



## 2021-22 DUAL ENROLLMENT

Dual Enrollment provides opportunities for Georgia high school students to earn college credit while concurrently enrolled at Midtown High School and an approved in-state Georgia college or university. Once accepted, students may take advantage of a split schedule (half day at Midtown/half day at the college) or be enrolled full-time at the post-secondary institution.

### **It's important to know...**

- All students are subject to the admissions requirements as set for by the respective college to which they seek acceptance.
- Two applications required: online dual enrollment funding application via [www.gafutures.org](http://www.gafutures.org) and an application to the specific college.
- All students and parents must sign both the Midtown HS Dual Enrollment Agreement and the standard electronic Participation Agreement.
- Students accepted into a Dual Enrollment program enjoy the same privileges and opportunities as those enrolled as college freshmen.
- For the most part course tuition and books fees are paid by the GSFC (Georgia Student Finance Commission) up to 15 credit hours per semester **not to exceed a total of 30 credits during high school tenure**, however there may be some additional fees levied by the post-secondary institution.
- Students must meet Georgia residency requirements as well as U.S citizenship or U.S national/permanent residential status as defined by the GSFC
- Accepted students may earn up to 3 college credits and 1 unit of high school credit per class.
- Passing grades earned in core classes (English, Math, Science, Social Science, Foreign Language) at the college level may be granted 10 extra points when posted on the student's high school transcript.
- **Courses dropped after the college's drop/add window are subject to a failing grade upon transcribing such courses on their APS transcript.**
- For a complete list of colleges and courses offered in our state's dual enrollment program, please visit:

<https://www.gafutures.org/checs/dualenrollment/DECourseDirectory>

# Midtown's Most Common Dual-Enrollment Options

## **1. Georgia State University: Atlanta-downtown main campus dual enrollment program.**

Georgia State University, commonly known as Georgia State or simply GSU, is a large public institution of higher learning nestled in the densely populated southeastern district of downtown Atlanta. This traditional dual enrollment program allows students to take courses alongside other GSU students in occasionally large classroom settings. Due to the research nature of this institution, curriculum is intended to be challenging and the accessibility of instructional faculty is handled in a professional manner. Student may take advantage of a split schedule and attend the college for half the day, full day, or just for one period. Students are responsible for their own transportation where they leave Midtown's campus to attend their college course(s). Whether the student attends GSU for a half or full day, s/he is still bound by the requirements as established by Midtown High School and the Atlanta Public School System. Typical courses taken at GSU are academic subjects such as English, math, sciences, social sciences, world languages, and CTAE.

*Eligibility Requirements visit:*

<https://admissions.gsu.edu/bachelors-degree/apply/dual-enrollment/#admission-requirements>

## **2. Atlanta Metropolitan State College:**

**A dual enrollment program located at AMSC's campus on Metropolitan Pkwy.**

This is a small college where students are allowed a more intimate interaction with the instructional faculty and the curriculum. Portions of AMSC's student body are non-traditional as some are returning to college from the world of work and are seeking to further their education. Subsequently, there may be emphasis on practicality and application embedded in the curriculum. Students here are also allowed to take advantage of a split schedule and attend college for half the day, full day, or just one period. Students are responsible for their own transportation where they leave Midtown's campus to attend their college course(s). Whether the student attends the college for a half or full day, s/he is still bound by the requirements as established by Midtown High School and the Atlanta Public School System. Typical courses taken at AMSC include academic subjects such as English, math, sciences, social sciences, world languages, and CTAE. .

*Eligibility Requirements visit:* <https://www.atlm.edu/students/dualenrollment.aspx>

## **3. Atlanta Technical College Early College Essentials:**

**A dual enrollment program located at the ACCA Michael Maze campus on Windsor St.**

A traditional dual enrollment program where students take academic courses facilitated through Atlanta Technical College. Ordinarily most of the courses taught through ATC are technical, this however is their signature academic program specifically geared toward high school students who are seeking exposure to college curriculum in a more intimate setting where class sizes are smaller and located in a building where there are other high school students from across the district. The district will provide transportation to the facility. Typical courses taken through ATC's Early College Essentials program are academic subjects such as English, math, and social sciences.

*Eligibility Requirements visit:* <https://atlantatech.edu/admissions/dual-enrollment/>

#### **4. Georgia Institute of Technology (GA Tech):**

**A dual enrollment program located on Tech's main campus in midtown.**

Georgia Institute of Technology, commonly referred to as GA Tech or just simply Tech, is a highly selective and extremely competitive research driven public institution of higher learning. Students that have a very strong background in math and the sciences typically apply. And although, Tech is known for facilitating accelerated curriculum there is a focus to nurture students' innovation and therefore advisement sessions are commonplace. Dual enrollment students at Tech take advantage of a split schedule and attend the college for half the day, full-time, or just one period. Students are responsible for their own transportation and leave the high school's campus to attend their college course(s). Whether the student attends Tech for a half or full day, s/he is still bound by the requirements as established by Midtown High School and the Atlanta Public School System. Typical courses taken at Tech are academic subjects such as math (particularly Calculus) and sciences, however, courses in the other core areas of social sciences, world languages, and computer science are also available.

*Eligibility Requirements visit:* <https://admission.gatech.edu/dualenrollment/application-and-admission>

#### **5. Kennesaw State University:**

**A dual enrollment program located on KSU's main campus in Kennesaw.**

Kennesaw State University, or KSU, is a popular public research institution, and it is the largest from the four of our state's regional comprehensive universities. Nestled in the foothills of the southern portion of the Appalachian Mountains, KSU is 23+ miles north from Midtown and is a university that hosts dual enrollment students primarily from Cobb, Cherokee, Bartow, and Paulding counties. Due to KSU's large size and rigorous curriculum, dual enrollment students are required to have comprehensive advisement sessions with KSU advising staff. Students are responsible for their own transportation and leave our high school's campus to attend their college course(s). Whether the student attends KSU for a half or full day, s/he is still bound by the requirements as established by Midtown High School and the Atlanta Public School System. Typical courses taken at KSU are academic subjects such as English, math, social sciences, sciences, world language, and CTAE.

*Eligibility Requirements visit:*

<https://admissions.kennesaw.edu/admissions-requirements/dual-enrollment.php>

#### **6. Oglethorpe University: A dual enrollment program located in Brookhaven.**

Oglethorpe University is one of our state's private institutions that fully participates in the GSFC (Georgia Student Finance Commission) dual enrollment program. And although private, there are courses offered at their institution that are open for students from public high schools to take free of charge. A small institution located in the suburban city of Brookhaven which is in the perimeter just north of the Lenox-Buckhead district. Classes are small, thus allowing students to have an intimate connection with the curriculum and instructional faculty. Students are responsible for their own transportation and leave our high school's campus to attend their college course(s). Whether the student attends Oglethorpe for a half or full day, s/he is still bound by the requirements as established by Midtown High School and the Atlanta Public School System. Typical courses taken at Oglethorpe are academic subjects such as English, math, social sciences, sciences, world language, and CTAE.

*Eligibility requirements visit:*

<https://oglethorpe.edu/admission/undergraduate-admission/how-to-apply/joint-enrollment-programs/>

## **7. Clayton State University: A dual enrollment program located in Morrow.**

Clayton State University, or just Clayton State, is considered one of our comprehensive public state universities. They offer a traditional curriculum where many of their students often commute and work full-time. The majority of the high school students who dual enroll there are from Clayton, Henry, and South Fulton counties. Class sizes may range from small to mid-size depending on the lecture format. Students are responsible for their own transportation and leave our high school's campus to attend their college course(s). Whether the student attends Clayton State for a half or full day, s/he is still bound by the requirements as established by Midtown High School and the Atlanta Public School System. Typical courses taken at Clayton State are academic subjects such as English, math, social sciences, sciences, world language, and CTAE.

*Eligibility requirements visit:*

<https://www.clayton.edu/admissions/undergraduate-admissions/apply/dual-enrollment>

