

2008-2009 COURSE PLACEMENT & TEST CARD FOR EARLY COLLEGE (DUAL) ENROLLMENT

PROCEDURES FOR TESTING AND PLACEMENT CRITERIA FOR EARLY COLLEGE (DUAL) ENROLLMENT

Florida Statute, Section 1007.271 describes the early college (dual) enrollment program as the matriculation of an eligible secondary student or home education student in post secondary courses that can be applied toward a career and technical certificate, or an associate or baccalaureate degree. The credits that students earn must be used toward both high school graduation and be acceptable toward the technical certificate, associate, or baccalaureate degree.

Early college (dual) enrollment students must pass the appropriate sections of the FCAT, CPT, ACT, or SAT, to enroll in college credit courses. Students in an approved technical preparatory program who plan on enrolling in career certificate courses must pass the TABE and meet the minimum basic skills grade levels in mathematics, language, and reading as defined by the career/technical program.

REQUIRED FOR EARLY COLLEGE (DUAL) ENROLLMENT COLLEGE CREDIT STUDENTS

1. Students must pass the English and reading sections of the CPT, ACT, or SAT prior to registering for courses not related to mathematics, performing arts, and visual arts.
2. Students must pass the reading and college-level mathematics section of the CPT, or meet MDC's required FCAT, ACT, or SAT score prior to registering for MAC 1105 or higher, or any course that requires mathematics as a pre-requisite.
3. Students must pass the reading and elementary algebra section of the CPT, or pass the required reading and mathematics section of the FCAT, ACT or SAT prior to registering for accounting courses.
4. Students must pass **all** sections of the FCAT, CPT, ACT, or SAT for science (biology, chemistry, physics, earth science) and engineering courses.