



2026-2027 Dual Credit

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ADDENDUM B

FAST Eligibility, Billing Reconciliation, Financial Responsibility, and Tuition Provisions

Temple College Dual Credit

Program (s) 2026-2027

FOR TERM

OF

2026-2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

July 8, 2026

This Addendum incorporates by reference and is to be read with the Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”) entered into for the 2026-2027 Academic Year. Unless otherwise noted in this Addendum, all terms of the MOU shall take effect and remain in effect until the end of the 2026-2027 Academic Year.



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## Article 1

### **FAST Eligibility and Billing Reconciliation**

Temple College participates in the FAST program, a state dual-credit financial aid program. Temple College and the ISD agree to support the FAST program to accelerate college completion for economically disadvantaged dual-credit students.

Students are eligible for benefits under the FAST program if they:

1. are enrolled at a Texas public or charter school;
2. are enrolled in an eligible dual credit course included in the annual dual credit agreement between Temple College and the ISD; and
3. were qualified for the national free/reduced-price lunch program in
  - a. any of the four school years prior to the academic year in which they enroll in the dual credit course, or
  - b. during the current year in which they enroll in the dual credit course.

The ISD agrees to provide the TSDS number for each dual credit applicant and/or other student identifiers required by the state of Texas to verify student eligibility for the state FAST program.

Additionally, the ISD will provide Temple College with information on economically disadvantaged dual credit students, including their TSDS number, their Economic Disadvantage Code reported in PEIMS (01, 02, 99), and student identifiers to help determine current-year eligibility.

As referenced previously in the MOU, Temple College will invoice the Independent School District (ISD) based on student eligibility data available at the time of billing, including current-year eligibility data provided by the ISD.

Participation in the Financial Aid for Swift Transfer (FAST) program is contingent upon final eligibility determination by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. In accordance with 19 Tex. Admin. Code Ch. 13, Subch. Q: Student eligibility is subject to a reconciliation process (True-Up) at the state level. All invoices are **subject to adjustment pending final THECB reconciliation (True-Up process)**.

In the event that a student initially identified as FAST-eligible is subsequently determined by THECB to be **ineligible during the reconciliation process**, the ISD agrees to assume the costs for all applicable tuition, fees, textbooks and any required materials associated with that student's enrollment. Temple College will invoice the ISD for any balance due, detailing tuition charges for students deemed ineligible by the state. Payments shall be remitted in accordance with the terms set forth in Texas Government Code Chapter 2251, including the expectation that payment be received within 30 days of invoicing.

Temple College will provide updated rosters and/or revised invoices reflecting any adjustments



resulting from THECB determinations. Payment for any additional charges will be due in accordance with standard billing terms.

#### **Drops and Withdrawals – Tuition and Fee Refunds and Financial Responsibility**

The ISD acknowledges that tuition and fee liability is determined by the student's official drop or withdrawal date and Temple College's published refund schedule in effect at the time of the action

Students who drop prior to the official Temple College census date will not receive a college grade of any kind; tuition and fees will be adjusted in accordance with Temple College's approved refund schedule. If payment has not yet been received from the ISD, full or partial payment may still be due based on the timing of the drop. Any remaining balance after application of the refund policy shall remain the responsibility of the ISD.

A student may withdraw from a course with a grade of "W" any time after the semester census date and on or before the last day to drop a class for the term, as designated by the Temple College academic calendar. Students who withdraw after the census date are not eligible for a tuition or fee refund under Temple College's Dual Credit Program. The ISD shall remain responsible for all tuition, fees, textbooks, and required course materials associated with the student's enrollment.

The timing of payment by the ISD shall not alter the amount due under Temple College's refund schedule. If an adjustment results in additional charges or credits, Temple College may issue a revised invoice reflecting the adjustment.

### **Article 2**

#### **Temple College Free In-District Tuition Program**

Effective with the implementation of Temple College's in-district tuition initiative, eligible dual-credit students who qualify for Temple College's in-district residency will receive the applicable in-district tuition rate. Eligibility is determined by Temple College in accordance with state law, Board policy, and Temple College residency procedures.

The ISD acknowledges that not all students attending an in-district school district automatically qualify for in-district residency. Residency is determined on an individual student basis. Any student determined to be ineligible for in-district residency will be assessed the applicable out-of-district tuition rate, and the ISD agrees to assume financial responsibility for any resulting tuition difference if sponsoring the student's tuition under this Agreement.

### **Article 3**

#### **Data Sharing**

The ISD agrees to provide student data reasonably necessary for Temple College to administer the Dual Credit Program, including, but not limited to, student identifiers, residency information,



TSDS numbers, PEIMS data elements, eligibility information for state financial aid programs, and other information required for enrollment, billing, reporting, and compliance. Temple College agrees to use such information solely for legitimate educational and administrative purposes consistent with this Agreement and in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), applicable Texas law, and institutional policies.

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**  
**Temple College Dual Credit Program(s)**  
**2026-2027 (FY2026)**

**Authorizing Signatures**

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Temple ISD, President, Board of Trustees or Designee

Date

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President, Temple College Board of Trustees or Designee

Date

This Addendum becomes effective upon execution by both parties and shall be incorporated into and made part of the existing Memorandum of Understanding. Except as modified herein, all other terms and conditions of the Memorandum of Understanding remain in full force and effect.