

Junior Announcements

DORMAN GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Suggested Time Table for College Planning.....

JUNIOR YEAR

● REMIND101: Email dorman18@mail.remind.com or send a text to 81010 with the message @dorman18

● Use **SCOIS** to explore careers, college majors and colleges.

- Go to <http://sccis.intocareers.org>
- Username: **dorman**
Password: **dorman**
- Click sign in


(To customize your SCOIS account you may get your user name/password your Career Specialist, Coach Mezzanotte.)

● If you are interested in attending one of the US Armed Service Academies (*West Point, Air Force Academy, Coast Guard Academy, Naval Academy*) then you need to see your counselor to begin the application process.

Dorman Guidance Opportunities and Scholarship Bulletin is regularly updated. This bulletin will keep you informed of Boys State, Girls State, College Junior Scholar Programs, summer opportunities, scholarship opportunities, college admissions counselors visiting at Dorman, etc. Copies are available in guidance and may also be viewed on the Dorman High School website - <http://www.dormanhigh.org/parentstudentresources/guidancedepartment.aspx>. If you would like a copy of the bulletin emailed to you then email polsonsb@spart6.org.

● Make visits to schools of interest. Spring Break (April 3-7) is a good time to make college visits.

● Register for the ACT and/or SAT



STATE TESTING for Juniors
Tuesday, February 28: ACT will be administered (*at no cost*) to juniors.
Thursday, March 23: WorkKeys

2016-2017 SAT Dates

Test Date	Registration Deadline
*March 11	February 10
*May 6	April 7
*June 3	May 5

*Given at Dorman

- Register online at www.collegeboard.com
- Dorman's School Code 411-842
- Dorman High School SAT Test Center Code 41-345
- Cost: (no essay) \$45; (with essay) \$57

2016-2017 ACT Dates

Test Date	Registration Deadline
*February 11	January 13
*April 8	March 3
*June 10	May 5

*Given at Dorman

- Register online at www.actstudent.org
- Dorman's School Code 411-842
- Dorman High School ACT Test Center Code 174810
- Cost (no writing) \$39.50; (plus writing) \$56.50

NOTE: Many colleges (Clemson, University of Georgia, and University of South Carolina) require that ACT/SAT scores be sent directly from the testing agency.

FEE WAIVERS

Waivers are available for both the ACT/SAT registration fee if you are on free or reduced lunch. In order for Dorman students to be eligible for a fee waiver a student must be currently enrolled in or have completed Algebra II. See your counselor for a test registration fee waiver.

- ACT and SAT allows students two test registration fee waivers.
- The SAT allows students four college application fee waivers if a student has used a waiver for the SAT test registration.
- NCAA Clearinghouse allows a fee waiver if a student has used a waiver for the ACT or SAT test registration. See Coach Lancaster, Coach Mezzanotte, Mrs. Sherbert for a fee waiver.

SAT/ACT Services for Students with Disabilities

Students with a 504 or an IEP may qualify for special accommodations on the ACT and SAT. To apply for special accommodations on the SAT students must see Mrs. Polson, Director of Guidance to submit the request to ACT and/or College Board.

● Plan your senior class schedule. Check high school graduation and coursework admission requirements to be sure you are taking the appropriate courses.

Graduation Requirements Guidelines

Subject	SC Diploma Requirements 24 Units	Dorman Academic Diploma 27 Units
English/Language Arts	4 units	4 units
Mathematics	4 units	4 units
Science	3 units	3 units
US History & Constitution	1 unit	1 unit
Economics	1/2 unit	1/2 unit
US Government	1/2 unit	1/2 unit
Other Social Studies	1 unit	1 unit
Physical Education or JROTC	1 unit	1 unit
Computer Science	1 unit	1 unit
Foreign Language or Occupational Specialty *	1 unit	1 unit
Core Units	17 units	17 units
Elective	7 units	10 units
TOTAL UNITS	24 units	27 units
	EXIT EXAM	EXIT EXAM

**Occupational Classes include classes offered at R.D. Anderson Applied Technology Center, advanced computer, business technology and vocational classes offered at Dorman High School.

Entrance Requirements for South Carolina Public Four Year Colleges and Universities

FOUR UNITS OF ENGLISH: At least two units must have strong grammar and composition components, at least one must be in English literature, and at least one must be in American literature. Completion of College Preparatory English I, II, III, and IV will meet this criterion.

FOUR UNITS OF MATHEMATICS: These include Algebra I (for which Applied Mathematics I and II may count together as a substitute, if a student successfully completes Algebra II), Algebra II, and Geometry. A fourth higher-level mathematics course should be selected from among Algebra III/trigonometry, pre-calculus, calculus, statistics, discrete mathematics, or a capstone mathematics course and should be taken during the senior year.

THREE UNITS OF LABORATORY SCIENCE: Two units must be taken in two different fields of the physical or life sciences and selected from among biology, chemistry, or physics. The third unit may be from the same field as one of the first two units (biology, chemistry, or physics) or from any laboratory science for which biology and/or chemistry is a prerequisite. Courses in earth science, general physical science, or introductory or general environmental science for which biology and/or chemistry is not a prerequisite will not meet this requirement. It is strongly recommended that students take physical science (taught as a laboratory science) as a prerequisite to the three required units of laboratory science outlined in this section. It is also strongly recommended that students desiring to pursue careers in science, mathematics, engineering or technology take one course in all three fields.

TWO UNITS OF THE SAME FOREIGN LANGUAGE

THREE UNITS OF SOCIAL SCIENCE: One unit of U.S. History is required; a half unit of Economics and a half unit in Government are strongly recommended.

ONE UNIT OF FINE ARTS: One unit in Appreciation of, History of, or Performance in one of the fine arts.

ELECTIVE: One unit must be taken as an elective. A college preparatory course in Computer Science (i.e., one involving significant programming content, not simply keyboarding) is strongly recommended for this elective. Other acceptable electives include college preparatory courses in English; fine arts; foreign languages; social science; humanities; laboratory science (excluding earth science, general physical science, general environmental science, or other introductory science courses for which biology and/or chemistry is not a prerequisite); or mathematics above the level of Algebra II.

ONE UNIT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION OR ROTC

NOTE: Each institution may make exceptions in admitting 1) students who do not meet all of the prerequisites, limited to those individual cases in which the failure to meet one or more prerequisites is due to circumstances beyond the reasonable control of the student or 2) students who have taken the Tech Prep (Applied Academics) courses rather than the required college preparatory curriculum described above and who meet all other institutional admissions criteria .above and who meet all other institutional admissions criteria.

Summer 2017

- Make visits to schools during your summer vacation.
- Plan summer activities early. Enrich yourself by volunteering, getting an interesting job or internship, or signing up for special summer learning programs

SENIOR YEAR

Fall 2017

COLLEGE ATHLETICS NCAA INITIAL ELIGIBILITY

Students intending to play NCAA Division 1 or 2 sports must register with the NCAA Clearinghouse. Do this as soon as you decide to participate in college athletics. You must apply on-line at www.eligibilitycenter.org.

Once students register with the Clearinghouse they must come to Guidance and complete a **Transcript Request Form** so their transcript will be sent to the NCAA. NOTE: Your SAT/ACT scores must be sent directly from the testing center. When you register to take the SAT/ACT you must mark 9999 so that the Clearinghouse will receive your scores.

Also student athletes should complete a *Dorman High School Authorization to Release Records for Academic/Athletic Purposes*. This will allow Guidance to release your transcript to Coaches and College Athletic Departments.

NAIA INITIAL ELIGIBILITY

An entering freshman must:

Be a graduate of an accredited high school or be accepted as a regular student in good standing as defined by the enrolling

- institution *and*
- Meet **two of the three** following requirements:

1. Achieve a minimum of 18 on the ACT or 860 on the SAT. The SAT must be achieved on the Critical Reading and Math sections only. The Writing score cannot be used. Scores must be achieved on a single test.
2. Achieve a minimum overall high school grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale. The NAIA accepts the grade point average determined by the high school, provided it is recorded and awarded in the same manner as every other student at the school
3. Graduate in the top half of your high school class.

- In September attend **Senior Night** at Dorman High School.
- Meet with your counselor to review your transcript and IGP.
- Attend **Ed- Op** at the Spartanburg Memorial Auditorium and/or the Dorman High School College Fair to get more college information.
- If possible visit your narrowed selection of schools once more. Meet with faculty in your intended major, visit classes, talk with students, try the food and visit a residence hall. Attend an overnight visit, if applicable. **NOTE: Seniors are allowed two college visits – one in the fall semester and one in the spring semester. Arrangements for these visits must be made in advance. To verify the visit and excuse the absence, return to Dorman with a note from the college. Note: If you request both college visits in the same semester then approval must be obtained from the principal.**
- Admissions offices are generally open five days a week and offer daily tours. Call to schedule an appointment with an admissions counselor.
- Complete and submit applications to your selected institutions from October 1 through December 1.
- Take the ACT or SAT again, *if needed*.
- Plan to attend Dorman High School's Scholarship Workshop and Financial Aid Workshop in the Fall.
- Complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) as soon as possible after OCTOBER 1st at www.fafsa.ed.gov. You will need a copy of your income tax forms to be able to complete this form. Also speak to the financial aid officer at the college of your interest. If you are visiting a college, make sure to schedule an appointment with the Financial Aid Office.

Spring 2018

- Send in required deposits, housing contracts, and medical forms to the college of your choice. Keep a copy of everything you send!
- Meet with Career Specialist for Senior Exit Interview. Request your final transcript be sent to your college of choice.



LIFE Scholarship

The General Assembly established the Legislative Incentives for Future Excellence (LIFE) Program in 1998 to increase access to higher education, improve employability of South Carolina's students, provides incentives for students to be better prepared for college, and to encourage students to graduate from college on time. Eligible full-time students may receive the following:

◆ Up to \$5,000 (including a \$300 book allowance) each academic year toward the cost of attendance at an eligible four year institution in S.C. Funding limited to eight (8) consecutive terms for the first bachelor's degree or ten (10) consecutive terms for the first approved five-year bachelor's degree

OR

◆ Up to the cost of tuition plus a \$300 book allowance each academic year at an eligible technical college in S.C. At the eligible two-year public and independent institutions in the State, students may receive up to the cost of tuition at the USC's Regional Campuses. Funding limited to two (2) consecutive terms for the first one-year program or four (4) consecutive terms for the first associate's degree program or a two-year program that is acceptable as full credit toward a bachelor's degree

Initial Eligibility at Four-year Institutions:

Students must meet two of the following three criteria:

1. Earn at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA based on the SC Uniform Grading Policy (UGP) upon high school graduation

2. Rank in the top 30 percent of the graduating class

3. Score at least 1100 on the SAT (or 24 on the ACT) through June of the senior year. For the SAT, only the Math and Critical Reading subsection scores can be used

Initial Eligibility at Two-year Institutions:

◆ Graduate from high school with at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA based on the SC UGP

Additional Eligibility Requirements:

◆ Must be SC residents at the time of high school graduation and college enrollment

◆ Must not be recipients of the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship, SC HOPE Scholarship or Lottery Tuition Assistance within the same academic year

◆ Must meet all general eligibility criteria

There is no separate application required for the LIFE Scholarship. The eligible institution will notify students if they qualify for the Scholarship.

Palmetto Fellows Scholarship

The General Assembly established the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship Program in 1988 to retain academically talented high school graduates in the State through awards based on merit. Full-time students awarded the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship who attend an eligible four year institution in the State may be eligible for the following:

◆ Freshman may receive up to \$6,700 during the first year of college enrollment. Sophomores, juniors and seniors may receive up to \$7,500 per year

◆ The Palmetto Fellows Scholarship must be applied directly toward the cost of attendance, less any other gift aid received

◆ Assuming continued eligibility, the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship is limited to eight (8) consecutive terms for the first bachelor's degree program or ten (10) consecutive terms for the first approved five-year bachelor's degree program

Initial Eligibility Requirements:

Applications for early awards must be submitted to the Commission on Higher Education for the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship by the date established in *December* each academic year. High school seniors may apply if they meet one of the two following sets of academic requirements:

◆ Score at least 1200 on the SAT (27 on the ACT) by the November test administration, earn a minimum 3.50 cumulative GPA₂ on the SC Uniform Grading Policy (UGP) at the end of the junior year, and rank in the top six percent₃ of the class at the end of either the sophomore or the junior year

OR

◆ Score at least 1400 on the SAT (32 on the ACT) by the November test administration and earn a minimum 4.00 cumulative GPA₂ on the SC UGP at the end of the junior year

Applications for final awards must be submitted to the Commission on Higher Education for the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship by the date established in *June* each academic year. High school seniors may apply if they meet one of the following sets of academic requirements:

◆ Score at least 1200 on the SAT (27 on the ACT)₁ by the June national test administration of the senior year; earn a minimum 3.50 cumulative GPA₂ on the SC UGP at the end of the senior year, and rank in the top six percent₃ of the class at the end of the sophomore, junior or senior year

OR

◆ Score at least 1400 on the SAT (32 on the ACT) by the June national test administration and

earn a minimum 4.00 cumulative GPA₂ on the SC UGP at the end of the senior year

For application information, please contact your high school guidance counselor if you meet the above criteria.

¹The score on the SAT must be calculated by using the highest Math score combined with the highest Critical Reading score (formerly known as the Verbal score). Students cannot use the Writing subsection score to meet the minimum SAT score. ²GPA₂ must be reported with at least two decimal places and cannot be rounded. ³Rank is calculated by multiplying the number in class by six percent. If the result is not a whole number, then round up to the next whole number of students.

LIFE & Palmetto Fellows Scholarship Enhancements

Recipients of the Palmetto Fellows and LIFE Scholarships attending eligible four-year institutions in S.C. may qualify for:

◆ Up to \$2,500 in additional funds beginning with their sophomore year

◆ Up to six (6) consecutive terms toward the first bachelor's degree or eight (8) consecutive terms toward the first approved five-year bachelor's degree

Eligibility Requirements:

◆ Be a recipient of the LIFE or Palmetto Fellows Scholarship

◆ Earn at least 14 credit hours of instruction in approved mathematics or life and physical sciences or a combination of both by the end of the first year of college enrollment

◆ Declare an approved major in science or mathematics. For eligible majors, courses and institutions, visit the Commission's Web site at www.che.sc.gov.

Lottery Tuition Assistance

The Lottery Tuition Assistance Program actual award amounts are dependent upon the number of students eligible and the amount of funding available each academic year.

Initial Eligibility Requirements:

◆ Must complete and file a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) each academic year or complete a FAFSA Waiver (only available to certain students)

◆ Must be enrolled as a degree-seeking student in a minimum of six credit hours each term

◆ Must not be recipients of a LIFE, Palmetto Fellows or SC HOPE Scholarship during the same academic year (fall, spring or summer terms);

◆ Must not receive Lottery Tuition Assistance for more than one certificate, diploma or degree awarded within any five-year period unless the additional certificate, diploma or degree constitutes progress in the same field of study

◆ Must meet all general eligibility criteria.

SC Need-based Grant

The General Assembly established the S.C. Need-based Grant Program in 1996 to provide additional financial assistance to South Carolina's neediest students. Eligible full-time students may receive the following:

◆ Up to \$2,500 per year if enrolled full-time or up to \$1,250 per year if enrolled part-time

◆ Up to eight (8) full-time equivalent terms of funding

◆ Foster care youth may receive the maximum award in addition to Need-based Grant funds specifically for foster care youth. Youth must self-identify by May 1st.

Initial Eligibility Requirements:

◆ Must complete and file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) each academic year

◆ Must be enrolled and attending or have completed at the time of the grant disbursement a minimum of six credit hours if part-time or twelve credit hours if full-time for the term

◆ Must meet all general eligibility criteria

SC HOPE Scholarship

SC HOPE is a one-year merit-based Scholarship created for first-time entering freshman attending eligible four-year institutions in S.C. Eligible full-time students may receive the following:

◆ Up to \$2,800 (including a \$300 book allowance) toward the cost of attendance

◆ Up to two (2) consecutive terms of funding

Initial Eligibility Requirements:

◆ Earn a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA on the SC Uniform

Grading Policy upon high school graduation

◆ Be SC residents at the time of high school graduation and college enrollment

◆ Not be recipients of the Palmetto Fellows Scholarship, LIFE Scholarship or Lottery Tuition Assistance

◆ Meet all general eligibility criteria.

There is no separate application required for the SC HOPE Scholarship. The eligible four-year institution will notify students if they qualify for the Scholarship.

Disclaimer: This information is current as of October 26, 2016.

Dorman High School - Dual Credit Courses

ACC 101 Accounting Principles I (SCC)

This course introduces basic accounting procedures for analyzing, recording, and summarizing financial transactions, adjusting and closing the financial records at the end of the accounting cycle, and preparing financial statements. Emphasis is placed on accounting for current and long-term assets, current and long-term liabilities, statement of cash flow and financial statement analysis.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 and Math 580 or ACT English 19 and Math 22 or COMPASS Writing 42 and Reading 69 and Pre-algebra 44 or ASSET Writing 36 and Reading 37 and Numerical 41 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 61 and Reading 46 and Arithmetic 66 and Elementary Algebra 20-82.

ACC 102 Accounting Principles II (SCC)

This course emphasizes managerial accounting theory and practice in basic accounting and procedures for cost accounting, budgeting, and cost-volume analysis and capital investment analysis. Additional financial topics covered will include performance management and evaluation, decision analysis and target costing.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and C or higher in Accounting 101.

CPT 101 Introduction to Computer 101 (SCC)

This course covers basic computer history, theory and applications, including word processing, spreadsheets, databases, presentation graphics, and the operating system.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 and Math 580 or ACT English 19 and Math 22 or COMPASS Writing 42 and Reading 69 and Pre-Algebra 44 or ASSET Reading 37 and Writing 36 and Numerical 41 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 61 and Reading 46 and Arithmetic 66 and Elementary Algebra 20-82.

ECO 210 Macroeconomics (SCC)

This course includes the study of fundamental principles and policies of a modern economy to include markets and prices, national income accounting, cycles, employment theory and fiscal policy, banking and monetary controls, and the government's role in economic decisions and growth.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 and Math 580 or ACT English 19 and Math 22 or COMPASS Writing 42 and Reading 69 and Pre-algebra 44 or ASSET Writing 36 and Reading 37 and Numerical 41 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 61 and Reading 46 and Arithmetic 66 and Elementary Algebra 20-82.

EGL 101 Composition I (USC Upstate)

Instruction and practice in academic writing, critical reading and research. Attention is given to planning, drafting, revising, and editing a variety of texts.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and Completion of High School Hon English 11 or Adv. English 12 or World Literature or AP English Language and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19

EGL 102 Composition II (USC Upstate)

Continued instruction in composition, building on skills introduced in English 101. Attention is given to writing for specific audiences, reading and analyzing challenging texts, and synthesizing academic sources in writing.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and C or higher in EGL 101

HIST 102 (INTRO TO WORLD HISTORY II) 1500 TO THE PRESENT (USC Upstate)

Using a global approach, emphasis is placed on major political, social, economic, and cultural trends.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19

*HIS 111 United States History to 1877 (USC-Union)

This course is a general study of the United States from the era of discovery to 1877. Out of Many, brief edition, reveals the ethnic, geographical and economic diversity of the United States by examining the individual, the community and the state and placing a special focus on the country's regions, particularly the West. Each chapter helps students understand the textured and varied history that has produced the increasing complexity of America.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19

*HIS 112 United States History since 1877 (USC-Union)

This course is a general survey of the United States from 1877 to present. Out of Many, brief edition, reveals the ethnic, geographical and economic diversity of the United States by examining the individual, the community and the state and placing a special focus on the country's regions, particularly the West. Each chapter helps students understand the textured and varied history that has produced the increasing complexity of America.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19

**In order to satisfy the high school requirement for US History then students must take both HIS 111 and HIS 112. HIS111 and HIST112 will both be taught during one period. Example: First Nine Weeks-HIS 111/Second Nine Weeks-HIS 112.*

MAT 110 College Algebra (SCC)

This course includes the following topics: polynomial, rational, logarithmic, and exponential functions; inequalities; systems of equations and inequalities; matrices; determinants; and solutions of higher degree polynomials.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and Algebra II and SAT Verbal 480 and Math 580 or ACT English 19 and Math 22 or COMPASS Writing 42 and Reading 81 and Algebra 66 or ASSET Writing 36, Reading 41 and Intermediate Alg. 44 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 61 and Reading 71 and Elementary Algebra 107 and College Level Math 20-85.

MAT 120 Probability and Statistics (SCC)

This course includes the following topics: introductory probability and statistics, including organization of data, sample space concepts, random variables, counting problems, binomial and normal distributions, central limit theorem, confidence intervals, and test hypothesis for large and small samples, types I and II errors; linear regression; and correlation.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and Algebra II and SAT Verbal 480 and Math 580 or ACT English 19 and Math 22 or COMPASS Writing 42, Reading 81 and Algebra 66 or ASSET Writing 36, Reading 41 and Intermediate Alg. 44 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 61 and Reading 71 and Elementary Algebra 107 and College Level Math 20-85.

MKT101 Marketing 101 (SCC)

This course covers an introduction to the field of marketing with a detailed study of the marketing concept and the processes of product development, pricing, promotion, and marketing distribution. Other topics will include consumer psychology, research and information systems, advertising and legislative considerations.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19 or COMPASS Writing 42 and Reading 69 or ASSET Writing 36 and Reading 37 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 61 and Reading 46.

MUSC 140 (HISTORY OF ROCK MUSIC) (USC Upstate)

Representative artists, cultural significance, and classic recordings in the development of rock music.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19

PSC 201 American Government (SCC)

This course is a study of national governmental institutions with emphasis on the Constitution, the functions of the executive, legislative and judicial branches, civil liberties and the role of the electorate.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19 or COMPASS Writing 78 and Reading 81 or ASSET Writing 44 and Reading 41 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 81 and Reading 71.

PSYC 101 Introduction to Psychology (USC-Union)

This course is an introduction to and survey of the basic concepts and findings within the field of psychology.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19

SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology (SCC)

This course emphasizes the fundamental concepts and principles of sociology, including culture, socialization, interaction, social groups and stratification, effects of population growth and technology in society and social institutions.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19 or ACT English 19 or COMPASS Writing 78 and Reading 81 or ASSET Writing 44 and Reading 41 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 81 and Reading 71.

SPC 205 Public Speaking (SCC)

This course is an introduction to principles of public speaking with application of speaking skills.

Prerequisites: 3.0 GPA and SAT Verbal 480 or ACT English 19 or COMPASS Writing 78 and Reading 81 or ASSET Writing 44 and Reading 41 or Accuplacer Sentence Skills 81 and Reading 71.

Dual Credit Facts:

- ASSET or COMPASS Placement Test Scores or Accuplacer Benchmark Scores or SAT Scores or ACT Scores are required for Spartanburg Community College courses. SAT Scores or ACT Scores are required for USC Union and USC Upstate courses.
- Courses taken through dual enrollment will be included in the student's GPA/Rank and are weighted as AP credit.
- A three-hour credit college course transfers as 1 high school unit of credit.
- Dual enrollment grades and credits count toward college freshman total credit hours. To maintain the LIFE scholarship from the college freshman year to the college sophomore year, a student must maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA while accumulating 30 credit hours. The LIFE scholarship is worth \$5000 per year.
- Students that drop a dual enrollment course after the first five class sessions will receive a WF, meaning withdrew failing, on their high school transcripts and must pay the tuition for the dropped course. Students must also follow the withdrawal guidelines of the college that the course is taught.
- Students are NOT charged tuition for their first dual enrollment course; however, they are responsible for books and/or other course fees. Students making an A or B in dual enrollment courses may continue to take additional courses tuition free. Students making a C or below in a dual enrollment course will be required to pay tuition for additional dual enrollment courses.
- Students that want to take the Accuplacer at SCC must see Ms. Polson in Guidance and complete a SCC Early College Prospect and Application Form.
- At the completion of the course students must sign a Spartanburg Community College; USC Union; and/or a USC Upstate Transcript Request Form and mail it to the appropriate institution in order for grades to be sent to any colleges to which you apply.

NOTE: South Carolina public two and four year colleges and universities have a list of courses that are transferable within the state public college system. Students should verify the course they choose is a part of their college major or can be counted as an elective credit. Student should check with the four-year college they plan to attend to see if the course they selected will be accepted for college credit.

Students with a 504 or an IEP must contact the college directly in order to request accommodations. Listed below are the contacts for each college:

Spartanburg Community College:

Josh Holmes, Assistant Coordinator of the SCC Office of Disability Services

592-4818; holmesj@scsc.edu

University of South Carolina Union

Brad Greer; greerm@mailbox.sc.edu

University of South Carolina Upstate

Wendy Woodsby; 503-5199; woodsby@uscupstate.edu