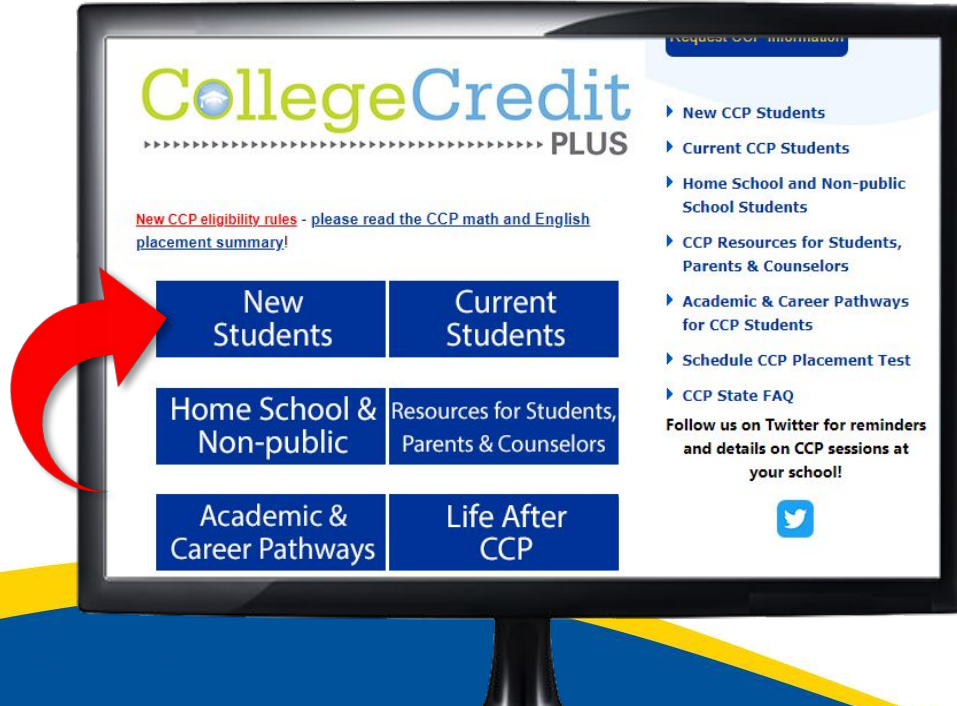
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[ccpinfo@lakelandcc.edu](mailto:ccpinfo@lakelandcc.edu)

Phone: 440.525.7730

Web: [lakelandcc.edu/CCP](https://lakelandcc.edu/CCP)

# More Information!



**Lakeland's CCP Website:**  
[www.lakelandcc.edu/CCP](http://www.lakelandcc.edu/CCP)

**Lakeland's CCP Office:**  
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440.525.7730



# APPLICATION PROCESS & ORIENTATION

## **REQUIRED MATERIALS MAY DIFFER BY INSTITUTION**

- » Meet state eligibility standards
- » CCP Application (only new applicants)
  - » Returners will fill out CCP Continuation Form via their KSU email mid-late January
- » SAT/ACT scores or Accuplacer scores are an optional credential. Applicant decides to submit or not.
- » Official high school transcripts
- » Recommended 3.0+ GPA
- » CCP Permission Form
  - » Signed by student and parent
- » Kent State Application Deadlines
  - » Summer 2025 - April 15
  - » Fall 2025 - June 1
  - » Spring 2026 - October 15
- » Attend Mandatory Orientation
  - » All new students must complete a CCP orientation.
- » Complete Mandatory Advising
  - » All students - both new and returning - are required to meet with an academic advisor before scheduling courses.

**[WWW.KENT.EDU/CCP](http://WWW.KENT.EDU/CCP)**





## Summary and Next Steps

- ✓ Submit your intent form by April 1
- ✓ Apply for admission:
  - ✓ <https://www.kent.edu/ccp/cp-application>
  - ✓ Submit your CCP Permission Form, High School Transcripts, and ACT/SAT or Accuplacer Scores (if needed)
- ✓ Attend Orientation
- ✓ Meet with your academic advisor
- ✓ Register for Classes

# KSU CCP Contact Information

Geauga Campus  
GauguAdmissions@kent.edu  
[www.kent.edu/geauga-ccp](http://www.kent.edu/geauga-ccp)

**nmhall@kent.edu**  
**440-834-3777**





**LAKE ERIE**  
COLLEGE

# College Credit Plus



# WHY CHOOSE LAKE ERIE COLLEGE?



Work with faculty who are experts  
in their fields in a small classroom  
environment

**(15:1 student to faculty ratio)**

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Can offer considerable savings and can reduce your investment in higher education by pursuing college credit while in high school

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Enjoy scholarships available to LEC CCP Students who continue with us after high school graduation

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Participate in campus organizations, be involved in theatre productions, and enjoy the other benefits given to our Degree-Seeking Students

4

Reduce the total number of credits needed in the future



# WHAT COURSES CAN A CCP STUDENT TAKE AT LEC?

- ① If the student meets the prerequisites for the coursework, all undergraduate coursework is typically available for CCP students to enroll in
- ② Some restrictions may apply based on course placement or area of interest

# CCP ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS



- Application for Admission (*lec.edu*)
- Preferred Cumulative (Overall) GPA of 3.0 in High School Courses
- High School Counselor Recommendation Form
- Standardized Test For Course Placement
  - ACT or SAT
  - Reading Accuplacer at Lake Erie College

Test scores are NOT required if GPA is above a 3.0 and student is entering 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, or 12<sup>th</sup> grade

# DEADLINES FOR LAKE ERIE COLLEGE\*

- April 15<sup>th</sup>: Deadline to Apply to LEC
- May 17<sup>th</sup>: Deadline for Accuplacer (if needed)
- May 31<sup>st</sup>: Deadline for Course Registration
  - *This is for students taking classes through Lake Erie College, and not through a partnership program with their high school*
- Once accepted, students will participate in a CCP orientation
  - *More information to come on orientation*

*\*Dates are subject to change.  
Guidance Counselors will be notified,  
and the website will be updated*

GET CONNECTED!

Contact us at:

[CCPINFO@LEC.EDU](mailto:CCPINFO@LEC.EDU)

