



Wall Township Public Schools Crimson College Academies

A Partnership with Brookdale Community College and
Wall High School



Parent University Presentation: March 8, 2017
Cheryl Dyer, Superintendent of Schools



Introductions

- › Cheryl Dyer, Wall Superintendent of Schools
- › Franklyn Rother, BCC Dean of K-12 Partnerships
- › Jill Dobrowansky, Wall Director of Curriculum and Instruction
- › Katie Misa, Wall Director of Guidance
- › Tracy Skinner, Wall Supervisor of Humanities
- › Laura Kurmin, Wall Supervisor of STEM



Program Overview

- › Eligible Wall High School students will be able to earn their high school diploma while simultaneously earning an Associate's Degree from Brookdale Community College in either:
 - Social Sciences: This degree program prepares students for transfer to degree programs leading to careers in the mental health professions, law, teaching, consulting or the ministry
 - Science: This degree program prepares students for transfer to degree programs/majors in medical/life sciences, nursing, marine science, geology, or environmental science



Eligibility for Both Academies

- › Rising 9th grade students must meet eligibility requirements for honors level placement in:
 - Math (Algebra II Honors)
 - Science (Biology Honors)
 - English Language Arts (English 9 Honors)
 - Social Studies (Modern World History Honors)

- › At end of 9th grade students must pass the Accuplacer in reading, writing and math to continue Brookdale eligibility

Current 8th grade students who did not take placement tests will be given a second opportunity to do so if interested in one of the academies.

This would include non-resident students who are applying as tuition students.



Program Description- Science

9 th Grade	10 th grade
Physical Education and Health	Physical Education and Health
English 9 Honors	English 10 Honors
Algebra II Honors	Pre-Calculus Honors
AP Biology (8 credits)	Chemistry Honors
Financial Literacy (semester)	US History I Honors
Modern World History Honors	AP Human Geography (3 credits)
First Year World Language	COMP 129 Computer Logic and Design (3)*
HUDV 107 First Year Seminar (1 credit)	Visual and Performing Arts elective
Credits towards AS: 9	Credits towards AS: 6

*satisfied Practical Arts graduation requirement



Program Description- Science

11 th Grade	12 th grade
Physical Education and Health (Option II)	Physical Education and Health (Option II)
AP Language and Composition (6 credits)	Senior Level English Course
AP Calculus BC (8 credits)	BCC Math (Stats or Calculus III) (4 credits)
AP US History (6 credits)	CHEM 102 (5 credits)
BIOL 102 General Biology II (4 credits)	PHYS 111 General Physics (4 credits)
CHEM 101 General Chemistry (5 credits)	PHYS 112 or BCC Science Elective (4 credits)
Credits towards AS: 29	Credits towards AS: 17



Program Costs for Parents- Science

(all costs are maximum estimates at the present time)

- › 9th grade: \$135.00 (1 BCC credit)
- › 10th grade: \$405.00 (3 BCC credits)
- › 11th grade: \$1,215.00 (9 BCC credits)
- › 12th grade: \$2,295.00 (17 BCC credits)

**These cost estimates
are based on per credit
tuition for classes
taught by Brookdale
faculty on Brookdale
campuses**

- › Total estimated cost: \$4,050.00 plus cost of textbooks for Brookdale courses (30 BCC credits)
- › Estimated cost for AS degree at Brookdale: \$13,000 (tuition and fees)



Program Description- Social Sciences

9 th Grade	10 th grade
Physical Education and Health	Physical Education and Health
English 9 Honors	English 10 Honors
Algebra II Honors	Pre-Calculus Honors
Biology Honors	Chemistry Honors
Financial Literacy (semester)	US History I Honors
Modern World History Honors	AP Psychology (3)
First Year World Language	COMP 129 Computer Logic and Design (3)*
AP Human Geography (3)	SOCI 101 Principles of Sociology (3)
HUDV 107 First Year Seminar (1 credit)	
Credits towards AA: 4	Credits towards AA: 9

*satisfied Practical Arts graduation requirement



Program Description- Social Science

11 th Grade	12 th grade
Physical Education and Health (Option II)	Physical Education and Health (Option II)
AP Language and Composition (6 credits)	AP Micro or Macro Economics (3)
AP Calculus AB (4 credits)	AP US Government (3)
AP US History (6 credits)	ENG 155 The Short Story (3)
SPCH 115 Public Speaking (3)	ARTH 107 History of Art (3)*
PHIL 115 Intro. to Philosophy (3)	ANTH 105 Cultural Anthropology (3)
PHYS 108 Physics in Life (4)	MATH 131 Statistics (3)
	BCC Social Science Career Studies Elective (3)
Credits towards AA: 26	Credits towards AA: 21
*satisfied Visual and Performing Arts graduation requirement	



Program Costs for Parents- Social Science

(all costs are maximum estimates at the present time)

- › 9th grade: \$135.00 (1 BCC credit)
- › 10th grade: \$810.00 (6 BCC credits)
- › 11th grade: \$1,350.00 (10 BCC credits)
- › 12th grade: \$2,025.00 (15 BCC credits)

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faculty on Brookdale
campuses**

- › Total estimated cost: \$4,320.00 plus cost of textbooks for Brookdale courses (32 BCC credits)
- › Estimated cost for AA degree at Brookdale: \$13,000 (tuition and fees)



Program Costs

- › Courses taught at Brookdale by Brookdale faculty: \$135.00 per credit
- › Courses taught at Wall by Wall faculty approved as adjuncts by Brookdale: $\frac{1}{3}$ of \$135.00 per credit or \$45.00 per credit
- › Courses taught at Wall by Brookdale faculty (paid by Brookdale): $\frac{1}{2}$ of \$135.00 per credit or \$67.50 per credit



Advantages

- › Helps to define/clarify career aspirations before paying tuition at 4-year colleges or universities
- › Gradual transition to the rigor and expectations of post-secondary learning
- › Some colleges will transfer the full Associate's Degree towards satisfaction of 60 credits of a Bachelor's Degree
- › Graduate High School with an Associate's Degree
 - Potential to complete a Bachelor's Degree in two years (at ½ the cost)
 - Potential to complete a Master's Degree in the amount of time typically devoted to a Bachelor's



Locations

- › Wall High School
- › Brookdale @ Wall (transportation provided for courses during the Wall school day)
- › Brookdale Lincroft Campus

NEXT STEPS

- Finalize Memorandum of Agreement with BCC
- Student Presentation to 8th grade
- Faculty and Parent advisory meetings
- Student application and eligibility
- Enrollment and course selection for accepted students
- Crimson College Application is available online on the HS page for Class of 2021

