

College Course Overview - Bellevue CSD

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- ★ 80+ College Courses are available to students at no cost for college credit and high school credit
- ★ All Bellevue High School students are required to take an online course before graduation, and several earn over 40 college credits while in high school from the Eastern Iowa Community College (EICC) District, in addition to the various college courses offered at Bellevue High School. Some students also earn an associate's degree from EICC while still a high school student, therefore graduating from college and high school the same year.
- ★ 55 students took courses during the 1st semester, while 85 students took courses during the 2nd semester. 322 total classes (288 courses predominantly online) were taken and completed by students during the 2022-2023 school year, which equals over 950 college credits.
- ★ These college credits can be transferred to virtually any school in the state or nation and match college course numbers and names accordingly.
- ★ The credits are not only for 4-year schools but include credits in a variety of curricular areas. Some areas include the following: Math, English, Science, Social Studies, Welding, Agriculture, and more. Additionally, these credits can be transferred to 4-year colleges and other community colleges across the state for bachelor and associate degrees, along with program certifications in various areas and degree programs overall in welding, auto tech, radiology, business, and many other areas. Ultimately, these courses are not only for 4-year college programs.
- ★ Courses are the same courses that are offered on the college campus to college students, are of college rigor, and do not depend on specific testing to be passed to earn college credit when entering college.
- ★ The average BHS graduate over the last four years has earned an average of over 19 college credits while in high school all free of charge to the students and their individual families.

Some data from these courses for Bellevue CSD students includes the following:

The average Bellevue HS Graduate earned 22 college credits prior to graduation.

★ Specific Grades	Fall		Spring		Total	
	21-22	22-23	21-22	22-23	21-22	22-23
○ "A"	49	74	73	90	122	164
○ "B"	29	25	41	48	70	73
○ "C"	12	17	31	29	43	46
○ "D"	3	15	10	10	13	25
○ "F"	4	8	9	6	13	14
Total Courses Overall	97	121	164*	183	261*	322

★ *Includes grades from Welding for both 1st and 2nd Semesters (total program includes various courses)*

★ *Average GPA in college courses: 3.21*

★ Specific Grades Total courses taken	2021-2022	2022-2023
○ Percent of Grades as "A" or "B":	73.5%	73.6%
○ Percent of Grades as "A":	46.7%	50.9%
○ Percent of Grades as "B":	26.8%	22.7%
○ Percent of Grades as "C":	16.4%	14.3%
○ Percent of Grades as "D":	4.9%	7.8%
○ Percent of Grades as "F":	4.9%	4.3%

★ Grades of "A" or "B" in college courses by students

- 2022-2023 School Year - 73.6%
- 2021-2022 School Year - 73.5%
- 2020-2021 School Year - 74.2%
- 2019-2020 School Year - 82.1%
- 2018-2019 School Year - 76.1%
- 5-year Average - 75.9%

★ The amount of credits for courses in the 2022-2023 school year is over 950 college credits earned by high school students in this academic year

An Overview/Comparison:

Class of 2023 Graduates

- Earned an average of 22.5 credits
- 77% Enrolled in 3+ college courses
- 16% earned 40-50+ credits
- 20% earned 30-39 credits
- 5% earned 20-29 credits
- 43% earned 6-19 credits
- 16% earned 5 or fewer credits