

What should I do next?

NEW STUDENTS

1. Complete the Bethany Lutheran College application online at www.blc.edu/apply.
2. Request an official transcript from your high school and have it sent to Bethany Lutheran College.

NEW AND RETURNING STUDENTS

3. Print out and complete the Online Learner Contract. A parent or guardian must sign the form.
4. Give the completed Online Learner Contract to your academic advisor or guidance counselor.

ACADEMIC ADVISOR/GUIDANCE COUNSELOR/DUAL CREDIT ADVISOR

5. Complete the counselor recommendation portion of the Online Learner Contract
6. Submit the Online Learner Contract or secure scans of the form to:

By mail: Bethany Lutheran College
Attn: Director of Online Learning
700 Luther Drive
Mankato, MN 56001

Email: dualcredit@blc.edu
Fax: 507-344-7797

REGISTER

After you are accepted as a Dual Credit student at Bethany, you will receive an email with registration instructions. Registration for Fall Semester begins May 1 and Spring Semester December 1.



high school dual credit
AT BETHANY LUTHERAN COLLEGE

CONTACT

www.blc.edu/DualCredit

Bethany Lutheran College is a private, Christian, liberal arts college committed to the teachings of the Bible as drawn from the Lutheran confessional writings.



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What is the Bethany Dual Credit Program?

The Dual Credit Program at BLC helps students get a head start in college by offering affordable online courses that high school students can take to earn college credits. These credits may be applied toward a Bethany Lutheran College degree, or they may be transferred to other colleges (subject to their credit transfer policies).

In addition to earning college credit, online courses at Bethany may meet high school course requirements and count for high school credit. Contact your high school guidance department for more information about Bethany dual credit courses offered at your school.

2017-2018 Semester Dates

Fall Semester:

August 22 –
December 14

Spring Semester:

January 8 – May 10

Why do high school students take BLC courses?

High school students take dual credit online courses to:

- **explore college programs**
- **save money on college tuition**
- **enrich their future college experience** (earning college credits early can lighten loads during college so students can comfortably participate in college athletics, spend a semester studying in another country, or gain experience working an internship)
- **prove their ability to succeed in a college course**

What sets the Dual Credit Program at Bethany apart from programs at other colleges is our commitment to mentoring our students as they pursue quality Christian higher education. Bethany professors team up with advisors at our partner schools to give students a network of support as they adjust to the rigor of college courses.

How much do dual credit courses cost?

Dual credit courses are one semester long (concurrent with the Bethany academic calendar) and are normally priced at \$370 per credit. However, students that attend a **Bethany Advantage Partner School*** are eligible for the **Bethany Advantage Grant**** allowing qualified high school students to take courses at just \$75 per credit.

Any student taking courses through the **Bethany Advantage Grant** program who then enrolls as a full-time student at Bethany after high school is eligible to have the entire cost of those courses taken credited towards their tuition cost during the first semester of full-time attendance. This credit will appear in the form of a tuition scholarship making the net cost of the courses taken through the **Bethany Advantage Grant** program \$0.

Students pay any additional course fees and purchase their own textbooks.

High Schools: If you are interested in offering a class through one of your on-site instructors, ask us about the Bethany Endorsed Instructor option.

* A complete listing of Partner Schools can be found at blc.edu/bethany-advantage-partner-schools.

** Minnesota PSEO students may enroll in the dual credit courses but are not eligible for the Bethany Advantage Grant.

2017-18 Courses

COURSE	FALL	SPRING
* Introduction to Mass Media (COMM 240)	X	X
Macroeconomics (ECON 203)	X	X
College Writing I (ENGL 110)	X	
Introduction to Fiction (ENGL 205)		X
American Literature I (ENGL 211)	X	
American Literature II (ENGL 212)		X
History of the USA I (HIST 207)	X	
History of the USA II (HIST 208)		X
* Audio/Video Production (MART 297)	X	X
College Algebra (MATH 111)	X	X
* Introduction to Statistics (MATH 120)	X	X
Music Appreciation (MUSC 102)	X	X
American Government (PLSC 105)	X	X
General Psychology (PSYC 110)	X	X
* Criminal Deviance and Justice (SOCL 240)	X	X
Introduction to Theatre (THTR 101)	X	

*Starred courses are designed to help students explore specific college programs, but they do not meet Bethany's general education requirements.

Find this information online at:
www.blc.edu/DualCredit