

## Concurrent Enrollment and CTE Pathways

Concurrent enrollment (CE) provides an opportunity for Utah high school students to explore college classes and earn college credit from Utah's eight public colleges.

Think of Concurrent Enrollment (CE) as an opportunity to explore what it is like to be a college student:

1. **CE classes are college classes.** You experience college academics first-hand: read a college textbook, take college exams, write college papers, and learn how much studying is needed to pass a college class. CE classes are taught by college instructors.
2. **You gain “college knowledge.”** To take a CE class, you must apply for admission to a college, pay an application fee, meet college deadlines, and use the campus online registration system to enroll. Talk to a Trish Hedin [hedint@grandschools.org](mailto:hedint@grandschools.org) about choosing classes, how to pay for college, and exploring majors that meet your interests and career goals. <https://trishahedin.wixsite.com/website>
3. **You save money.** Through the CE program, you can take college classes at a deeply discounted cost. Currently, tuition for CE classes is \$5 per credit, \$15 per three credit class. On college campuses, tuition and fees for a three credit class costs between \$450 and \$1,600. This low-cost opportunity is possible because of funding from state government and support from colleges, school districts, and charter schools. Students taking CE classes last year saved \$41 million in tuition.
4. **You earn both college AND high school credit** with each class.

Career Pathways show students a direct connection between doing well in high school and being able to transition smoothly to postsecondary opportunities or getting a good job when they graduate. Students who focus on a Career Pathway acquire the skills necessary for entry into well-paid careers with high potential for rapid financial growth, increased levels of responsibility, and a high degree of personal satisfaction. Students who achieve CTE Pathways are preparing for specific careers beyond high school. These students may attend college or may go directly into the field that they are preparing for.

Utah Career Pathways align with and are categorized by the national Career Clusters<sup>®</sup>. Each Career Pathway culminates in an industry recognized credential of value. For more information on CTE Pathways at Grand County High School contact Jim Stocks [stocks@grandschools.org](mailto:stocks@grandschools.org) <https://www.gcsdcte.org/>

Utah CTE Career Pathways:

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