Honors Academy Dual Credit Program 2020–2021

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Earn college credit while completing a high school course.
Earn college credit now with NWU Honors Academy.

The Nebraska Wesleyan Honors Academy allows you to earn college credit while completing a high school course. NWU Honors Academy offers many benefits.

1. Save time and money.
   Pay just $95 per credit hour. Earn your college degree faster, and have more time for college activities or a second major.

2. Transfer credits nearly anywhere.
   This is Nebraska’s only NACEP-accredited dual credit program. The credits you earn will transfer to most U.S. colleges; all credits automatically apply to NWU.

3. Enjoy Nebraska Wesleyan benefits.
   You’ll have access to NWU’s technology and library resources. Attend writing workshops and NWU events. Additionally, take half off your AP exam fee.

4. Earn college credit from your favorite high school teachers.
   High school teachers accepted as NWU professors teach a variety of advanced courses that are as rigorous as traditional college courses.

5. Earn an NWU scholarship that begins at $15,000.
   Every student who is admitted to NWU receives one renewable academic scholarship. Those scholarships begin at $15,000 per year—meaning your students will receive at least $60,000 over four years. Students qualify for larger awards based on their GPA alone—or their GPA in combination with their ACT or SAT scores.

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Honors Academy Scholarship
   Earn an additional $1,000 a year for each of your first, second and third Honors Academy courses.

Event-based scholarships
   Make an official on-campus or virtual visit and receive a renewable $1,000 Campus Visit Grant. Attend an academic scholarship event and earn another $1,000 in annual scholarships.

Qualify for more.
   Apply for additional NWU scholarships and file your FAFSA to maximize your financial aid.
Register for Nebraska Wesleyan Honors Academy.

1. Go to honorsacademy.nebrwesleyan.edu and click on “Register Online.”

2. Fill in your contact information and select your high school. Please enter the email address you are most likely to use. It is also vital to enter your correct social security number. On the next page, select the classes you wish to receive credit for. Check with your teacher if you’re unsure which class to select.

3. No payment is due at the time of registration. We send paper statements around the 20th of each month. Please remit your payment when you receive that statement. To apply for a state Accessing College Early (ACE) scholarship, see your high school counselor and complete the application form.

4. On the next page, read the “conditions of credit” and check the box, “I accept the conditions of credit stated above.” Click “Submit.” You will receive a confirmation email for your records. Please save this for future reference.

5. Once you have properly submitted the form, a web page confirmation will appear, and an email confirmation will be sent. Keep that email for your records.

If you have any questions, visit honorsacademy.nebrwesleyan.edu or call 402.465.7605.

The registration deadline is October 2, 2020, for most fall and full-year courses and February 12, 2021, for spring courses.

Payment options
1. Once you receive your bill, pay with a check, credit/debit card or money order.
2. Apply for an ACE Scholarship.
   Students who demonstrate financial need may apply for and receive an Accessing College Early (ACE) scholarship. Information about this program is available at ccpe.nebraska.gov/ACE.
   Please contact your high school guidance counselor to apply.
   NOTE: In 2020–2021, ACE will cover the cost of two dual-credit courses per student.

Drops and withdrawals
Because you are concurrently enrolled at your high school and at Nebraska Wesleyan, you must contact both institutions if you choose to drop a course.

Drop deadlines are October 2, 2020 and February 12, 2021, and can be found on your online registration confirmation and at honorsacademy.nebrwesleyan.edu.

Dropped courses do not appear on your transcript and tuition is refunded. After the drop deadlines, you may still withdraw from courses, but a “W” will appear on your transcript and you are still obligated for the tuition payment. To drop or withdraw from a course, complete the drop/add/withdraw petition at honorsacademy.nebrwesleyan.edu.
Get a head start on your Nebraska Wesleyan experience. Register for Honors Academy courses at your high school today.