

Dual Credit Courses at Salem Academy

Salem Academy Course	Instructor	Corresponding University
Pre-Calculus (fall & spring semester)	Todd Bos	Northwest Nazarene University
Statistics and Probability	Todd Bos	Corban University
Calculus I (fall & spring semester)	Matt Vande Burgt	Corban University
Biology I	Jason Brownell	Northwest Nazarene University
Biology II (fall & spring semester)	Jason Brownell	Northwest Nazarene University
Bioethics	Jason Brownell	Corban University
Scientific Inquiry (Genetics)	Jason Brownell	Corban University
Human Anatomy	Jason Brownell	Northwest Nazarene University
Honors US History (fall & spring semester)	Sarah Reed	Northwest Nazarene University
Honors US Government	Sarah Reed	Northwest Nazarene University
European History (fall & spring semester)	Sarah Reed	Northwest Nazarene University
Honors English III	Tricia Peterson	Northwest Nazarene University
English IV	Tricia Peterson	Northwest Nazarene University
Honors English IV	Tricia Peterson	Corban University
Advanced Public Speaking	Amy Elker	Corban University
Intro to Education	Lindsy Brownell	Corban University
Spanish IV	Arletta Narvaez	Northwest Nazarene University

TOTAL: 17 Salem Academy classes = 22 college courses = 70 semester college credits!



Why Dual Credit at Salem Academy?



Salem Academy offers almost two full years' worth of college credit at a small fraction of the cost of university through our Dual Credit program. All credits are earned through Corban University and Northwest Nazarene University, accredited four-year programs whose courses transfer easily to other institutions throughout the region. These courses are taught on our campus, in small classes, by our caring faculty who know your student personally.

FOR EXAMPLE: Dual Credit transfer to Oregon State University

- Salem Academy student takes AP US History, Pre-Calculus, Honors English III, and Biology II in 11th grade, then takes AP Government, Calculus, Anatomy, Spanish IV, and Public Speaking in 12th grade.
- OSU will accept all 47 quarter credits, 36 of which can fulfill core undergraduate requirements. **This student is now considered a Sophomore in the OSU undergraduate program!**
- Current cost to the family: \$3,300 in Dual Credit tuition while attending Salem Academy.
- Estimated cost of one year of college at OSU: \$29307 for tuition, books, room, and board.
- **This family saved over \$26,000, a full year of the student's time and the added financial benefit of starting employment one year early!**

Dual Credit vs. AP / IB?

Dual Credit at SA	AP Exams	IB Program
• 15 SA classes eligible for a total of 63 semester college credits • Credits are guaranteed – the grade the student earns in the class is the grade reported on their university transcript • \$65-\$75 per credit. No extra fee for exams • 2020-2021 average class size for Dual Credit: 13.1 students	• Each qualifying score can be accepted for one equivalent college course • Credits only granted if the student achieves a high enough score on a year-end exam; scores considered acceptable vary by institution • \$95 per exam, offered once per year	• Completion of IB Diploma can earn up to 30 semester college credits • Credits only granted if the student achieves a high enough score on a year-end exam; scores considered acceptable vary by institution • \$119 per subject, after registration fees • Class size information available from South Salem HS