

## New Provisions for College Credit Plus

### Amended Substitute House Bill 49

This table provides a brief overview of the provisions within the Ohio biennium budget (HB 49) that reference College Credit Plus. Please note that the Ohio Revised Code and Pages in HB 49 are provided, so individuals can seek exact language. This document is provided only for guidance and summary purposes.

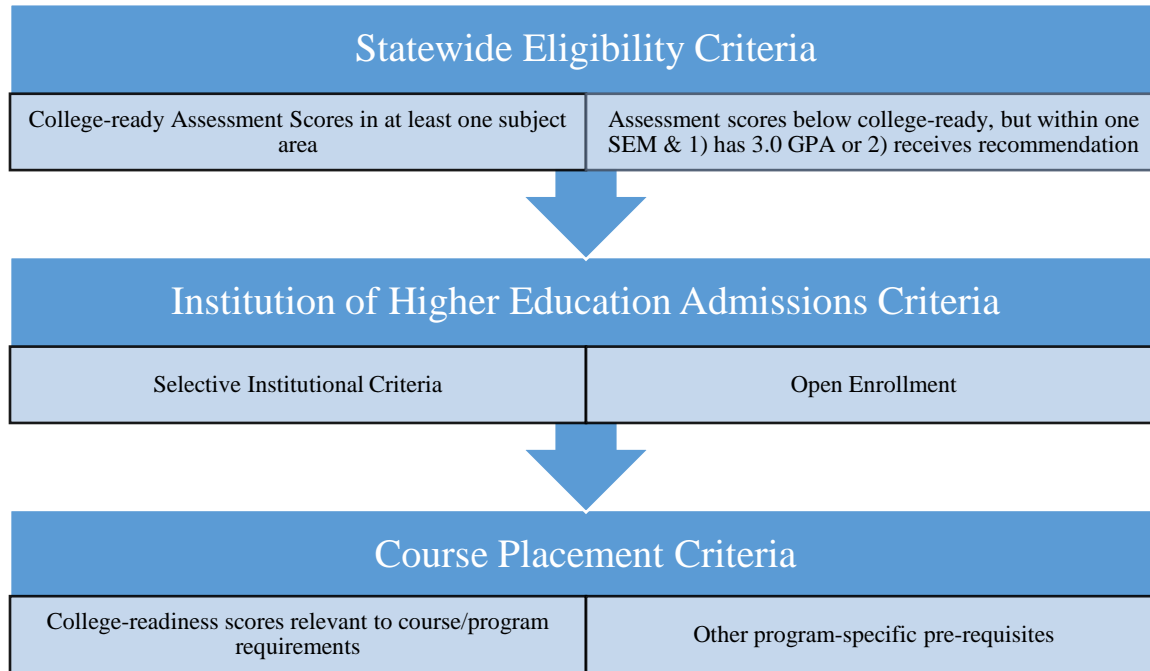
Provision	Description	Effective Dates <sup>1</sup> (Term or Academic Year)	Ohio Revised Code	Page in Am. Sub. HB 49
Early College High School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exempts Early College High School (ECHS) programs from the requirements of College Credit Plus (CCP) provided the program meets the ECHS definition and is approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Chancellor of Higher Education</li> <li>• Changes definition of ECHS programs</li> <li>• Removes multiple references to ECHS programs</li> </ul>	Academic Year 2018-2019	3313.6013	Pages 837-840, 1095, 1108
References to Ohio Board of Regents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Changes multiple references of Ohio Board of Regents to Ohio Department of Higher Education</li> </ul>	Academic Year 2017-2018	3365.01	Page 1093, 1098, 1099,
Standard Rate Definition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Defines the Standard Rate of tuition assessed per credit hour for in-state students enrolled in undergraduate courses</li> </ul>	Academic Year 2017-2018	3365.01	Page 1094
Student Appeals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Changes the appeal process if a principal does not approve consent for a student to participate (if the student seeks consent after April 1)</li> <li>• Appeals can be made by student to the school district superintendent or governing entity</li> <li>• Establishes that the decision of the superintendent or governing entity is final</li> </ul>	Spring 2018 for Academic Year 2018-2019	3365.03	Page 1096
Student Eligibility <sup>2,3</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Specifies student eligibility for CCP:                             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Students must be remediation-free in accordance to one of the assessments in the Uniform Statewide Standards for Remediation-Free Status document</li> <li>2. If a student scores within one standard error of measurement (SEM) below the remediation-free threshold and the student has a 3.0 GPA, the student is eligible to participate</li> <li>3. If a student scores within one SEM below the remediation-free threshold and the student receives a recommendation from a school counselor, principal or career-technical program advisor, the student is eligible to participate</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	Academic Year 2018-2019	3365.03	Pages 1096-1097, 3330
Student Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires institution of higher education to pay for one assessment to determine student eligibility</li> </ul>	Any assessment after Effective Date (September 29, 2017 per Legislative Service Commission)	3365.03	Page 1098
Annual Notice Deadline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Changes date to February 1 for secondary schools to provide information about CCP to all students in grades six through eleven</li> </ul>	February 1, 2018	3365.04	Page 1098

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Minimum Grade for Credit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Governor Kasich vetoed this amendment; therefore, this provision is not in effect</li> </ul>	VETOED	3365.04	Pages 1099, 1101
Recipients of enrollment notice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Eliminates the requirement to send written notice to the superintendent of public institution (14 days prior and 21 days after first day of classes)</li> </ul>	Next term beginning after the Effective Date (September 29, 2017 per Legislative Service Commission)	3365.05	Page 1100
Eligible Courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allows the Chancellor of Higher Education and the Superintendent of Public Instruction to adopt rules specifying which courses are eligible for CCP funding</li> <li>Specifies information to be addressed within the rule</li> </ul>	To be specified within the adopted rule	3365.06	Pages 1102-1103
Default Payment Structure <sup>4</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clarifies that the default ceiling payments under CCP shall not be more than the college's or university's standard rate</li> <li>Permits, rather than requires, the Chancellor to approve waivers for agreements below the funding floor</li> </ul>	Next term beginning after the Effective Date pending report and system updates (September 29, 2017 per Legislative Service Commission)	3365.07	Pages 1103-1106
Textbooks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Am. Sub. HB 49 removed all provisions regarding CCP textbooks.</li> </ul>	No changes to current law	3365.07	Page 1104
Dates for Payments to IHE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires payments to be made to IHE by January 31 for summer and fall enrollment and July 31 for spring enrollments except in cases involving incomplete participant information or a dispute of participant information</li> </ul>	January 31, 2018	3365.07	Page 1106
Underperforming Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Allows the Chancellor of Higher Education and the Superintendent of Public Instruction to adopt rules specifying conditions under which an underperforming participant may continue to participate in CCP</li> <li>Specifies information to be addressed within the rule</li> </ul>	To be specified within the adopted rule	3365.091	Page 1107
Appeal of grades dispute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Changes the appeal of grade dispute decisions between a school and a CCP participant from the State Board of Education to the Ohio Department of Education</li> </ul>	Any grade dispute occurring after Fall 2017	3365.12	Page 1109
Biennial & Outcomes Reports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires an outcomes report, due annually from December 2018 through December 2023, with data related to student degree completion and attainment and compares CCP participants with non-CCP participants</li> <li>Makes the biennial report, due December 2017 and every two years thereafter, permissive and includes data from the Higher Education Information system detailing the status of the CCP program</li> </ul>	Outcomes Report: December 31, 2018  Biennial Report: December 31, 2017	3365.15	Pages 1110-1111
Minor Labor Law Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exempts CCP students in a state-recognized pre-apprenticeship program from minor labor law requirements</li> </ul>	Next term beginning after the Effective Date (September 29, 2017 per Legislative Service Commission)	4109.06	Page 1370

<sup>1</sup>This table indicates which term (e.g., semester, quarter) or academic year the provision will be in effect. Academic Year for College Credit Plus begins with Summer Term and ends with Spring Term.

**<sup>2</sup>Student Eligibility  
(Effective Academic Year 2018-2019)**

*This image provides a visual step-by-step process for how a student must be considered “eligible” to participate in College Credit plus, must be “admitted” to a college/university following the institution’s admissions criteria, and must be “placed” into courses based on assessment results of other pre-requisites.*



## College Credit Plus: Student Eligibility Assessment Testing

Effective Academic Year 2018-2019, a student interested in College Credit Plus must be considered eligible to participate.

- A student is considered **Eligible** for the program if the student scores at or above the “Assessment Threshold Score” in at least one subtest of an approved assessment exam\* in the table below.
- If a student does not score at the Assessment Threshold Score in at least one subtest, but has scored within the “Score Range to be Considered” (calculated as the standard error of measurement), then the student can be considered **Conditionally Eligible** for the program if he/she also meets one of these criteria:
  - ✓ Has a 3.0 cumulative GPA or
  - ✓ Receives a recommendation from school counselor, principal, or career-technical advisor

Exam	Subtest	Assessment Threshold Score (Eligible)	Score Range to be Considered (Conditionally Eligible)
Classic ACCUPLACER	Sentence Skills	88	78 - 87
	WritePlacer	5	4
	Reading Comprehension	80	71 - 79
	College Level Math (CLM)	55	46 - 54
Next-Generation ACCUPLACER	Writing	263	257 - 262
	WritePlacer	5	4
	Reading	263	256 - 262
	Quantitative Reasoning, Algebra, & Statistics (QAS)	263	259 - 262
	Advanced Algebra & Functions (AAF)	263	257 - 262
ACT	English	18	16 - 17
	Reading	22	20 - 21
	Math	22	20 - 21
SAT	Evidence Based Reading & Writing	480	450 - 479
	Mathematics	530	500 - 529
ALEKS	Mathematics	46	40 - 45
MapleSoft T.A.	Mathematics	50% of algebra items answered correct (16 out of 32)	12 - 15 correct
PlaceU (WebAssign)	Mathematics	18	16 - 17

\*Approved assessment exams are listed in this table and in the “Uniform Statewide Standards for Remediation-Free” document. This document is reviewed annually; check for current version on [www.ohiohighered.org/ccp](http://www.ohiohighered.org/ccp).

**<sup>4</sup>Default Tuition Amounts (Ceiling, Mid-level, and Floor)  
(Effective Academic Year 2017-2018)**

	2017-2018		2018-2019	
	Semesters	Quarters	Semesters	Quarters
Ceiling	\$166.28	\$110.85	\$166.55	\$111.04
Mid-level	\$83.14	\$55.43	\$83.28	\$55.52
Floor	\$41.57	\$27.71	\$41.64	\$27.76

These are the maximum amounts to be reimbursed.

If the institution has a standard tuition rate that is lower than the maximum rate listed in the table, then the standard tuition rate will be reimbursed.

Private colleges and universities may charge directly to students a fee per credit hour to participate if the institution has determined that the costs for CCP students exceeds the reimbursement amount paid by the state of Ohio. The amounts for 2018-2019 are as follows:

- For students who enroll in courses on the college campus or online, the maximum amount is \$158.76 per credit hour. (Note: This maximum amount is calculated based on the Foundation amount for public schools.)
- For students who enroll in courses delivered at the high school taught by college faculty, the amount is \$125 per credit hour.
- For student who enroll in courses delivered at the high school and taught by an approved credentialed high school teacher, the amount is \$100.

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