

	<b><u>Concurrent Enrollment Program</u></b>	<b><u>Other High School Dual Enrollment</u></b>	<b><u>ASCENT (Accelerating Students through Concurrent Enrollment)</u></b>	<b><u>P-Tech (Pathways in Technology Early College High Schools)</u></b>	<b><u>Early College</u></b>
<b><u>Legal Authorization</u></b>	House Bill 09-1319, Senate Bill 09- 285, Colorado Revised Statutes 22- 35-101, State Board Rules 1 CCR 301-86	N/A	House Bill 09-1319, Senate Bill 09- 285, Colorado Revised Statutes 22- 35-101, State Board Rules 1 CCR 301-86	House Bill 15-1270,  Colorado Revised Statutes 22- 35.3-101	Colorado Revised Statutes 22-35-104(10)
<b><u>Grade/Age Requirement</u></b>	Open to 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th graders who receive academic plan approval, meet application deadlines, and meet college course requirements. 12th graders not meeting graduation requirements and who are held back for instructional purposes may not enroll into more than 9 credit hours for the academic year.	Depends on the requirements of the institutional specific dual enrollment programs (CU Succeeds, MEUP and others).	5th year program for students prior to high school graduation and who are on schedule to complete 12 credit hours of postsecondary work prior to completion of 12th year. Participants are selected by high school admin and must meet class requirements and prerequisites.	Open to all students who are admitted to a state approved P-Tech school, with a special focus on encouraging enrollment of students who are socio-economically and racially diverse, the first to attend college in their family, English language learners, and students with disabilities.	Open to students at a secondary school that provides only a curriculum that is designed in a manner that ensures that a student who successfully completes the curriculum will have completed either an associate's degree or sixty (60) credits toward the completion of a postsecondary credential.
<b><u>Funding</u></b>	School district required to pay the tuition up to the community college tuition rate. COF stipend eligible. Parents can be charged more than community college rate for four-year institutions.	Varies depending on agreement. Districts may pay, students may pay, or a combination of the two. May or may not be COF eligible depending on course, location, and other factors.	School District required to pay the tuition up to the community college residential tuition rate. COF stipend eligible. Parents can be charged more than community college rate.	Per pupil revenue, COF, and establishes fixed base PPR for students attending 5 <sup>th</sup> and 6 <sup>th</sup> years of high school.	Funded through the annual K-12 school finance act/PPR. Exempt from concurrent enrollment act.
<b><u>Specifics</u></b>	Need not be degree seeking.	Funding and enrollment specifics vary depending on institution's specific program.	Accepted into degree program. Selected by HS admin to participate. Remedial coursework does not qualify as part of the 12 credit hours of required coursework.	Students begin in 9th grade and go to high school for up to 6 years.	State board-approved high school which, through partnerships with institutions of higher education, enable students to earn 60 credits and an associate degree (or a specified number of college credits).
<b><u>Credit transferability</u></b>	Coursework completed by a qualified student through Concurrent Enrollment qualifies as basic skills credit or academic credit applicable toward earning a degree at the institution or any other Colorado public institution.	Student is enrolled in a dual enrollment program which is not a part of the CE Programs Act. If the program is extended studies and courses are not transcribed it could prevent transferability.	Coursework completed by a qualified student through Concurrent Enrollment at the institution of higher education qualifies as basic skills credit or academic credit applicable toward earning a degree at the institution or any other Colorado public institution.	Students graduate with both a high school diploma and an industry-recognized associate degree (in STEM focused high-growth industry) in addition to gaining relevant workplace skills. Transferability depends upon they type of associate degree program earned. CTE programs and courses sometimes are not as transferable as Arts and Sciences programs.	College course work completed by a qualified student through an Early College qualifies as basic skills credit or academic credit applicable toward earning a degree at the institution or any other Colorado public institution.