Early College: What It Is

A structured program to support students as they take college courses!

In partnership with Salem State University we are providing a wonderful opportunity for high school students to take college courses sequenced along a career pathway while earning credit for both high school and college.

You will accelerate college degree completion, fulfill requirements for high school while completing college credits and earn credit for courses that most often transfer to 2 and 4 year institutions through MassTransfer.

Early College Course Offerings

10th Grade:

Social Justice

On SHS campus
Communication for
Engagement and

11th Grade:

On SHS campus

English course:

Foundations of Writing

History course:

US History & Const. Government II

12th Grade:

On SSU campus

Pathway concentration

Healthcare:

- Healthcare in the US
- Human Rights

Business:

- Introduction to Business
- Principles of Microeconomics

SHS students now can earn up to 15 credits which is equal to one semester of college credit.

ALL courses are FREE, books and transportation provided.