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Alabama State Department of Education



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Governor Bob Riley created the Task Force on Distance Learning

Central Vision - *to provide equal access to high quality instruction to improve student achievement through distance learning opportunities*

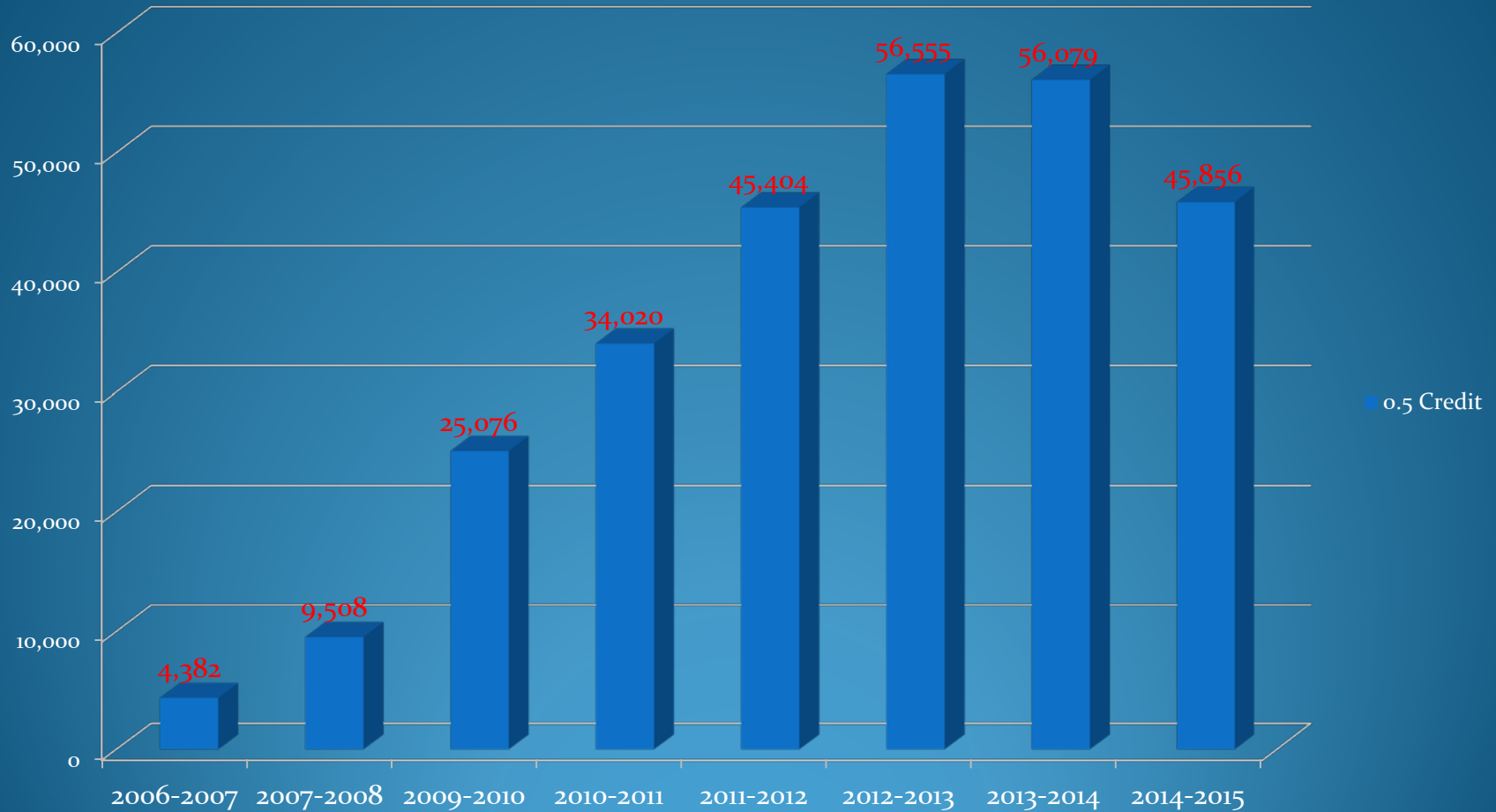
November 1, 2004 - Alabama ACCESS Distance Learning Initiative

October 1, 2005 - Funding made available to pilot schools

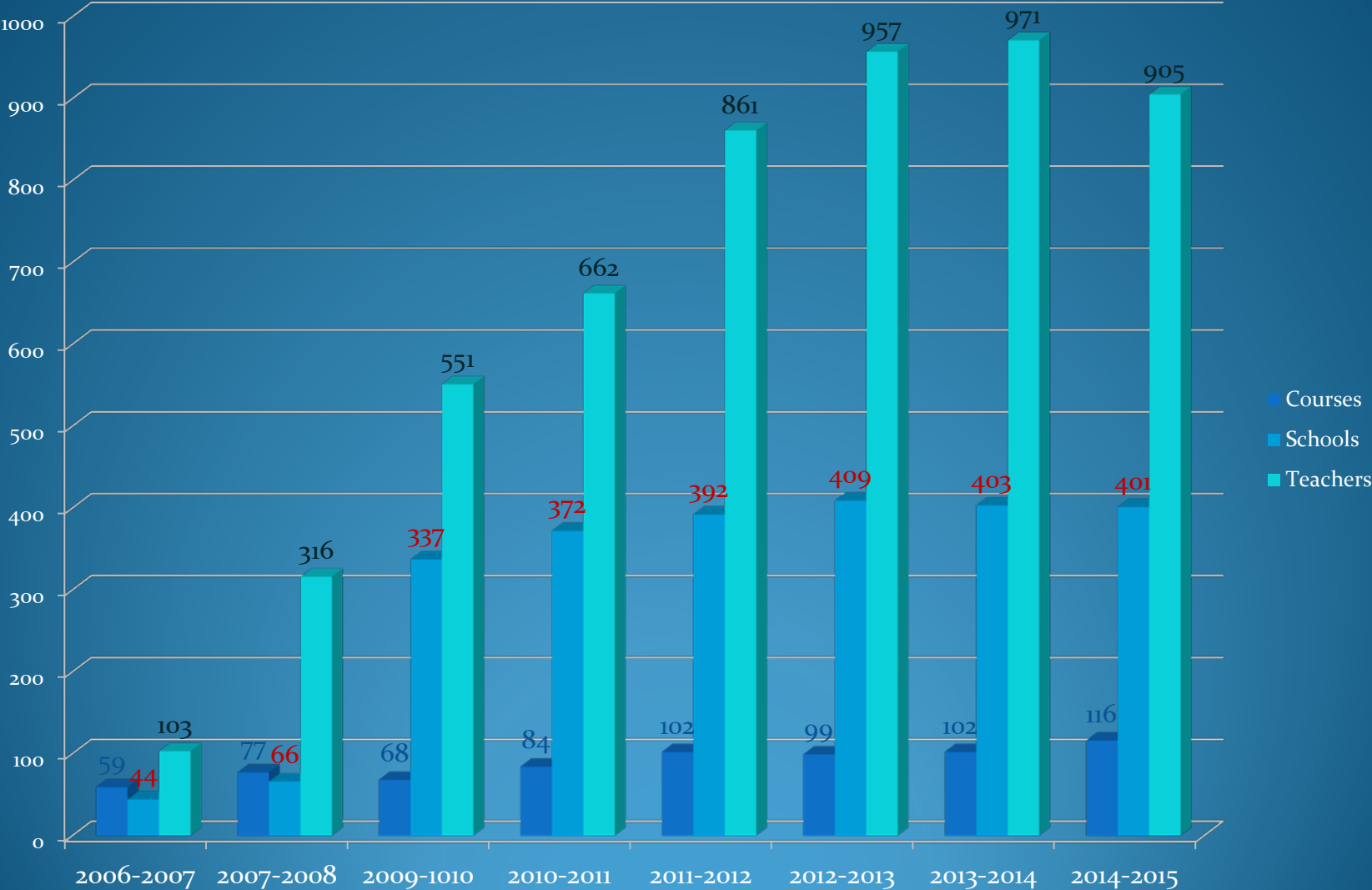
January 1, 2006 - 7 Web-based Courses to 310 students;
19 Interactive Videoconferencing Courses to 340 students

2012-2013 School Year – 99 courses to 409 schools; 27,712 students;
957 teachers; 56,555 half credit equivalents

Growth in 0.5 Credit Enrollments



Growth in Courses, Schools, Teachers



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WELCOME TO ACCESS DISTANCE LEARNING! -
OUR VISION: THE STATE OF ALABAMA WILL PROVIDE EQUAL ACCESS TO HIGH QUALITY INSTRUCTION TO IMPROVE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT THROUGH DISTANCE LEARNING.

Wednesday, September 23,
2015

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Moodle are here.

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ATTENTION

Guidance Counselors - Please note that the *Computer Programming BASIC* (0.5 credit) course offered by ACCESS in past years has been replaced by *Computer Programming I* (1.0 credit), which meets the description for *Intro to Computer Programming Concepts* (#925622). The new course includes several updates. *Computer Programming I* now teaches Python and Java, the top two programming languages of 2015, rather than QBASIC. In addition, the use of a free Windows emulation system will reduce problems that some Mac OS students had with required software installations.

While the full course will prepare students well for the *AP Computer Science* course, students who may not be able to take the 1.0 credit option can get a good introduction to Python by completing the first 0.5 credit of the course.

Please note that this course will require several free software installations over the duration of the course, so you may need to plan ahead with your technology coordinator. **In addition, please note that the Chrome OS on Chromebooks DOES NOT meet the minimum requirements for this course.**

*****Registration for 2015-16 Fall/Spring is NOW OPEN*****

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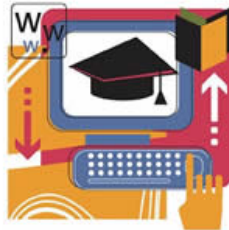


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[2012-2013 Subject and Personnel Codes](#)

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English

- English 9 (1) CR, CA
- English 10 (1) CR, CA
- English 11 (1) CR, CA
- English 12 (1) CR, CA
- AP English Language/Composition (1)
- AP English Literature/Composition (1)

Social Studies

- United States Government (½) CR, CA
- Economics (½) CR, CA
- World History: 1500 to Present (1) CR, CA
- United States History I (10th) (1) CR, CA
- United States History II (11th) (1) CR, CA
- AP United States History (1)
- AP Macroeconomics (½)
- AP U.S. Government and Politics (½)

Science

- Physical Science (1) CR, CA
- Biology (1) CR, CA
- Chemistry (1) CR, CA
- Physics (1)
- Environmental Science (1) CR, CA
- Marine Science (1)
- Forensic Science (1)
- AP Biology (1)

CR Credit Recovery Course

CA Credit Advancement Course

Mathematics

- Algebra I (1) CR, CA
- Algebra IA (1) CR
- Algebra IB (1) CR
- Geometry (1) CR, CA
- Geo A (1) CR; Geo B (1) CR
- Algebraic Connections (1) CR, CA
- Alg II or Alg II w/Trig: Both (1) CR, CA
- Precalculus (1) CA
- AP Calculus AB (1)
- AP Statistics (1)

Foreign Languages

- French I (1)
- French II (1)
- French III (1)
- German I (1)
- German II (1)
- German III (1)
- Latin I (1)
- Latin II (1)
- Latin III (1)
- Spanish I (1)
- Spanish II (1)
- Spanish III (1)
- Spanish IV (1)
- Mandarin Chinese I (1)
- Mandarin Chinese II (1)

Electives

- Accounting (1)
- Creative Writing (½,1)
- Global Studies (1)
- Psychology (½)
- Personal Finance (½)
- Nutrition and Wellness (½)
- Web Design I (1)
- Web Design II (1)
- Workforce Essentials (1)
- Computer Programming I (1)
- Reading (½)
- Business Technology Applications (1)
- Sociology (½)
- AP Psychology (1)
- AP Computer Science A (1)
- AP Art History (1)
- Forestry (1)
- Journalism (½)

Health

- Health Education (½)

Arts

- Arts Survey (½)
- Theatre Level I (1)

Physical Education

- LIFE (1)

Videoconferencing Instruction (VCI) Courses

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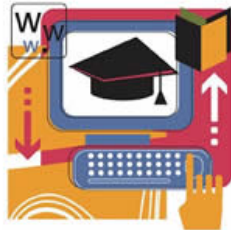


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Web-Based (Online) Courses

Receiving School Requirements:

- Onsite ACCESS Trained Classroom Facilitator
- Compliance with ACCESS Policies
- Necessary Technology

Mathematics

Algebra I* (1)

Math 8 - Full-Year Course

Science

Science 8 - Full-Year Course

Electives

Business Technology Applications* (1)

For each bullet below, ONE of the items is required:

- Word 2007, Word 2003, OR Open Office Writer
- Excel 2007, Excel 2003, OR Open Office Calc
- PowerPoint 2007, PowerPoint 2003, OR Open Office Impress
- Access 2007, Access 2003, OR Open Office Base

Creative Writing 8 - Full-Year Course

Creative Writing 8 - Half-Year Course

Journalism 8 - Half-Year Course

Foreign Languages

Spanish I* (1)

French I* (1)

German I* (1)

Latin I* (1)

Mandarin Chinese I* (1)

Course Credit Shown in Parentheses

Courses marked with an asterisk (*) are intended for advanced/accelerated eighth-grade students upon counselor recommendations and parent/guardian approvals. The awarding of high school credit will be a decision of the LEA, and high school credit must be awarded for students to meet the online experience requirement for graduation. Students in upper grades will have priority if space becomes limited due to budget constraints. Textbooks are not required for courses listed above.

For a map of Support Center Regions, see <http://accessdl.state.al.us>. For additional information, contact your regional support center.

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The University of Alabama ACCESS Support Center – Barry Barnett, Director - 866-591-9998 – bbarnett@ccs.ua.edu

Troy University ACCESS Support Center – Reba Davis, Director - 866-399-7512 – rrdavis@troy.edu

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ACCESS Virtual Learning

News

Virtual School/Program Option

Learn more about the Alabama Act 2015-89 as described in Melinda Maddox's session on 9/22/2015:

Power Point Presentation



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About ACCESS

Goal

The goal of the distance learning plan is to create equity through additional educational offerings for all Alabama public high school students.

Mission

The mission of the distance education program in Alabama is to provide an infrastructure that delivers equitable, quality learning opportunities for all citizens.

Vision

The State of Alabama provides equal access to

Any time -

Any where -

Any pace -

LEARNING

Alabama's First Choice Implementation Guide

- The emphasis was moved from seat time to competency
- An Online Experience
- Credit Recovery
- Credit Advancement



Every Child a Graduate. Every Graduate Prepared

Credit Recovery



Plan 2020 is the strategic plan for education in Alabama with a goal to prepare all students to be successful in college and/or career upon graduation from high school.

Plan 2020 will:

- Improve student growth and achievement.
- Close the achievement gap.
- Increase the graduation rate.
- Increase the number of students graduating high school that are college- and career- ready and prepared to be successful in our global society.

Teacher Certification in Alabama
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Office of Teaching and Leading

Plan 2020
Four Pillars

Schools & Systems

Learners & Parents

Education Professionals

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Superintendent's Corner

Innovation Celebration!
The Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE) is celebrating innovation in schools and classroom across the state from now to December 2015 by focusing on innovative programs, schools, classrooms, and teachers who are creating innovative opportunities.



"Celebrate Innovation!" aims to highlight the many educators in Alabama's school systems who are thinking outside the box and coming up with new

What's Happening Now

State Board of Education Meeting and Worksession Agendas for October 8, 2015
Agendas
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Alabama State Department of Education receives \$750K American Express Principals Path to Leadership Grant
The ALSDE will receive \$750,000 over a three year period to support the statewide implementation of the Alabama Strong: Principals as Catalysts for School Improvement program.
[Learn More...](#)

Public Hearings on Proposed Changes to

Up And Coming

ACT College and Career Readiness Workshops
10/9/2015 08:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Columbus Day/Fraternal Day/American Indian Heritage Day
10/12/2015 08:00 AM - 05:00 PM

AMSTI Statewide Staff Meeting
10/19/2015 - 10/23/2015

2015 Joint Leadership Development Conference (JLDC)
10/19/2015 - 10/20/2015

ACT College and Career Readiness Workshop



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Credit Recovery



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Credit Recovery



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✓ Credit Recovery Transcript Instructions

This document provides instructions for entering credit recovery and summer school grades into INow.
[www.alsde.edu/sec/sct/InformationNOW - Transcripts \(3\).pdf](http://www.alsde.edu/sec/sct/InformationNOW - Transcripts (3).pdf)

✓ Instructional Services Credit Recovery Power Point

Credit Recovery presentation by Robin Nelson, Instructional Services Coordinator for the Alabama Association of School Boards in November 6, 2014...
www.alsde.edu/sec/sct/Credit Recovery Presentation.pdf

Credit Recovery

... or skills required to receive course **credit** the opportunity to apply for **Credit Recovery** ... average—with a grade of D or C dependent upon the student's performance in **Credit Recovery** ...
www.alsde.edu/sec/sct/.../Revised Credit Recovery with Sample2.pdf

Credit Recovery Presentation

equivalent on a locally adopted grading scale in order to be eligible for **credit recovery** ... **Credit Recovery** nor **Credit** Advancement for the purposes or eligibility from any of these ...
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Can I ____?

Welcome to the Laws and Guidelines that Govern Curriculum and Instruction session ... My name is Dede Coe and ... Time Allotment and **Credit** Requirements for Secondary Schools ... **Credit Recovery** ...
alex.state.al.us/ccrs/sites/.../files/AAC - Code of AL - § P2.pptx

Credit Recovery

A Guide to ACCESS **Credit Recovery** ...
www.alsde.edu/sec/et/ACCESS Resources/Credit Recovery.aspx

Sample Credit Recovery Grading Criteria

Credit Recovery Grade ...
www.alsde.edu/sec/.../Sample Credit Recovery Grading Criteria.pdf

Standards/Courses of Study & Textbooks - Gradua...

Revised **Credit Recovery** with Sample2... **Credit Recovery** Information and forms

Credit Recovery

School systems may choose to offer students who have been unsuccessful in mastering content or skills required to receive course credit the opportunity to apply for **Credit Recovery**. Credit Recovery study is based on deficiencies rather than a repeat of the entire course. Students who have not achieved a baseline average of 40 or above (on a 100-point scale), or its equivalent on a locally adopted grading scale must repeat the entire course.

LEAs should be aware that the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) does not recognize Credit Recovery for course credit and advise athletes accordingly or prohibit their participation.

LEAs offering Credit Recovery shall develop program rules, regulations, and processes and shall provide them in writing to students, parents/guardians, and the Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE). At a minimum, they must address the following guidelines for admission and removal, instruction, content and curriculum, and grades:

1. Admission and Removal

LEA rules and regulations, or procedures for admission to and removal from Credit Recovery programs, may include but not be limited to, attendance, discipline, availability of coursework, availability of space, appropriate progress, and grades. At a minimum, these procedures should:

- a. Require students to complete the Credit Recovery Request Form (Attachment A).
- b. Require parent/guardian consent.
- c. Require students to have earned a **baseline average of 40 or above** on a 100-point scale or the equivalent on a locally adopted grading scale.

2. Instruction

All Credit Recovery classes should be under the supervision of a trained teacher/facilitator.

- a. Teachers of teacher-based programs shall be certified and highly qualified in the core academic area they are teaching.
- b. Facilitators of computer-based programs:
 - i. Shall be certified teachers.
 - ii. Shall receive training pertaining to course organization, online/computer-based instruction management, and related technology.
- c. Facilitators of online courses provided by the ALSDE and which have certified, highly qualified teachers shall:
 - i. Be adults approved by the local school board.
 - ii. Receive professional development in online methodology and technical aspects of Web-based instruction.
- d. Content standards and concepts to be addressed in Credit Recovery courses may be determined by the following criteria:
 - i. The teacher who assigned the failing grade to the student identifies the course of study content standards that were not met by the student.
 - ii. A course and skill-specific diagnostic tool provided by the software vendor may be used to identify the standards for instruction.

Credit Advancement

School systems may choose to offer students who exhibit proficiency beyond the level required for all students for an individual course the opportunity to pursue **Credit Advancement** as an alternative to the traditional Carnegie Unit approach to course completion if offered by the local school system. For a student to be eligible for Credit Advancement he or she must:

1. Be recommended by a current or former teacher of the subject/course being considered for Credit Advancement.
2. Have criterion-referenced or norm-referenced test scores that support an above grade-level proficiency of content in the subject/course being considered for Credit Advancement.
3. Complete a Request for Credit Advancement form, signed by the parent or guardian, the high school counselor, and high school principal (Attachment A).

Credit Advancement may occur in the following two ways:

1. The student may request to take an **end-of-course assessment** (state-adopted if available or locally developed if not) covering all of the standards of the course before formal enrollment in the course. The state **end-of-course assessment** must be given during one of the three available windows (four-week window at the end of term one, four-week window at the end of term two, or during the eight-week summer window). A **mastery score of 80 or above** must be obtained to receive credit for the course through Credit Advancement, and this score will be included in the student's overall Grade Point Average.

If a student (or parent/guardian) does not want to accept (rejects) the student's mastery score of 80 or above, the student may enroll in the course and will take the **end-of-course assessment** as required at the end of the course.

2. The student may show **Proficiency** during a course and request permission to work ahead through independent and teacher-supported assignments or through online opportunities. At a point jointly agreed upon by the student and teacher of record, the student will be administered the LEA approved **end-of-course assessment**, and if he or she obtains a proficiency score of 80 or above, the student may move forward into the next course in the sequence of that content area. This situation would offer an opportunity for the student to pursue online options or other local education agency (LEA) developed options for individualized independent study.

The student will be allowed to take each end of course assessment for Credit Advancement one time.

LEAs should be aware that the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) may not recognize Credit Advancement for course credit. Please check with the NCAA.

ACCESS's Response:

- **Work-In-Progress** : The student continues to work until mastery is accomplished – no designated end to the course.
- **Credit Recovery**: If a student has failed a class, he can recover his credit by concentrating his time on the areas in which he does not show mastery.
- **Credit Advancement**: allows students who can show mastery to be awarded a credit in a course as a alternative to the traditional Carnegie Unit approach.
- **The ACCESS Franchise Model** – a blended approach where the student has both F2F time with the teacher and online content in which he can work any where, any time, any place.

WIP – Work-In-Progress

- “Incomplete”
 - Principal’s request
 - What Course/Section Number
 - ACCESS Teacher’s Name
 - How Long – End date
 - Reason
- (Electronic Request Email Form on the Website)*

Credit Recovery

- System's Decision
- Follow **The ALSDE Guidelines**
 - Student must have failed the course
 - Grade between 40 and 59
 - Student and Parent must request from the school
 - System decision how grade is applied

ACCESS Credit Recovery Courses (22)

English 9

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Chemistry

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Algebraic Connections

Geometry

Geometry A

Geometry B

ACCESS Credit Recovery Model

- Go through all modules of the course
- Same Content as regular ACCESS courses
- Based on the Alabama Course of Study
- Covers all Content Standards
- Certified/Highly Qualified Teachers



ACCESS Credit Recovery Model

- Each unit begins with a 20 question objective Pretest
 - Must cover all objectives and bullets for unit
 - Randomized
 - If passed with **70%**, student moves directly to the next module.
 - If under **70%**, student will complete all module tasks before taking the Post-Test.
 - Objective questions are MC, TF, MAT, FIB (with word bank), MS



ACCESS Credit Recovery Model

Post-Test

- 20 objective questions
 - Objective questions must cover all objectives and bullets for unit
 - Randomized
 - Multiple attempts allowed
 - Pull from same test bank for objective questions as Pretest



Grading Method

- If Pretest is passed
 - Total 500 points
- If Pretest is not passed, unit assignments and Post-Test will count for unit grade
 - 50% assignments, 50% Post-Test
 - 250 points assignments, 250 points Post-Test
 - Pretest dropped in this case
 - Total 500 points

Recording Grades

- ACCESS will report actual grade average
- School records a grade no higher than a 70
- No specific end date – set by principal

Credit Recovery is an opportunity

- Student should show progress
- Attendance
- Behavior



ACCESS Credit Recovery

2011-2012 1600 ½ Credit Equivalents Recovered
70% Success Rate (2286)

2012-2013 3120 ½ Credit Equivalents Recovered
64% Success Rate (4875)

2013-2014 3241 ½ Credit Equivalents Recovered
76% Success Rate (4264)

2014-2015 3359 ½ Credit Equivalents Recovered
80% Success Rate (4202)

Credit Advancement

- System's Decision
- Follow **The ALSDE Guidelines**
 - Student must be recommended
 - Have criterion-referenced or norm-referenced test scores supporting above grade-level proficiency in subject/course
 - Student and parent must request from the school

ACCESS Credit Advancement Courses

English 9
English 10
English 11
English 12

Algebra I
Algebra II
Algebra II with Trigonometry
Algebraic Connections
Geometry
Precalculus

US Government
Economics
World History
US History to 1877
US History 1877 – Present

Physical Science
Biology
Chemistry
Environmental Science



Credit Advancement

Began Fall 2014

Follows Credit Recovery Model

Has an **85** as the release condition.

2014-2014 120 ½ Credit Equivalents Earned
80% Success Rate

NCAA ELIGIBILITY CENTER

DOES NOT ACCEPT

CREDIT RECOVERY

NOR

CREDIT ADVANCEMENT

FOR ELIGIBILITY PURPOSES

The ACCESS Franchise Model

- Content from ACCESS Courses
- Alabama COS standards covered
- Use Moodle LMS (Canvas, Blackboard Learn)
- Taught by F2F teacher (Your Teacher)
- Any where, any time, any place
- Pilot - Fall of 2011, 2012, 2013
- System Pilot – Fall of 2013
- Open to all – Fall of 2014

ACCESS Franchise Model Courses



FRANCHISE COURSES in MOODLE 2015-2016

Web-Based (Online) Courses

English

- English 9 (1) CR, CA
- English 10 (1) CR, CA
- English 11 (1) CR, CA
- English 12 (1) CR, CA
- AP English Language/Composition (1)
- AP English Literature/Composition (1)

Social Studies

- United States Government (½) CR, CA
- Economics (½) CR, CA
- World History: 1500 to Present (1) CR, CA
- United States History I (10th) (1) CR, CA
- United States History II (11th) (1) CR, CA
- AP United States History (1)
- AP Macroeconomics (½)
- AP U.S. Government and Politics (½)

Science

- Physical Science (1) CR, CA^J
- Biology (1) CR, CA^J
- Chemistry (1) CR, CA
- Physics (1)^J
- Environmental Science (1) CR, CA
- Marine Science (1)
- Forensic Science (1)
- AP Biology (1)

CR Credit Recovery Course

CA Credit Advancement Course

Mathematics

- Algebra I (1) CR, CA
- Algebra IA (1) CR
- Algebra IB (1) CR
- Geometry (1) CR, CA
- Geo A (1) CR; Geo B (1) CR
- Algebraic Connections (1) CR, CA
- Alg II or Alg II w/Trig: Both (1) CR, CA
- Precalculus (1) CA
- AP Calculus AB (1)^J
- AP Statistics (1)^J

Foreign Languages

- French I (1)
- French II (1)
- French III (1)
- German I (1)
- German II (1)
- German III (1)
- Latin I (1)
- Latin II (1)
- Latin III (1)
- Spanish I (1)
- Spanish II (1)
- Spanish III (1)
- Spanish IV (1)
- Mandarin Chinese I (1)
- Mandarin Chinese II (1)

Electives

- Accounting (1)
- Creative Writing (½,1)
- Global Studies (1)
- Psychology (½)
- Personal Finance (½)
- Nutrition and Wellness (½)
- Web Design I (1)
- Web Design II (1)
- Workforce Essentials (1)
- Computer Programming I (1)^J
- Content Textual Reading (½)
- Business Technology Applications (1)
- Sociology (½)
- AP Psychology (1)
- AP Computer Science A (1)^J
- AP Art History (1)
- Forestry (1)
- Journalism (½)

Health

- Health Education (½)

Arts

- Arts Survey (½)
- Theatre Level I (1)

Physical Education

- LIFE (1)

J = Requires Java; Chromebooks do not meet minimum requirements for course.

NCAA Approval

- Non-traditional
- Fifty-one courses (Just added Algebra II)
- Listed on NCAA Web site (Do not include on the school's course list)
- Follow directions on ACCESS Web site
<http://accessdl.state.al.us/>
- Credit Recovery/Advancement Courses **NOT** Accepted



Search Site: [Find](#)



Alabama Connecting Classrooms, Educators, & Students Statewide



providing classroom courses and teachers via technology

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OUR VISION: THE STATE OF ALABAMA WILL PROVIDE EQUAL ACCESS TO HIGH QUALITY INSTRUCTION TO IMPROVE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT THROUGH DISTANCE LEARNING.

Friday, April 11, 2014

Log In

[Log In Instructions](#) -

Problems logging into Desire2Learn

[Online Course Log In](#) -

View Desire2Learn courses.

[InformationLIVE](#) -

Log In here.

[Registration](#) and [ILive Information](#) -

All requests must be made by high school counselors.

[AHSGE Modules](#) -

Alabama High School Graduation Exam (AHSGE) Remediation Modules in Moodle are here.

Materials List Announcement

Course Notice

The Larson CD-ROM for Calculus, AP[®] Calculus AB, and AP Calculus BC **is available in limited supply** through MBS Direct.



Missed a session during Digital Learning Month? Click on the icon above for Video Archives of all sessions.

Quick Links to Course Information

(Because we update these documents frequently, please be sure and use Refresh in your browser to view the most current document.)



- Click [Here](#) for 2013-2014 **Term Dates**
- Click [Here](#) for Fall 2013-Spring 2014 **Single Page ACCESS Course Listings**
- Click [Here](#) for 2013-2014 **Course Catalog**
- Click [Here](#) for Fall 2013-Spring 2014 **8th grade Instructional Offerings**
- Click [Here](#) for 2013-2014 **Textbooks** at a Glance
- Click [Here](#) for Summer 2014 Projected Course Offerings *****NEW*****

Credit Recovery Classes

ACCESS Distance Learning now provides **Credit Recovery** courses in the following subjects:

- Algebra I
- Algebra IA
- Algebra IB
- Algebra II
- Algebra II with trigonometry
- Biology



- English 9-12
- Environmental Science
- Geometry
- Physical Science
- U.S. Government
- U.S. History to 1877

ACCESS Support Centers

- [Madison City Schools](#)
- [The University of Alabama](#)
- [Troy University](#)

Announcements

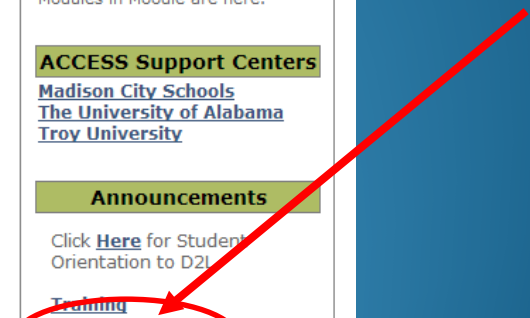
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Check out our new AP page! Click [Here](#) to learn more



- Real student work samples with explanations for graded entries
- Grading rubrics, along with opportunities to apply them to student work

In addition, students have access to—

- Practice tests
- Essay prompts
- Multiple-choice assessments
- Study resources

AP Exam Reviews are available for the following AP courses:

Art History
 Biology
 Calculus AB
 English Language and Composition
 English Literature and Composition
 European History
 Macroeconomics
 Spanish Language
 United States History
 US Government and Politics

NCAA Recognition for ACCESS!



Fifty-two ACCESS courses are approved for Alabama students. The list of courses may be found at www.eligibilitycenter.org.

Click [here](#) and enter the six-digit CEEB/ACT Code: 011919.

A list of accepted courses can be found on the next page. Please note that Credit Recovery courses available through ACCESS, are NOT be accepted by the NCAA for eligibility purposes.

ACCESS Distance Learning spotlighted by NROC

eLearning in Alabama: Solving the Issues of Equity and Access for High School Students

During this session, Melinda Maddox and Earlene Patton shared some of the critical elements that have made the ACCESS program a success, and also discussed the paradigm shift this program has fostered within Alabama's public education system.

To review this session, or to share it with colleagues, please follow the URL below. This recording was published to the NROC Network, along with the supporting PowerPoint slides. Session recording: <http://tinyurl.com/23qu2pg>

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 **High School Portal**

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High School Selection

Search for a high school's list of NCAA courses

Please use the following form to search for a high school's list of NCAA courses. You can search by the high school's six-digit NCAA High School Code or six-digit CEEB/ACT Code or, if you don't know the school's NCAA High School Code or six-digit CEEB/ACT Code, you may search by city/state and high school name.

NCAA High School Code: OR CEEB/ACT Code:

OR

State:

City:

High School Name:

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HS Information	
NCAA High School Code	011919
CEEB Code	011919
High School Name	ACCESS DISTANCE LEARNING
Address	PO BOX 302101 MONTGOMERY AL - 36130
Primary Contact Name	LARRY RAINES ADMIN
Primary Contact Phone	334-242-9594
Primary Contact Fax	334-353-5886
Primary Contact Email	lraines@alsde.edu
Secondary Contact Name	EARLENE PATTON
Secondary Contact Phone	3342429594
Secondary Contact Fax	3343535886
Secondary Contact Email	epatton@alsde.edu
School Website	Not Available
Link to online course catalog/program of studies	http://accessdl.state.al.us
Last Update of List of NCAA Courses	07-Oct-15

Additional Information

Coursework from this school/program meets NCAA nontraditional core-course legislation. This is not a credit-awarding program. In order for an approved course taken through this program to be used in an NCAA initial-eligibility certification, the course must be awarded credit and placed on the transcript from a credit-awarding school or program. Check with your home high school to determine if courses taken through this program will receive credit.

Credit Recovery Courses **NOT** Accepted

Legal Disclaimer: The list of NCAA courses, and courses contained within, are maintained as a guide for prospective student-athletes seeking NCAA initial-eligibility. The list of approved courses does not, nor is intended to, signify accreditation, certification, approval or endorsement of any high school or specific courses by the NCAA or NCAA Eligibility Center and is subject to change at any time and without notice. Core course information included on this Web site is provided for guidance purposes only and should not be solely relied on as an indication of NCAA initial-eligibility. Certification of a prospective student-athlete is case-specific, and the Eligibility Center has the authority to determine in its sole discretion whether the prospective student-athlete has met all criteria.

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High School Core Course Information

Select Course Category

- Show All Approved Courses
- English Social Science Mathematics Natural/Physical Science Additional Core Courses
- Show All Denied Courses
- English Social Science Mathematics Natural/Physical Science Additional Core Courses
- Show All Archived Courses
- English Social Science Mathematics Natural/Physical Science Additional Core Courses

Courses designated with a '=' symbol are courses that may be used only by students with a diagnosed disability. A course for a student with disabilities must be **exclusively** open to students with documented learning disabilities. The course must be quantitatively and qualitatively the same as the regular equivalent and there must be a standardized curriculum/syllabus.

NCAA legislation permits a student to receive credit for a core course only one time. As a result, if a student repeats a core course, the student will only receive credit once for the core course, and the highest grade earned in the course will be included in the calculation of the student's core course grade point average. Likewise, if a student completes a course that is duplicative in content with another core course, the student will only receive credit for one of the duplicative courses, and the course with the highest grade earned will be included in the calculation of the student's core course grade point average.

Approved Courses

English

Course Weight	Title	Notes	Max Credits	OK Through	Disability Course
	AP ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND COMP				No
	AP ENGLISH LIT AND COMP				No
	CREATIVE WRITING				No
	ENGLISH 10				No
	ENGLISH 11				No
	ENGLISH 12				No
	ENGLISH 9				No

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Social Science

Course Weight	Title	Notes	Max Credits	OK Through	Disability Course
	AP MACROECONOMICS				No
	AP PSYCHOLOGY				No
	AP US GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS				No
	AP US HISTORY				No
	ECONOMICS				No
	GLOBAL STUDIES				No
	PSYCHOLOGY				No
	SOCIOLOGY				No
	US GOVERNMENT				No

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US GOVERNMENT			No
US HISTORY I			No
US HISTORY II			No
WORLD HISTORY: 1500 TO PRESENT			No

Mathematics

Course Weight	Title	Notes	Max Credits	OK Through	Disability Course
	ALGEBRA I				No
	ALGEBRA IA (.5 UNIT MAX)				No
	ALGEBRA IB (.5 UNIT MAX)				No
	ALGEBRA II				No
	ALGEBRA II WITH TRIG				No
	AP CALCULUS AB				No
	AP STATISTICS				No
	GEOMETRY				No
	PRECALCULUS				No

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Natural/Physical Science

Course Weight	Title	Notes	Lab	Max Credits	OK Through	Disability Course
	AP BIOLOGY		X			No
	BIOLOGY		X			No
	CHEMISTRY		X			No
	ENVIROMENTAL SCIENCE		X			No
	FORENSIC SCIENCE					No
	MARINE SCIENCE					No
	PHYSICAL SCIENCE		X			No
	PHYSICS		X			No

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Additional Core Courses

Course Weight	Title	Notes	Max Credits	OK Through	Disability Course
	FRENCH I				No
	FRENCH II				No
	FRENCH III				No
	GERMAN I				No
	GERMAN II				No
	GERMAN III				No
	LATIN I				No
	LATIN II				No
	LATIN III				No
	MANDARIN CHINESE I				No
	MANDARIN CHINESE II				No
	SPANISH I				No
	SPANISH II				No
	SPANISH III				No
	SPANISH IV				No

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Fall 2013

NEW COURSES

- Algebraic Connections
- Theatre Level 1
- New English Course of Study (CCRS)

Fall 2014


- Math 8 2nd Semester CR for Geometry A & B
- Credit Advancement – English, Social Studies, & Math,
- Updated and revised our social science courses

Fall 2015

- Science Credit Advancement
- Content Textual Reading
- L.I.F.E.

AP Courses (11)

- English Language/Composition
- English Literature/Composition
- United States History
- Macroeconomics
- U.S. Government and Politics
- Biology
- Calculus AB
- Statistics
- Psychology
- Computer Science A
- Art History

An outline map of the state of Alabama is centered on the page. The map is drawn with a thin black line and shows the state's irregular shape, including its coastline and the Gulf of Mexico to the south.

Questions?



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