Move on When Ready (MOWR)

Earn college credits while still in high school

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- ▶ Students in 9th − 12th grade can receive high school AND college credits for the classes taken on college campuses
- The State of Georgia covers ALL costs (tuition, books, fees)
- ► Cost to the parent **NOTHING!!**
 - May have to purchase supplies/equipment (ex: culinary arts supplies or art supplies) for a specific course
- Open to all students based on college acceptance
- Maintain all HOPE eligible hours after graduation
- ▶ 10 points added to grade for rigor reward (same as in AP courses)
- Students are required to take any applicable EOC tests. This test will count 20% of the student's high school grade in the course.

Benefits of Participating in MOWR

- Introduces students to college-level coursework.
- Earning college credits while still in high school may enable students to possibly earn an associate degree, diploma or certificate.
- Helps students adjust to certain aspects of the college experience (e.g., classes, coursework, instruction, being on a college campus) so the transition from high school to college may be easier.
- Students who participate in a dual enrollment program are more likely to go to college and get a college degree.
- > Students may be able to take classes that are not offered at their high school, especially in subject areas they are interested in for a potential career.
- Participating in a dual enrollment program demonstrates a student's ability to handle more difficult coursework which is something college admissions officers may look upon favorably during admissions and recruiting.
- ▶ Taking college-level classes while still in high school may build confidence and encourage those students who may not be thinking about college to reconsider.

MOWR Local Colleges

- Athens Technical College Georgia
- Gwinnett College
- Georgia State University Perimeter
- ▶ Toccoa Falls College (Online Classes, 8 week minimesters, Christian college)
- University of North Georgia (Oconee Campus, Watkinsville)
- University of West Georgia (Online Classes)

MOWR Admissions Requirements

- ▶ Athens Tech https://www.athenstech.edu/studentAffairs/admissions/highSchoolRelations/MOWR.cfm
 - 9th 12th Grade
 - 2.0 GPA
 - SAT (Taken before March 2016): 450 Critical Reading; 440 Math for Associates; 430 and 400 for Diploma OR
 - SAT (Taken after March 2016): 24 Reading; 490 Math; 24 and 22 for Diploma OR
 - ACT 16 English; 19 Math; 17 Reading for Associates; 12, 17 and 13 for Diploma
 - Can use Accuplacer for placement if you do not have those scores
 - Application Deadline for Fall 2017 July 1
- Georgia Gwinnett http://www.ggc.edu/admissions/admissions-requirements/move-on-when-ready/
 - 11th or 12th Grade
 - 3.0 GPA
 - SAT (Taken before March 2016): 480 Critical Reading; 460 Math; 970 Combined OR
 - SAT (Taken after March 2016): 26 Reading; 500 Math OR
 - ACT 21 English; 19 Math; 20 Composite
 - Application Deadline for Fall 2017 May 1
 - All documents must be submitted by May 8

Georgia Perimeter - http://perimeter.gsu.edu/admissions/apply/dual-enrollment/

- 11th or 12th Grade
- 3.0 GPA
- SAT (Taken before March 2016): 480 Critical Reading; 500 Math OR
- SAT (Taken after March 2016): 26.5 Reading; 530 Math OR
- ACT 20 English, 21 Math
- Application Deadline for Fall 2017 July 1
 - Apply online at www.gafutures.org

Toccoa Falls College - http://www.tfc.edu/dual-enrollment/

- Must be completely finished with 9th Grade (Cannot take summer school the summer after 9th Grade)
- 3.0 GPA
- No SAT or ACT required
- Application Deadline for Fall 2017 July 14

- University of North Georgia https://ung.edu/undergraduate-admissions/dual-joint-enrollment.php
 - 11th or 12th Grade
 - 3.25 GPA
 - SAT (Taken before March 2016): 480 Critical Reading; 440 Math; OR
 - SAT (Taken after March 2016): 26 Reading; 480 Math; 970 Combined OR
 - ACT 20 English; 18 Math; 20 Composite
 - Application Deadline for Fall 2017 March 15
- University of West Georgia https://www.westga.edu/admissions/college-credit-now.php
 - 10th or 12th Grade
 - 3.0 GPA (3.5 for 10th Grade Students)
 - SAT: 970 Combined Critical Reading and Math (1650 for 10th Grade)
 - SAT 430 Critical Reading (650 for 10th Grade)
 - SAT 410 Math (650 for 10th Grade) OR
 - ACT 17 English; 17 Math; 20 Composite (26 English; 26 Math; 26 Writing; 25 Composite for 10th Grade)
 - Application Deadline for Fall 2017 June 1

MOWR Process

- ▶ Talk to your counselor
- Review eligibility
- Apply by deadline (online)
- Submit all supplementary documents
- Receive acceptance letter from the college
- Complete orientation (online at GA State & TFC)
- Meet with college dual enrollment coordinator
- Complete MOWR application on gafutures.org
- Bring college schedule to school counselor
- Bring transcript to counselor at the end of course

MOWR Testing

- ACT -
 - April 8
 - Registration Deadline: March 3
 - June 10
 - Registration Deadline: May 5
- ▶ SAT -
 - March 11
 - Registration Deadline: February 10 (Thru Feb. 28 with Late Fee)
 - May 6
 - Registration Deadline: April 7
 - June 3
 - Registration Deadline: May 9
- R-ACT, iACT, iSAT (Can be taken in lieu of the ACT or SAT; scores are only valid at the college where the exam is taken)
 - Georgia Gwinnett
 - R-ACT offered when enough interest
 - \$40
 - Contact testing office at GGC 678-407-5322
 - University of North Georgia
 - iACT or iSAT offered
 - Receive scores in approximately 1 week
 - Register at www.ung.edu/testing

Registration Night

March 1 @ 6 p.m. in the LHS theater

All of the colleges in this presentation will be available for more information

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