

# Early College Academy Parent/Guardian Consent Form



Dual enrollment/dual credit provided by Early College Academy, is a college level course, taught at or delivered to the high school that allows students to receive college and high school credit simultaneously. If a student chooses to enroll in an ECA coursework, an academic record is created and the grade will be transcribed at Missouri Western and on the high school transcript.

ECA students are considered university students, and are held to the same rules and regulations as a university student; likewise, they have the same benefits as a university student. By completing the information below, you are giving permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to enroll in ECA coursework  
(student's name)  
at \_\_\_\_\_  
(high school or technical school)

Parent/Guardian Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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In accordance with the 6/3/2015 Coordinating Board for Higher Education Dual Credit Policy, ECA students must meet the following requirements:

### 9th Grade

- Overall minimum grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)
- Score at the 90th percentile or above on the ACT or SAT
- Provide signed letter of recommendation from principal and guidance counselor
- Written permission from a parent or legal guardian

### 10th Grade

- Overall minimum grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)
- Provide signed letter of recommendation from principal and guidance counselor
- Written permission from a parent or legal guardian

### 11th and 12th Grades with an overall grade point average between 2.5 – 2.99 (on a 4.0 scale)

- Provide signed letter of recommendation from principal and guidance counselor
- Written permission from a parent or legal guardian

**11th and 12th Grades with an overall minimum grade point average of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)** are automatically eligible for dual credit courses.

To view the CBHE policy in its entirety, please visit: <http://dhe.mo.gov/policies/documents/CBHEPolicyonDualCreditJune2015.pdf>