


2024-2025 EFSC/BPS Early College Program Getting Started

- 1. Attend the EFSC/BPS Early College Program Information Session**
 - ✓ Congratulations! You have been invited to consider participating in the Early College Program based on your 2022 Fall Term GPA of 3.0 or higher. January 25, 2024, 6 PM in the MHS Gymnasium.
- 2. Complete the student interest form for your high school by the deadline.**
 - ✓ If you are interested in participating in the Early College Program, complete the online *Student Interest Form* by your school's deadline of **January 30, 2024**.
 - ✓ <http://tinyurl.com/studentinterestform2024>
 - ✓ MHS has 110 seats for the PERT. The first 110 students that complete the student interest form and need to test will be granted those seats. Students will be notified via email on February 5, 2024.
- 3. Complete Your EFSC Online Application**
 - ✓ Apply for admission to EFSC. You will need to know your Social Security Number (SSN) and your state unweighted high school GPA. Early College students should select AA for Program of Study.
 - ✓ Go to the EFSC webpage at www.easternflorida.edu and click the  button.
 - ✓ When you receive your EFSC acceptance letter, complete the online Dual Enrollment Orientation AND the initial advising appointment with your EFSC advisor.
- 4. Take the PERT at your school or EFSC.**
 - ✓ Score college-ready in reading and writing for acceptance into the Early College Program.
 - ✓ If you qualify, your school will give you a notification letter with information about how to preregister for the **mandatory** in-person Early College Orientation for you and your parent/guardian, parents must attend with student. This is in addition to the online dual enrollment orientation done after applying.
 - ✓ If you do not score college-ready in Reading and/or Writing on the PERT, your school will give a notification letter with information about how to schedule a retest at an EFSC campus. **You must wait 30 days to retest.**
- 5. Turn in the Early College Program Student/Parent Agreement by April 12, 2024, to the MHS Guidance office or Mrs. Persing's room 1-211.**
 - ✓ This will be provided to the student upon earning qualifying PERT test scores.
- 6. Complete all Early College Program requirements by Friday April 12, 2024.**
 - ✓ This includes applying to EFSC, completing the online and in-person orientations, obtaining college ready test scores, submitting the Student/Parent Agreement, and completing the initial advising appointment with your EFSC advisor.
- 7. Your High School Counselor will reach out with a meeting date to complete the EFSC Dual Enrollment Course Registration process.**
 - ✓ Current 10th graders that qualify for the Early College 2-year program will take 2 classes in the summer and 3 in the fall. Summer course registration at EFSC ends April 25, 2024.
 - ✓ Current 9th graders that qualify for the Early College 3-year program will take 2 classes in the fall. No summer. Fall course registration dates are TBA.
 - ✓ Mrs. Persing will meet with all qualifying students as a group and walk them through the registration process. **Do not make an appointment with her to register for classes, she will contact you.**