

Joliet Township High School - District 204

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Dear Potential AP Statistics/Pre-Calculus/AP Calculus AB Student and Parents/Guardians:

Through a partnership with Joliet Junior College (JJC), Joliet Township High School students have an opportunity to take AP Statistics, Pre-Calculus or AP Calculus AB while still in high school and upon successful completion of this course, earn both college and high school credit simultaneously. Students wishing to enroll in this dual credit class must

- Have successfully completed both semesters of Geometry or Honors Geometry with a grade of "C" or better.
- Meet with your counselor to discuss enrollment guidelines and obtain paperwork
- Complete the Academic Dual Credit Student Approval Form
- Complete the online application for admission to Joliet Junior College
- Take the JJC ALEKS test (free); all Dual Credit math students must take the ALEKS test
- Meet JJC requirements for admission by taking required placement testing and achieving the appropriate scores for placement in Math 128 (AP Statistics), Math 142 (Pre-Calculus with Trig) or Math 170 (AP Calculus AB)
- An official Math SAT score of 560 or greater can take the place of the ALEKS, ACT or COMPASS test for Math 128
- An official Math SAT score of 590 or greater can take the place of the ALEKS, ACT or COMPASS test for Math 142
- AP Calculus AB/Math 170 requires earned credit in Math 142 or meet JJC requirement on ALEKS or COMPASS test.
- Contact the college or university they plan to attend regarding approval of transfer credit
- Check NCAA eligibility status (if applicable)
- Meet with counselor to enroll in the Spring semester prior to the upcoming school year.

The following is general information about the dual credit opportunity for Joliet Township High School students:

- Tuition and fees are generally waived through a partnership between JJC and Joliet Township High School
- Joliet Township High School will supply textbooks
- Upon successful completion, students will receive the following college credit hours:
- Math 128 = 4 credit hours, Math 142 = 5 credit hours, Math 170 = 5 credit hours
- Students successfully completing Math 128, Math 142 or Math 170 at Joliet Township High School will have a JJC transcript on file at the college indicating their grades and credits awarded.
- ALEKS testing will be held at Joliet Junior College, students must take the test (free of charge) and bring a copy of their qualifying ALEKS score back to their counselor.
- All JJC Math courses are 1 semester courses taught at JTHS over the entire school year.
- Math credit at JJC is awarded in June. The JJC grade is calculated using both semesters achievement at JTHS.

Joliet Township High School and Joliet Junior College look forward to the implementation of these classes during the 2020-2021 school year. If you have any questions concerning these dual credit classes, please call the District Curriculum Office at (815) 774-1619.

Sincerely,

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Curriculum Director for Mathematics