

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Consent Item**  
September 23, 2020

**SUBJECT:** Approval of the 2020-2021 Dual Enrollment Course-High School Subject Area Equivalency List

---

**PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

For Approval

**AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION**

Section 1007.01(3)(c), F.S.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

The purpose of the Dual Enrollment Course-High School Subject Area Equivalency List, authorized by section (s.) 1007.271(9), Florida Statutes (F.S.), is to establish equivalencies between postsecondary courses and credits completed through dual enrollment courses toward meeting high school graduation requirements.

S. 1007.01(3)(c), F.S., directs the Articulation Coordinating Committee (ACC) to annually recommend dual enrollment course and high school subject equivalencies for approval by the State Board of Education and the Board of Governors. The recommended changes were approved by the ACC on Feb. 14, 2020.

Below is a summary of the revisions to the 2020-2021 Dual Enrollment Course-High School Subject Area Equivalency List:

**English:** Specific course prefixes have been defined for the awarding of high school English graduation credit. Credit values have been updated to reflect appropriate awarding based on guidance provided in the document.

**Foreign Language:** High school credit earned for successful completion of American Sign Language (ASL) courses have been updated to award equal credit to other world language courses.

**Physical Education:** Clarification is provided regarding eligible and ineligible course prefixes in line with statutory language.

**Electives:** A new section was added to the list. This section includes courses that meet the General Education Core requirements for a postsecondary degree, but do not meet a high school graduate core requirement. As well as, courses with historically high dual enrollment participation that earn high school elective credit.

---

**Supporting Documentation Included:** 2020-2021 Dual Enrollment Course-High School Subject Area Equivalency List, and 2020-2021 Dual Enrollment Course-High School Subject Area Equivalency List (Career and Technical) (under separate cover)

**Facilitator/Presenter:** Henry Mack, Chancellor, Career and Adult Education