



# Early College Opportunities

Starting College While Still in High School

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# A Nationwide Movement:

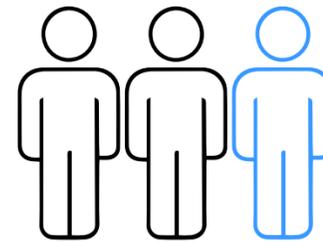
## THE FACTS

The Benefits of Dual and Concurrent Enrollment:  
Students completing college courses in high school, compared to their peers who complete no dual enrollment credits, are substantially more likely to:

- Graduate high school
- Go to college
- Stay in college and complete a degree, often in less time than their non-participating peers



Increasing access to college classes while in high school cuts the student's time and expense to college graduation.



Nationally, 34% of U.S. high school students complete a college course in high school.

Some states high school students' postsecondary course-taking rates far exceed the national average. Minnesota (43%), Idaho (58%), Colorado (38%), Iowa (57%), Indiana (58%)



This is a threefold increase from the 10% participation rate reported in 2010.



A study from the Community College Research Center (CCRC) found that 88% of the dual/concurrent enrollment students went on to college after high school and completed degrees at higher rates and in less time than their non-participating peers.

All data as posted to NACEP.org

# How High School Students are Accessing Barton Classes

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**Concurrent Enrollment Partnership:** Taught by an instructor at the student's high school  
(dually employed college + HS teacher)

**College Advantage** Taught by an instructor at the student's high school  
(full-time or adjunct instructor who goes to the school)



**On-Campus:** Taught on-campus during varying timeframes.

**Multiple Campus Locations**



**Partnered Online:** Taught online by a Barton instructor with a high school mentor in the high school classroom.

**Barton Online:** Taught online with no specific meeting times that students may take at school or on their own time at home.



**Excel in CTE:** Select list of career & technical education classes offered tuition & fee free to Kansas high school students

**Various modalities.**

# On-site Enrollment Team

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- **WTCE Support Staff**
- **Admissions**
- **Advising**
- **Business Office**
- **IT**
- **Testing Services**
- **Enrollment Services**
- **Barton Online**

# School District Partners

## Service Area Partners

Central Plains High School  
Chase High School  
Ellinwood High School  
Ellsworth High School  
Great Bend High School  
Hoisington High School  
Homeschool (High School)  
LaCrosse High School  
Larned High School  
Lyons High School  
Otis/Bison High School  
Pawnee Heights High School  
Russell High School  
St John High School

## Online Only

Blue Valley HS - Randolph  
Dighton High School  
Ellis High School  
Kinsley High School  
Lincoln High/Junior School  
Macksville High School  
Ness High School  
Pratt High School  
Skyline High School  
Stafford High School  
Victoria High School  
Wichita County High School

# Top Offerings Taken by High School Students - All Modalities

## 2023 - 2024

### OVERALL

Public Speaking, 329 enrollments  
General Psychology, 218 enrollments  
College Algebra, 216 enrollments  
English Comp I, 190 enrollments  
English Comp II, 137 enrollments

### EXCEL IN CTE

Medical Terminology, 87 enrollments  
Nursing Home Aide, 74 enrollments  
CDL Theory, 19 enrollments  
Introductory Craft Skills, 18 enrollments  
Principles of Animal Science,  
14 enrollments

## 2024 - 2025

### OVERALL

Public Speaking, 367 enrollments  
General Psychology, 266 enrollments  
English Comp I, 232 enrollments  
College Algebra, 218 enrollments  
English Comp II, 158 enrollments

### EXCEL IN CTE

Medical Terminology, 98 enrollments  
Nursing Home Aide, 56 enrollments  
Principles of Phlebotomy, 35 enrollments  
Blueprint Reading, 24 enrollments  
Gas Tungsten Arc Welding,  
21 enrollments  
Gas Metal Arc Welding, 21 enrollments

## 2025 - 2026

### OVERALL

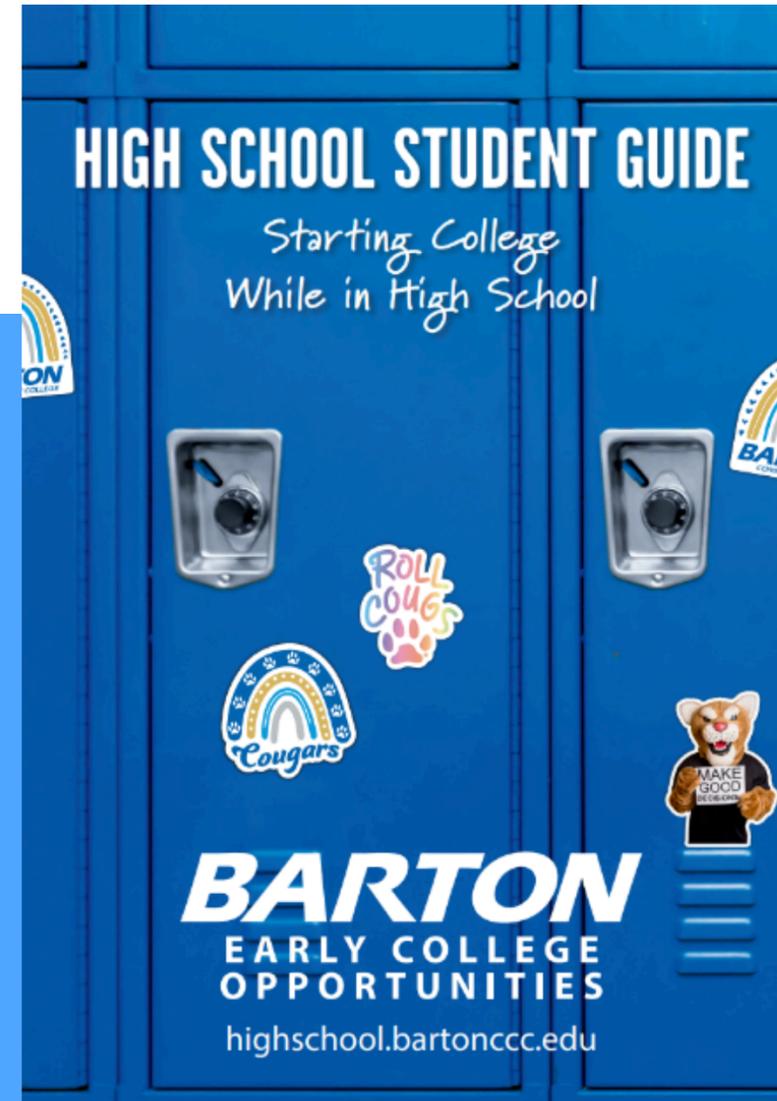
Public Speaking, 380 enrollments  
General Psychology, 323 enrollments  
English Comp I, 265 enrollments  
English Comp II, 252 enrollments  
College Algebra, 242 enrollments

### EXCEL IN CTE

Medical Terminology, 100 enrollments  
Nursing Home Aide, 75 enrollments  
CDL Theory, 31 enrollments  
Introductory Craft Skills, 25 enrollments  
Blueprint Reading, 24 enrollments



# High School Student Guide



## HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT GUIDE



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# HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



Andrea



Ethan



Maddie



Ashlee



Elle



Trey (Photo by Chelsea Mitchell)

*And many, many more!*