



San Diego Community College District CTE Transitions Credit by Exam Agreements With San Diego Unified School District San Diego High School

You are encouraged to follow a CCTE Pathway sequence of courses most closely aligned to your interests. In many pathways, the concentrator or capstone course is approved by the San Diego Community College District CTE Transitions credit by exam program, which allows you to earn college credit for successful completion of the course and demonstration of competency.

To earn SDCCD college credit through this process:

1. Earn a grade of 'A,' 'B', or 'C' in the approved CCTE course and an 'A' or 'B' on the end-of-course exam(s) and/or project(s) to demonstrate competency. The grade requirements above must be earned in both sections of the course.
2. Apply to SDCCD using CCCApply if you have not done so in the last year. Your CCTE instructor and our CCTE Head Counselor will assist you in this process.
3. Complete and sign the **SDUSD/SDCCD CTE Transitions Student Petition for College Credit** form, signed by the student if the student is 18 or over or the student and parent if the student is under 18. The CCTE department will facilitate the distribution of the petition forms.

*Note: Students that do not submit the SDUSD/SDCCD Student Petition for College Credit form at the time of their high school course may submit a signed Student Petition for College Credit form to SDCCD's Educational Services Department within **18 months of high school graduation** with proof of qualifying course and exam grades (including official high school transcripts).*

Once all steps are complete, the grade you earn on the approved end of course exam/project will appear on your college transcript from SDCCD. Once added to your college transcript, the college course with weighted credit (when applicable) will be added to your high school transcript. Courses eligible for weighted credit are noted on page 2.

All CCTE courses that are eligible to earn college credit through CTE Transitions Credit by Exam will have an active agreement between the SDUSD high school and SDCCD. The agreement must be active while the student is enrolled in the high school class.

Students do not earn duplicate college credit for the same course. Once a student has earned college credit for a course, they will not earn additional credit for the same course.



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**San Diego High School and SDCCD
Active 2024-2025 Eligible Courses**

Advanced Manufacturing				
HS Course & SDUSD Course Number	SDCCD College(s)	College Course Number & Name	College Units	SDUSD Approved for Weighted High School Credit (will appear as weighted credit on HS Transcript)
PLTW Principles of Engineering 1,2 (P) 8847, 8848	City	MFET 101 Introduction to Manufacturing Engineering	3	Yes
PLTW Principles of Engineering Honors 1,2 (HP) 8368, 8369	City	MFET 101 Introduction to Manufacturing Engineering	3	Yes
Business and Entrepreneurship				
HS Course & SDUSD Course Number	SDCCD College(s)	College Course Number & Name	College Units	SDUSD Approved for Weighted High School Credit (will appear as weighted credit on HS Transcript)
Empowering Entrepreneurs 1,2 (P) 0587, 0588	Miramar	BUSE 129 – Introduction to Entrepreneurship	3	Yes
Empowering Entrepreneurs 1,2 Honors (HP) 0667,0668	Miramar	BUSE 129 – Introduction to Entrepreneurship	3	Yes
Business 100 1,2 (P) 0514, 0515	Miramar	BUSE 100 Introduction to Business	3	Yes



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Energy, Construction, and Utilities				
HS Course & SDUSD Course Number	SDCCD College(s)	College Course Number & Name	College Units	SDUSD Approved for Weighted High School Credit (will appear as weighted credit on HS Transcript)
Introduction to Design 1,2 (P) 3657, 3658	City	ENGN 130 - Intro to Engineering Design	3	Yes
Information & Communication Technologies and Digital Media				
HS Course & SDUSD Course Number	SDCCD College(s)	College Course Number & Name	College Units	SDUSD Approved for Weighted High School Credit (will appear as weighted credit on HS Transcript)
Digital Communications I (P) 0223,0224	City	FJMP 131 – Multimedia Journalism Reporting	3	Yes
Digital Communications II Honors (HP) 0227,0228	City	FJMP 131 – Multimedia Journalism Reporting	3	Yes
Video Production 1,2 8373, 8374		MULT 123	3	Yes
Retail, Hospitality, and Tourism				
HS Course & SDUSD Course Number	SDCCD College(s)	College Course Number & Name	College Units	SDUSD Approved for Weighted High School Credit (will appear as weighted credit on HS Transcript)
Culinary Arts Management 1,2 (P) 8760, 8761	Mesa	CACM 102 - Sanitation	2	No
Culinary Arts and Management 3,4 (P) 8762, 8763	Mesa	CACM 103 Organization of Food & CACM 106 Theory of Food Principles	3.5	Yes



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Culinary Arts and Management 3-4 (P) 8447	Mesa	CACM 103 Organization of Food & CACM 106 Theory of Food Principles	3.5	Yes
Food Preparation and Nutrition 1,2 (P) 1165, 1166	Mesa	NUTR 160 Foods for Healthy Lifestyles	3	Yes

Life Science

HS Course & SDUSD Course Number	SDCCD College(s)	College Course Number & Name	College Units	SDUSD Approved for Weighted High School Credit (will appear as weighted credit on HS Transcript)
Biotechnology 1,2 (P) 8704, 8705	Miramar	BIOL 131 Intro to Biotechnology	4	Yes
PLTW Medical Interventions 1,2 (P) 8265, 8266	Miramar	BIOL 131 Intro to Biotechnology	4	Yes
PLTW Medical Interventions Honors 1,2 (HP) 8339, 8340	Miramar	BIOL 131 Intro to Biotechnology	4	Yes
PLTW Human Body Systems 1,2 (P) 3313, 3314	Mesa	MEDA 055 Fundamentals of Human Anatomy & Physiology	3	No
Honors PLTW Human Body Systems 1,2 (HP) 3303, 3304	Mesa	MEDA 055 Fundamentals of Human Anatomy & Physiology	3	No

The SDCCD CTE Transitions [website](#) provides additional information for high school teachers and students and can be accessed here: <https://bit.ly/2UPkEUG>.