

Things to consider:

Transferring credits to your future college or university.....

Since you will take core (general education) university requirements, most credits transfer to the college or university you ultimately attend. But just to be safe, before registering for concurrent credit, check with your top-choice colleges and universities to ensure credits will transfer. CCS will also provide a list of schools that have accepted concurrent credit from these institutions.

There is a difference between concurrent and AP test scores.....

Concurrent credit differs from AP tests. Concurrent credit students take a college course, earn the number of credits assigned to the course, and the grade earned is the grade for the course. Students receive a transcript from the concurrent university. Students enrolled in Advanced Placement courses have the option of taking an AP Exam. Credits are awarded by the university they attend based on their test score.

You can save a lot of time and money.....

By taking concurrent courses beginning your junior year of high school, you have the opportunity to earn from a semester to a year's worth of credit before entering college.



Concurrent vs. Running Start

- Gain experience in college work and expectations in a Christian high school environment with your high school friends and familiar faculty.
 - Graduate without having to take the WASL or do the Senior Project.
 - Maintain the same schedule for both high school and college courses with no conflicts for after school athletics or activities.
 - Maintain same academic calendar.
 - College credits are a fraction of the cost they would be on the actual college or university campus.
- Gain experience in college work and expectations in a secular environment where the average student age is 29 years old.
 - Graduate having to take the WASL or do the Senior Project.
 - College schedules may conflict with high school courses as well as athletics and activities.
 - College academic calendars operate differently from high school calendars with holidays and vacations often different.
 - College credits are free.



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Get a Jump on College!

Concurrent Credit Program



Earn High School and College Credit

With the Concurrent Program at Cascade Christian High School, juniors and seniors can start college now, gaining experience as college students and receiving college credit in high school.

The Concurrent Credit Program brings together professors and classes of Northwest Nazarene University (NNU), Bryan College (BC), and the University of Washington (UW) with Cascade Christian High School.

Through the program, university/college level credit is given for selected courses taught in high school by NNU, BC, and UW approved CCS teachers.

To enroll, check with the Assistant Principal of Academics to learn about the courses offered for concurrent credit and the registration process used at our school to enroll.

There is an additional charge for each concurrent course that is set by the sponsoring college or university. Students may also be required to purchase necessary books.

Course Offerings for 2010-11

CM120 Honors Chemistry (NNU)	3 credits \$300
CM221 and 221L Advanced Chemistry (NNU)	4 credits \$400
CO 121 Advanced Communication (NNU)	2 credits \$200
EN 102 English Composition (NNU)	3 credits \$300
KI 100/100L Fundamentals of Wellness (NNU)	2 credit \$200
PY 155 Advanced Psychology (NNU)	3 credits \$300
GR 103 Advanced German (UW)	5 credits* \$270
BI 111 Bible: Contemporary Worldviews (BC)	2 Credits \$250

Additional Subject Areas with courses in Process

- Business** **Math**
- Social Studies** **Spanish**
- Human Biology/Lab**
- General Biology/Lab**

* Quarter Credits. All other credits are semester credits.

Cascade Christian Schools are Accredited by ACSI and NAAS.

Northwest Nazarene University is fully accredited by the Northwest Association of Schools and of Colleges and Universities, the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, the Council for Accreditation of Counseling and Related Educational Programs, the National Association of Schools of Music, and the Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs, the Council on Social Work Education, and the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education.

Our partnership with NNU allows us to develop and teach courses that match our CCS Culture and maintain Biblical principles in each course we teach through them.

The **University of Washington** Department of Germanics, currently presents one of the largest programs offering advanced degrees in Germanics in the United States and was ranked 12th in the most recent ratings of the National Research Council. Mrs. Wescott taught German 103 for this department when she did her graduate work in German.

Bryan College is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the Tennessee State Board of Education for teacher education and licensure, the Association of Christian Schools International for teacher education and certification, and the Immigration and Naturalization Service for the education of international students.

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