

September 25, 2018

Greetings Superintendents,

I hope your school year is off to a great start. I have enclosed the contract for the 2018-2019 school year, a list of the College in the High Schools courses you are offering for college credit through Fond du Lac Tribal and Community College, an invoice for the school year, and the Concurrent Enrollment Program Aid form.

Please sign and return a copy of the contract to the college, I have enclosed a self – addressed stamped envelope.

Please submit payment to our business office at your earliest convenience.

The Concurrent Enrollment Program Aid form is due to the Minnesota Department of Education by 10-30-2018.

Thank you for your time and effort in making our College in the Schools program successful for both FDLTCC and your high school.

If you have any questions, please call me at 218-879-0795 or email <u>dpaulson@fdltcc.edu</u>.

Thank you

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COLLEGE in the HIGH SCHOOL OPERATING GUIDELINES 2018-2019 Academic Year

Fond du Lac Tribal & Community College (FDLTCC) and ISD #709 enter into the following agreement to offer college classes in the secondary school in the College in the High School Program - A partnership with secondary schools.

- 1. The college courses shall be those that are regularly developed and taught at the campus of the sponsoring college, and which would be accepted as part of the general education requirement for the associate degree.
- 2. Teachers of college courses in high schools should have (1) a master's degree in the field to be taught; or (2) master's degree and 18 graduate credits which would apply to the field to be taught; and (3) has had at least 5 years of successful teaching in the subject area to be taught; and (4) must provide the college with a resume, transcripts, and teaching certificates. If instructors do not meet the credentialing requirement they must have a professional development plan on file with the college in order to teach the class during 2018-2019 school year.
- 3. Textbooks and other instructional material, which are specified in the course outline, shall be ordered through the college bookstore unless the college authorizes an exception. The college mentor for the course will work with the instructor on textbook selection.
- 4. The course content and course outline are to be followed. The high school instructor will be assisted and supported by a mentor designated by the college. The high school should make every effort to provide the high school instructor with as much extra preparation time as possible.
 - A. Course plans shall be developed which address:
 - The length and number of class meetings and how they will be used to cover the subject matter of the course.
 - Class lists and procedures for adding or dropping courses. (A student may drop a course
 within the 25 days of the college schedule.) High school teachers must report all class
 withdrawals to the college two weeks before final grades are submitted to the college.
 - Library resources and college writing expectations.
 - Required materials and tests.
 - Attendance policy and how it applies to grading.
 - B. For courses that are taught for the first time by a high school instructor where either (1) the course or (2) the high school instructor is receiving supervision for the first time by the cooperating college instructor, meetings shall take place as follows:
 - At least one meeting between the cooperating college instructor and the high school instructor prior to the start of the course.
 - At least three in-person observations per class section by the cooperating college instructor. Written reports of these observations shall be made to the program director, who will report to the Dean of Instruction, and to the high school principal.
 - At least one follow-up meeting between the cooperating college instructor and the high

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school instructor. Any recommendations are to be given to the program director who will consult with the Dean as necessary.

- C. For repeat courses or courses that continue as part of a sequence which involve both (1) the same high school instructor: and (2) the same cooperating college instructor, at least two meetings shall be arranged between the two instructors.
- 5. Class enrollment is restricted to students registered through Post-Secondary Enrollment Options, Concurrent Enrollment or Board Policy 111.01.03.
- 6. The high school will establish college approved selection criteria for admissions to the college courses with a priority given to those students who demonstrate the ability to benefit from college level course work. These criteria and standards for admissions shall be distributed to high school students by the high school.

The Minnesota State Colleges and Universities (MNSCU) Board Policy stated the following requirements shall apply (1) to high school students participating in the Post-Secondary Enrollment Options program in a community college; and (2) to community college courses taught by high school teachers, to high school students, through a cooperative arrangement between a community college, and a high school.

PSEO participation shall be available to juniors and seniors enrolled through a Minnesota high school, home school, or alternative-learning center who present evidence of the ability to perform college-level work. Such evidence includes the following:

- A. for juniors, class rank in the upper one-third of their class or have a score at or above the 70th percentile on a nationally standardized, norm-referenced test, or have at least a 3.0 GPA
- B. for seniors, class rank in the upper one-half of their class or have a score at or above the 50th percentile on a nationally standardized, norm-referenced test or have at least a 2.5 GPA
- C. 9th or 10th grade students who rank in the upper one-tenth of their class or attain a score at or above the 90th percentile on a nationally standardized, norm-referenced test, or have a favorable recommendation from a designated high school official to enroll in that course.
- D. Students who are eligible for College in the Schools must fill out a CITS application and take a placement test (Accuplacer/ACT/MCA). The accuplacer shall be administered by the college staff to high school students seeking to enroll in CITS classes. If the scores for any high school student indicate a lack of preparation for college level work, enrollment should not be approved.

An exception to the above standards may be approved by the community college president or provost based on a signed statement by the high school principal, or other authorized school official, indicating that the student could benefit from college courses, and is recommended for admission.

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- 7. Parents of prospective students will be given an opportunity to meet with Instructor, Guidance Counselor, and College Representative to discuss the student's responsibilities.
- 8. The college will provide registration, grade reports, transcripts, maintain records for high school students, and award full college credit for successfully completed courses.
- 9. The high school will provide a qualified instructor, classroom and lab facilities (if needed), instructional materials (including textbooks), and time for the instructor to plan the course and meet with the designated mentor.
- 10. The fee will be \$2250 for each CITS Course offered per semester. Multiple sections of the same course taught by the same instructor during the same semester will not incur an additional fee. The course will be at no cost to the student.
- 11. A minimum of 10 students is needed to run any class at the high school under this program. This requirement may be waived at the discretion of the FDLTCC President.
- 12. Classes shall be discrete college or university level courses that must have at least 51% of the students taking the course for college credit. However, to help maintain the integrity of the class, schools should try to maintain as high a percentage of college credit students as possible with 100% being ideal.

13. High School instructors teaching CITS classes must make every effort to attend annual college professional development days provided by the college.

Superintendent

Superintendent Board chair David Kirby

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Stephanie Hammitt, President

Fond du Lac Tribal & Community College

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Duluth Denfeld High School (ISD #709)

Course	<u>Semester</u>	Semester Credits	Instructor
Political Science:			
POLS 1010- American Government POLS 1010- American Government	1 2	3 3	Ethan Fisher Ethan Fisher
Psychology:			
PSYC 2001- General Psychology	1	4	Gina Hollinday
Science:			
PHYS 1001- Introduction to Physics CHEM 1010- General Chemistry I	AY AY	4 5	Kevin Michalicek Kevin Michalicek

5 Classes X \$2,250= \$11,250

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Duluth East High School (ISD #709)

Course Law Enforcement:	Semester	<u>Semester Credits</u>	Instructor
LAWE 1001- Introduction to Crim. J	ust. 1	3	Richard Updergove
Political Science:	Y		
POLS 1010- American Government	1.	3	Richard Updergove
POLS 1010- American Government	2	3	Richard Updergove
Psychology:			
PSYC 2001 - General Psychology	1	4:	Jacalyn Ring
PSYC 2001- General Psychology	2.	4	Jacalyn Ring
Science:		,	
CHEM 1010- General Chemistry I	ΛΥ	5	Tim Juba
PHYS 1001- Introduction to Physics	ΛΥ	4	Cheryl Kurosky

⁷ Classes X \$2,250= \$15,750