August 29, 2023

Mr. Shawn Pratt Superintendent McKinney Independent School District One Duvall Street McKinney, TX 75069

Dear Mr. Pratt,

We appreciate the opportunity for Collin College to work with McKinney Independent School District in offering dual credit classes for your students. We believe this is a tremendous service to your students and their parents, and we look forward to continuing or expanding the course offerings in the future.

Accordingly, we have enclosed the partnership agreement containing the specifications outlined by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. Please note the following updates:

- Updated language and format of the MOU
- Added "General obligations of the Parties"
- High School vs College Coursework expectations
- The MOU is valid for three years instead of one (2023-2026)
- Added Appendices specific to your district such as "Embedded Faculty" and "Workforce Programs"

Partnership Agreements will be signed via Adobe Sign. An electronic copy of the fully authorized agreement will be provided to you for your records.

I look forward to continuing our partnership through the dual credit program and other educational endeavors. Please feel free to contact me directly if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Raul Martinez Jr. Associate Vice President, P-12 Partnerships <u>RJMartinez@collin.edu</u> 972.985.3725



# Collin County Community College District and McKinney Independent School District

# Partnership Agreement August 1, 2023 to July 31, 2026

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# Collin County Community College District and McKinney Independent School District

Partnership Agreement for Academic Year 2023-2026

# I. PURPOSE

1) Collin County Community College District ("Collin College") and McKinney Independent School District ("McKinney ISD") hereby enter into the following Partnership Agreement ("Agreement") effective August 1, 2023 ("Effective Date") to provide opportunities for high school students to concurrently enroll in college courses and programs. This Agreement is written in accordance with Title 19, Part 1, Chapter 9, Subchapter H of the Texas Administrative Code pertaining to partnerships between secondary schools and public two-year colleges.

### II. AGREEMENT

1) Collin College and McKinney ISD agree to enter into a partnership to award dual credit. This Agreement hereby incorporates by reference all dual credit requirements defined in the Texas Administrative Code ("TAC") and the accreditation requirements established by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges ("SACSCOC") which is Collin College's accrediting body, as such may be amended during its term. Unless otherwise noted, this Agreement applies to dual credit courses only.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and conditions contained in this Agreement and other valuable consideration, Collin College and McKinney ISD agree as follows:

- A. Definitions and Common Terms
  - a) The term "dual credit" is defined as enrollment of a high school student in a college to receive simultaneous academic credit for the college course from both the college and the high school.
  - b) The term "concurrent credit" is defined as enrollment of a high school student in a college to receive academic credit for the college course only.
  - c) Community Colleges General

The mission of community colleges is to support student access to and success in higher education. You can learn more about the goals of community colleges in general by visiting the website for the American Association of Community Colleges: <a href="http://www.aacc.nche.edu/">www.aacc.nche.edu/</a>

#### d) Collin College – Mission and Values

Collin College is a student and community-centered institution committed to developing skills, strengthening character, and challenging the intellect. Our Core Values are Learning, Service and Involvement, Creativity, and Innovation. Academic Excellence, Dignity and Respect, and Integrity. You can learn more by going to our website <u>www.collin.edu/aboutus</u>.

#### e) Collin College Accreditation and Governing Bodies

Collin College's policies are guided by the work of several groups. To help you understand some of the abbreviations in this Agreement, you may be interested in learning more about these groups.

Collin College's accrediting body is SACSCOC. Collin College must adhere to the requirements set forth by this accrediting body. You can learn more about SACSCOC, including its mission and values here: <u>www.sacscoc.org</u>.

THECB (Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board) guides the efforts of public colleges and universities in Texas. You can learn more about this organization here: <u>www.highered.texas.gov.</u>

Collin College is governed by a nine-member elected Board of Trustees, and is under the leadership of the district president. You can learn more about the Board of Trustees here: <a href="http://www.collin.edu/leadership/board\_of\_trustees.html">www.collin.edu/leadership/board\_of\_trustees.html</a>. Information on our Leadership Team is available here: <a href="http://www.collin.edu/leadership/L

### III. GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR DUAL CREDIT

#### A. Student Eligibility

1) Prior to enrolling in college classes, students must satisfy Texas Success Initiative Assessment ("TSIA") requirements. The TSIA is a college readiness assessment in reading, writing, and mathematics that is required for all students taking college-level courses at a public college in Texas. Students must also satisfy all local assessment requirements.

High school students may be exempt from state-mandated TSIA testing if they meet the qualifying standard listed in the current Collin College Catalog. Exemptions may be extended for the SAT or ACT. Dual credit students may be able to use temporary waivers (TSIA waived for one year) with appropriate scores in PSAT/NMSQT, ACT-Aspire, STAAR English II, or Algebra I (with a final Algebra II average of 70 or higher). All submitted tests scores must be within 5 years:

- TSIA Exemptions:
  - SAT scores: Evidence-Based Reading and Writing score of 480 or higher (for TSIA ELAR) and a Math score of 530 or higher (for TSIA Math)
  - ACT scores:
    - Tests taken on or before Feb. 14, 2023 A student with an ACT Composite Score of 23 (or higher) is exempt from TSIA Math with an ACT Math score of 19 (or higher) even though the ACT English may be less than 19. A student with an ACT Composite Score of 23 (or higher) is exempt from TSIA ELAR with an ACT English score of 19 or higher, even though the Math may be less than 19. Scores must be less than 5 years old.
    - Tests taken on or after Feb. 15, 2023 (less than 5 years old)
       A student with a Math score of 22 or higher is exempt from TSIA
       Math even if the student does not meet the English/Reading
       requirement. A student with a combined English and Reading
       score of 40 or higher is exempt from the TSIA ELAR even if the
       student does not meet the Math requirement.
- TSIA Dual Credit Waivers:
  - PSAT/NMSQT: Evidenced-Based Reading and Writing score of 460 or higher will be waived from TSIA ELAR; Math score of 510 or higher will be waived from TSIA Math
  - ACT-Aspire: Minimum English score of 435 or higher will be waived from TSIA ELAR; minimum Math score of 431 or higher will be waived from TSIA Math
  - STAAR/EOC English II: Level 2 score of 4000 or higher will be waived from TSIA ELAR
  - STAAR/EOC Algebra I: Level 2 score of 4000 or higher and at least a grade of 70 in their two-semester Algebra 2 course will be waived from TSIA Math

Exemption requirements and scores subject to change under Texas law or regulations.

Students may also be exempt if they are enrolling in workforce education courses contained in a Level I Certificate or a program leading to a credential of less than a Level I Certificate.

2) Students must have permission from McKinney ISD to enroll in Collin College for dual credit or concurrent credit. Collin College must be notified whether students are dual credit or concurrent (college only) credit.

3) McKinney ISD must provide a letter notifying Collin College of early graduates.

4) Official high school transcripts are not required to participate in the Collin College Dual Credit Program. However, a transcript may be required to demonstrate college readiness, or to confirm academic information, e.g., test scores, grade classification, vaccination, or other pertinent information.

B. Student Expectations, Rights, and Responsibilities

1) Students enrolled in dual credit courses are considered to be college students and are subject to all Collin College policies and procedures. Dual credit students must comply with standards of conduct required of all Collin College students and have all the same rights and responsibilities in all matters related to the dual credit program. Dual credit students must also follow McKinney ISD's Student Code of Conduct.

2) Unless a conflict arises between the obligations of McKinney ISD and Collin College under their respective policies and procedures for student conduct, McKinney ISD and Collin College staff and administrators will work collaboratively to determine the appropriate party to initiate an investigation or resolution process in response to the alleged student conduct violation(s). In the event a conflict arises, regarding the initiation of such investigation or resolution efforts, the parties agree to use the Conflict Resolution efforts listed in Section IV.O. on "Conflict Resolution".

The Parties agree neither Party is prohibited from utilizing its own complaint resolution process, separate and apart from the other Party's process, but both Parties shall cooperate with each other to provide the necessary information and access to students and employees necessary to fulfill each Parties' obligations under its own specific policies and procedures.

3) McKinney ISD and Collin College agree to inform the other as soon as reasonably possible (within two business days or sooner) if a dual credit student is subject to disciplinary action that may affect his or her enrollment status as a dual credit student.

4) Regardless of the location of the conduct, if McKinney ISD's Code of Conduct and disciplinary process could result in removal of the student from the regular education program due to suspension, placement in a disciplinary alternative education program, or expulsion/removal to a Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program, McKinney ISD shall notify Collin College of any disciplinary action in response to the alleged student behavior. Collin College may determine if there are any potential consequences under

applicable Collin College policies or procedures that could also result in the student's removal from enrollment of the student in a dual credit class(es). In addition, per the Collin College Student Code of Conduct, Collin College has the right to immediately remove a student from its premises via the interim suspension process, upon notification and a determination by the Dean of Students. Collin College will notify McKinney ISD of any discipline that will be imposed due to Collin College procedures.

C. Faculty Selection, Supervision, and Evaluation

1) All Collin College faculty will meet the minimum requirements to teach courses as specified by SACSCOC. Collin College shall select, supervise, and evaluate Collin College faculty for courses which result in the award of dual credit as outlined in Title 19, Part 1, Chapter 4, Subchapter D, Rule 4.85 of the Texas Administration Code.

2) Collin College faculty who teach dual credit courses will be required to meet the same standards, reviews, and approval procedures used by Collin College to select all Collin College faculty. Official transcripts of all faculty must be kept on file at Collin College.

3) Embedded faculty are full-time high school teachers hired by Collin College as adjunct faculty to teach Collin College courses during regular high school hours. When teaching dual credit courses at the high school campus, embedded faculty are under the guidance of Collin College and must follow the guidelines and procedures of Collin College such for items including but not limited to; curriculum, the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, syllabus, college schedule, etc.

As Collin College adjunct faculty, embedded faculty are responsible for fulfilling all regular duties and responsibilities of all college faculty, including, but not limited to:

- maintaining college-level rigor in all instructional practices
- utilizing a Canvas shell and gradebook for each course
- developing a course syllabus and calendar of assignments
- certifying rosters
- following FERPA regulations
- providing mid-term and final numerical grades to the P-12 Partnerships Office
- posting final course grades in Collin College's student management system
- following Collin College's mandatory reporting procedures

 responding promptly to email requests and due dates sent by the offices of academic affairs

4) All faculty, including embedded faculty, are responsible for attending required Collin College training sessions.

5) All Collin College faculty members must inform their Collin College supervisor (Associate Dean/Director) as well as the high school campus administrator where they teach when they need to be absent. Embedded faculty will follow the McKinney ISD process for reporting absences as well as contacting their Collin College Associate Dean/Director. With sufficient advanced notice, Collin College will make a good faith effort to provide a substitute when a faculty member will be absent.

6) Embedded faculty will work with the appropriate associate deans/director and high school administrators regarding class schedules during the high school day.

7) Collin College Faculty, even if employed by and paid by McKinney ISD, must be supervised in instructional matters by the Collin College Academic Department and must meet all administrative and evaluation requirements, and attend required faculty training including the dual credit faculty training.

Collin College Faculty are expected to comply with Collin College board policies, including the Employee Standards of Conduct found in <u>DH (Local)</u> and <u>DH (Exhibit)</u>. Dual credit faculty at McKinney ISD are also expected to abide by the state Educator's Code of Ethics found in the Texas Administrative Code (19 TAC 247.2) for standard practices and ethical conduct towards students, unless it conflicts with Collin College's Employee Standards of Conduct. If a conflict arises, the Parties agree to use the conflict resolution procedures found in Section IV.O. on "<u>Conflict Resolution</u>".

8) All availability of courses structured under dual credit is contingent upon the availability of Collin College faculty. Students may need to take classes virtually or on a Collin College campus to continue with a sequence.

9) Collin College and McKinney ISD agree to a mutual understanding to resolve issues that may arise in the course of this partnership with faculty. The Parties agree to use the conflict resolution procedures listed in Section IV.O. on "<u>Conflict Resolution</u>".

- a) Joining the Collin College Faculty
  - 1. Collin College Commitment to High School Faculty

The following series of steps to facilitate the interview process for high school instructors who wish to teach dual credit with Collin College:

- Before applying to Collin College interested high school faculty members can reference job expectations and responsibilities available here: <u>collin.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/ExternalFacultyCareerSite.</u>
- McKinney ISD will provide Collin College with a roster of faculty interested in embedded faculty assignments for the next academic year by February 1. The roster should include candidates' unofficial transcripts as well as resumes of work experience.
- Collin College academic Departments will conduct an initial review to determine whether the high school faculty member meets SACSCOC standards.
- High school faculty found to be SACSCOC qualified would complete an official Collin College application as an adjunct faculty member.
- The Associate Dean/Director will contact applicants if selected for an interview. It is at this point that the Associate Dean/Director can provide the candidate with additional information about a particular position. The interview may include a demonstration of teaching capability, communication, and presentation skills. An interview panel may be used, at the discretion of the department. Candidates will be notified of acceptance or non-acceptance by April 1. If the latter decision is made, an explanation will be offered with suggestions for next steps.
- Adjunct faculty will be required to attend trainings as directed by the Collin College Academic Department. The P-12 Partnerships Office will also provide a dual credit faculty presentation on dual credit practices and procedures at the start of each long semester.
  - 2. Prospective Dual Credit Faculty

High School teachers who are interested in teaching dual credit courses on their high school campus for Collin College need to be aware of expectations from both their high school and Collin College. The Appendix E "<u>Coursework Expectations</u>" will help acquaint instructors with the similarities and differences in requirements for teaching across both school levels. In all cases, the college rules will apply, in some cases, faculty will also have to adhere to high school requirements.

3. Basic Qualifications

SACSCOC is the accrediting body for Collin College. Every prospective dual credit instructor at Collin College must meet these minimum requirements. The requirements can be found at: <a href="http://www.collin.edu/hr/employment/FCI\_System.html">www.collin.edu/hr/employment/FCI\_System.html</a>.

#### 4. Coursework Expectations

In many cases, high school teaching expectations will differ from Collin College's teaching expectations. In Dual Credit courses, Collin College's teaching expectations and student learning outcomes are followed. Appendix E: <u>Coursework Expectations</u> provides an outline of differences between high school and Collin College coursework expectations.

### D. Location and Student Composition of Class

1) Dual credit courses may be taught on one of the Collin College campuses, online (if available), at an approved high school campus, or at an agreed upon and approved location. Dual credit courses need a minimum of 15 students enrolled to be offered regardless of location. Workforce/CTE classes may have exceptions to this minimum as they are limited by space and teacher-to-student ratios for safety. All course minimums and maximums are subject to review by Collin College's Academic Deans.

2) Collin College classes that require a "lab" component at the high school will have the same equipment, specs, and consumables provided at an equivalent Collin College campus. Before a "lab" course is approved to be offered at the high school, the designated Collin College staff will evaluate the proposed "lab" location to ensure it meets Collin College's minimum standards. The high school will be responsible for maintaining, upkeep, and storing consumables and non-consumables related to the Collin College "lab" courses.

3) Courses will be comprised of dual credit high school students only or of dual credit high school students and college credit students if offered online or on a Collin College campus. High school students will not be allowed to concurrently enroll in college courses for high school credit only. During Maymester and Wintermester terms, dual/concurrent credit students may enroll in one course with McKinney ISD approval.

4) As part of this Agreement, McKinney ISD will assign Collin College faculty to a classroom to carry out the functions of the dual credit program for courses located on McKinney ISD's campus. McKinney ISD retains control of all classroom space under this Agreement. In order to ensure the program is equipped for college-level instruction, McKinney ISD will provide the following:

- Adequate board space
- Computer equipment with projection
- Upon advanced written request from Collin College faculty for multimedia equipment, McKinney ISD will provide notice of availability of such equipment and provide it if it is available

- Internet access that aligns with Collin College and State of Texas standards for delivery of instruction to ensure comparable delivery of instruction and access to course materials as found in the college-level courses
- A classroom that is available and ready for use within the allotted instructional class time(s)

McKinney ISD will designate an official contact that will facilitate the classroom instructional needs listed above. McKinney ISD will notify Collin College's P-12 Partnerships Office and the Academic Affairs office of the name and contact information of the designated liaison. If a conflict arises regarding providing classroom space or equipment, the Parties agree to follow the resolution guidelines in Section IV.O. on "Conflict Resolution".

5) In the Agreement, McKinney ISD agrees to provide Collin College copies of all documents concerning any applicable rules, regulations, policies, and procedures of McKinney ISD related to security or restriction, which would be applicable to Collin College faculty while present on a McKinney ISD campus.

6) Collin College and McKinney ISD will work collaboratively to provide approved accommodations for a Collin College faculty member with a documented disability. If a conflict arises regarding a requested or approved accommodation, the Parties agree to follow the resolution guidelines in Section IV.O. on "<u>Conflict Resolution</u>".

E. Academic Policies and Student Support Services

1) McKinney ISD must provide an atmosphere that promotes a collegiate environment for classes which includes adequate classroom facilities, and minimizes disruptions of college classes for announcements, pep rallies, removal of students from class to conduct high school related activities, etc. McKinney ISD will provide Collin College with a schedule of events that may impact dual credit course delivery on a McKinney ISD site each semester. After a term's registration period has started, changes cannot be made to Collin College's class schedule unless there are extenuating circumstances approved by both parties.

2) Dual credit courses will follow the Collin College academic calendar. If the McKinney ISD calendar is different from that of Collin College, Collin College and McKinney ISD will identify a mutually agreeable alternative arrangement for course continuation.

3) High school dual credit and concurrent enrollment students will have access to all Collin College academic and student support services including, but not limited to: libraries, electronic library resources, writing centers, tutorial services, assessment, admissions, student engagement activities, and academic advisement. Some services are available only on a Collin College campus.

4) Per the Texas Education Code, all dual credit students receive academic and/or college readiness advising as referenced in Appendix A: "<u>Statewide Goals for Dual</u> <u>Credit</u>". Per the Texas Education Code, McKinney ISD designates the high school campus counselor as responsible for academic advising to students in the dual credit program.

5) High school dual/concurrent credit students agree to abide by all Collin College policies and procedures as outlined in the current Collin College Student Handbook.

a) Disability Services and Accommodations

1) Students with disabilities who need accommodations must apply for disability services through Collin College's Accommodations at Collin College for Equal Support Services (ACCESS) Department, provide current documentation, and be determined eligible for accommodations at Collin College. The accommodations process is not automatic and may take time to complete. Accommodations available for high school classes may be different, modified, or not available for college-level courses.

If determined eligible for academic accommodations at Collin College, students must request accommodations each semester through Collin College's ACCESS Department. The dual credit course location will determine who provides the academic accommodation needs by Collin College's ACCESS Department. Dual credit course accommodations offered on the high school campus are provided by high school personnel. Dual credit course accommodations offered on a Collin College campus will be provided by Collin College personnel. The Parties will designate each other as school officials with a legitimate educational interest under FERPA as provided in Section IV.G. "Confidentiality of Data" so that information regarding accommodations may be shared.

F. Eligible Courses

1) All courses offered for dual credit will be identified as college level academic courses in the current edition of the Lower-Division Academic Course Guide Manual or as a college technical course in an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree or certificate program. Collin College does not offer kinesiology (KINE) or developmental education courses for dual credit.

2) A course equivalency crosswalk that identifies the number of credits that may be earned for each course completed through the dual credit program in <u>Appendix B</u> has been approved for the 2023-2026 academic years. Programs listed in <u>Appendix C</u> have been approved for the 2023-2026 academic years.

Additional courses may be added with approval from McKinney ISD and Collin College. An addendum will be created if three or more additional courses are requested by McKinney ISD in writing. An addendum for additional courses can be approved and added to this Agreement by authorized McKinney ISD and Collin College representatives.

G. Course Curriculum, Instruction, and Grading

1) Collin College will ensure that a dual credit course and the corresponding course offered at the main campus of Collin College are equivalent with respect to the curriculum, materials, instruction, and method/rigor of student evaluation. These standards will be upheld regardless of the student composition of the class. Dual credit courses will take additional considerations regarding content appropriateness for students under 18 years of age.

2) Students will be expected to meet all requirements of the dual and concurrent credit class(es) and will receive letter grades on their Collin College transcript. Collin College faculty will provide numeric grades at the end of the semester to be weighted or factored into the student's high school grade point average as determined by McKinney ISD. Mid-term grades will be provided upon request. Collin College will provide grades to McKinney ISD in a timely manner at the mutually agreed upon intervals.

3) Faculty members teaching dual credit courses may alert both the Collin College liaison and the designated high school counselor of any students having academic difficulty. They may also utilize Collin College's Early Alert Referral System (EARS) for this purpose.

4) Faculty are conscious of FERPA guidelines when communicating with students about grades. Grade information is never provided over the phone or via text or non-college email. Currently, grades of A, B, C, D, F, and I are awarded by faculty to each student on their college transcript. Grades of "I" are only temporary and must be resolved by the end of the next long semester. Numeric grades are also provided to McKinney ISD. If a student withdraws from a course, a "W" will appear on the student's college transcript.

5) The Grade Appeals Process is available online: collin.edu/studentresources/support/gradeappeal

6) All faculty will attend faculty meetings and other special meetings called by their Collin College divisional office as needed. Dual credit faculty will also attend a high school campus safety training provided by high school campus administration prior to the start of the semester when dual credit courses are taught at a McKinney ISD site.

H. Transcription of Credit

1) High school and college credit will be added to the student's transcripts immediately by McKinney ISD and Collin College upon the student's completion of the dual credit course.

I. Funding

1) State funding for dual credit courses will be available to both McKinney ISD and Collin College as indicated by the Commissioner of Education and Commissioner of Higher Education.

2) Tuition and fees will be collected from the high school student unless evidence is presented documenting the high school student's participation in the federal free and reduced lunch program in McKinney ISD, or if McKinney ISD is covering the student's charges through third party billing. If McKinney ISD participates in third party billing, McKinney ISD agrees to abide by the policies set forth by the Bursar's Office. McKinney ISD will provide a verification list of dual credit students participating in the federal free and reduced lunch program to Collin College each semester. All dual credit students are responsible for purchasing their own textbooks and other required course materials unless otherwise purchased on their behalf.

# IV. GENERAL OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES

A. Recognition of Higher Education Partner, Promotion, Marketing, and Advertising

1) When reporting and publicizing high school students' completion of dual credit courses, degrees, or certificates, McKinney ISD will recognize Collin College as their higher education partner awarding college credit. Both Parties agree not to use the other Party's name, logo, or likeness in any press release, marketing materials, or other public announcements without receiving prior written approval from an authorized designee.

B. Understanding of the Parties

1) Both parties understand the safety and security risks inherent with minors and agree that certain risks may be unforeseeable. Further, the Parties agree that the public safety departments from both Collin College and McKinney ISD will collaborate to develop and/or review safety and security standards and/or guidelines, including emergency response.

2) In accordance with FERPA, Collin College and McKinney ISD will protect students' privacy and guard against the unauthorized release of identifying student information and records, and comply with all applicable requirements of FERPA.

#### C. Criminal History Background Check and Fingerprinting Requirements

1) Pursuant to Texas Education Code (TEC) Section 22.0834, Collin College shall ensure that Collin College faculty and staff assigned to work on a McKinney ISD site meet the applicable TEC requirements regarding fingerprinting and background checks. McKinney ISD will provide faculty fingerprinting instructions to schedule fingerprinting appointments. Fingerprinting expenses for Collin College faculty and staff will be reimbursed by Collin College directly to the employee. For more information on fingerprinting reimbursement please contact Collin College's Human Resources office. Any additional information required by McKinney ISD may be requested in accordance with Section IV.F "<u>School District Data Sharing and Privacy</u>".

2) McKinney ISD is responsible for promptly notifying Collin College of any additional requirements or changes in the law that may be necessary in order to comply with McKinney ISD's Board policies with regard to criminal history requirements for employees of entities with whom McKinney ISD contracts. McKinney ISD will also notify Collin College if an individual does not pass the fingerprint check within 1-2 business days. McKinney ISD agrees to provide Collin College with additional information upon request and, to the extent allowed by law, regarding individuals who do not pass the national criminal history record check or fingerprint check.

D. Clery Act Obligations

1) If Collin College is using space on a McKinney ISD campus or facility for the purposes of providing dual credit services and/or courses, McKinney ISD's law enforcement agency will respond in a timely manner to any requests made by Collin College for statistical information of crimes that have been reported at that location, so Collin College may fulfill its obligations under the Clery Act (20 U.S.C. § 1092(f)) and its regulations.

#### E. Prohibition of Discrimination and Harassment

1) Collin College has policies and procedures in place to receive, investigate, and resolve student and employee complaints alleging civil rights violations, including claims under Title VI and Title IX. McKinney ISD and Collin College shall each comply with their own policies and any applicable state and federal law that prohibit discrimination and harassment on the basis of a student or employee's disability, race, color, national origin, religion, or sex. Each party shall adhere to its obligations under relevant policy and law without regard to the other party's obligations.

2) McKinney ISD agrees to report to the Associate Vice President for P-12 Partnerships, within 2 business days, any allegation of discrimination or harassment involving a College employee or dual credit student, regardless of where the alleged conduct occurred. The Associate Vice President for P-12 Partnerships will work with

McKinney ISD staff on reporting the incident(s) to Collin College's Title IX/ADA and 504/Title VI Coordinator. Collin has designated the following individual as its District Title IX/ADA&504/Title VI Coordinator:

#### Terrence P. Brennan, M.A.

District Dean of Students Collin College (972) 881-5604 <u>tbrennan@collin.edu</u>

F. School District Data Sharing and Privacy

1) McKinney ISD will provide the following student information for each student from 8th-12th grade participating in a Collin College program, if requested.

Student Data Information 8-12th grade and Certified List of Graduates:

- Student Name (Last, First, Middle)
- Date of Birth
- Eligibility for accommodations
- Eligibility for free or reduced lunch
- Grade Level
- Anticipated year of high school graduation
- McKinney ISD identification numbers (PIEMS ID and HS ID)
- Mailing address (Street, City, State, Zip)
- Name of School
- College readiness scores: SAT, PSAT, ACT, ACT-Aspire, STAAR English II, STAAR Algebra I with a passing final Algebra II grade, and TSIA.

2) The data outlined above will be sent electronically in a template provided by Collin College and will be provided in a timely manner as agreed upon by both Parties upon request.

- Upon receipt of student information, Collin College may use the student mailing information to send information pertaining to Collin College enrollment to the families of participating students.
- Collin College will provide the following information to McKinney ISD following its initial entry into the program: postsecondary transition rates from McKinney

ISD students to Texas institutions of higher education (taken from THECB data); benchmark data from the prior year to show McKinney ISD student enrollment at Collin College upon request.

- Collin College will provide the following reports to McKinney ISD Superintendent of Schools, McKinney ISD district designee, and dual credit principal(s) each academic year: dual credit enrollments by high school; dual credit student success outcomes by high school; course and section offerings by high school.
- Collin College will provide, upon written request from an appropriate school district official, information on Collin College articulated credit attainment and college major selections by individual students. This information is designed to assist school personnel in education programming and is protected under FERPA, and may not be published.
- Collin College will utilize the Early Alert Referral System (EARS) to identify students at risk of not completing college coursework to provide effective interventions.
- Collin College will provide TSIA Scores for students that tested through Collin College Testing Centers to McKinney ISD.
- Collin College and McKinney ISD will implement improvement efforts, as needed, based upon mutual review of the following data:
  - Matriculation of high school students in four-year colleges/universities and level of entry.
  - Enrollment/retention rates
  - Student participation in activities at Collin College
- Additionally, McKinney ISD and Collin College agree to the facilitation of the exchange of pertinent information regarding faculty:
  - o qualifications for teaching dual credit courses
  - eligibility of faculty in meeting background check and fingerprinting requirements
  - full information sharing with appropriate administration in the event of an investigation of a personnel matter regarding a Collin College faculty member to the extent allowable by each Party's governing policies.

3) Any unauthorized disclosure of confidential student information is a violation of FERPA and the implementing regulations found in 34 CFR Part 99 and shall not be

permitted to occur. While in possession of this data, McKinney ISD and Collin College shall permit only those employees authorized to have access to the data. Both parties agree to store the data in a secure area to prevent unauthorized access.

4) Upon request from McKinney ISD, Collin College may provide mutually agreed upon reports of student enrollment and course grades to designated McKinney ISD officials as allowed by FERPA. McKinney ISD will designate a school district and high school campus official to request such Collin College reports.

5) This section is not exclusive to all instances in which information may be shared between the Parties under FERPA. See section IV.M. "<u>FERPA Compliance and</u> <u>Disclosure of Education Records</u>" for additional examples.

G. Confidentiality of Data

1) Both Parties will maintain the confidentiality of all student data shared with it in compliance with FERPA and its associated federal regulations. Both Parties agree not to share information with third parties unless authorized to do so by state or federal law.

2) Data obtained will be used solely for the purposes described in the Agreement. Collin College and McKinney ISD will notify designated individuals authorized to access the individual student or employee data for purposes outlined in the Agreement that they must maintain the confidentiality of all personally identifiable data and confidential information.

3) Collin College and McKinney ISD will provide a copy of any sections of this Agreement related to data sharing and privacy to any employee who transfers, maintains, accesses, or reviews any confidential data obtained in accordance with the Agreement.

4) The confidentiality requirements shall survive the termination or expiration of the Agreement.

H. Security Safeguards

1) To ensure the continued confidentiality and security of the data, Collin College and McKinney ISD shall each independently employ industry best practices, both technically and procedurally to protect the data from unauthorized physical and electronic access. In addition, both Parties shall adhere to the following safeguards when data covered by the Agreement is processed, stored, or transmitted on either Party's information resources:

• Procedures and systems that ensure all student records provided by Collin College and McKinney ISD are kept in secured facilities and access ID such records are exclusively limited to authorized personnel.

- Procedures and systems that shall require the use of secure permissions or passwords to access the data.
- Mandatory training for respective personnel on information security, at least on an annual basis.
- Procedures and systems to ensure all data is maintained in a secure manner that prevents the interception, diversion, or other unauthorized access.

2) The procedures and systems developed and implemented to access the data shall ensure that any data disclosure to third parties in accordance with applicable state law (i.e. under the Texas Public Information Act or in response to an audit or other lawful reason in accordance with the TEA or THECB's rules and regulations) shall comply with all provisions under FERPA and Texas laws governing exceptions to disclosure of confidential student information.

#### I. Method of Access or Transfer

1) Individual level student surveys and academic data will be transferred between designated McKinney ISD officials and designated Collin College officials in a manner that maintains the confidentiality and security of individually identifiable records and data. (Typical approaches use secure File Transfer Protocol, secure cloud-based drop box, and encryption of personally identifiable data).

J. Physical Location of Data

1) Data will be housed in a secure physical or electronic facility accessible only to individuals authorized to access the data for the purposes stated in this document and the Agreement. Data will be stored in a manner that prevents unauthorized access to personally identifiable data. (Secured permissions or passwords will be used to access data stored electronically. Personally identifiable data that resides for any length of time on laptops, desktop computers, CDs, or other media will be encrypted.)

K. Notification of Security Breach

1) Collin College and McKinney ISD both agree that in the event of any breach or compromise of the security, confidentiality, or integrity of shared data where personally identifiable information of a student or employee was, or is reasonably believed to have been acquired and/or accessed by an unauthorized person, the Party's information system in which the breach occurs shall notify the other Party of the breach within 24 hours and take immediate steps to limit and mitigate the damage, if any, of such security breach to the greatest extent possible in accordance with applicable laws, such as Tex. Bus. & Com. Code Sections 521.001-152. Notice shall be provided to the designated McKinney ISD and Collin College officials.

#### L. Disposition of Data

1) Collin College and McKinney ISD will maintain and destroy any data covered under the Agreement in accordance with each Party's respective policies on records retention.

M. FERPA Compliance and Disclosure of Educational Records

1) Students participating in a dual credit program described herein are enrolled in a post-secondary institution and are thus afforded rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) as post-secondary students. This means a high school student who is enrolled at Collin College for purposes of participating in one of these programs, regardless of age, is given the right of privacy in their educational records. Collin College will not disclose information protected under FERPA, even to a student's parent, unless the dual credit student consents to the release in writing, or the parent provides proof of dependency in accordance with 34 CFR 99.31(a)(8).

2) For purposes of this Agreement, pursuant to FERPA, Collin College and McKinney ISD designate each other as school officials with legitimate educational interests in the educational records of the participating high school students enrolled in Collin College, to the extent that access to the records is required by either Party to carry out the functions of the program, enforce or comply with discrimination laws, address student safety and discipline, or any matter where a student's participation in a course or program may be affected, or for any other purpose allowed under applicable law.

3) McKinney ISD agrees to share permissible disciplinary information that may affect the enrollment of a dual credit student such as suspension, disciplinary alternative education placement, expulsion, or that relate to conduct that is under investigation while the student is enrolled in a dual credit class.

4) Both Collin College and McKinney ISD will provide notice to students, parents and employees of applicable policies and procedures related to disclosure of educational records to ensure compliance with FERPA.

N. Entire Agreement

1) This Agreement, including the Appendices, constitute the entire agreement between Collin College and McKinney ISD.

- Appendix A: Statewide Goals for Dual Credit
- Appendix B: Courses Approved for McKinney ISD/Collin College Dual Credit
- <u>Appendix C: Programs for McKinney ISD/Collin College Dual Credit</u>
- Appendix D: Articulated Credits and Courses

- Appendix E: Coursework Expectations
- <u>Appendix F: College and Career Counselors</u>
- <u>Appendix G: General Embedded Faculty FAQs and Review Process for all</u> <u>Secondary Schools</u>
- <u>Appendix H: Workforce Programs</u>
- O. Conflict Resolution

1) The Parties agree to a mutual understanding to resolve issues or concerns that may arise in the course of this partnership that involve students, staff, and/or faculty. In the event a conflict or disagreement should arise in the interpretation or implementation of the obligations, terms, and responsibilities of the Parties to this Agreement, each Party shall designate administrative liaisons for the purposes of resolving concerns at both the campus (liaison must be a Principal or other designated high school campus administrator) and central administrative levels. In order to be collaborative, Collin College must be able to communicate with administrators on campuses in which dual credit students/programs are present.

2) If resolution is not found through those levels, a request may be made that the matter be handled through the Parties' respective legal counsel(s). If resolution is not found through those levels, a request may be made that the matter be handled by voluntary mediation through a mutually approved mediator within thirty (30) days of the selection of a mediator.

# P. Termination

1) It is agreed that either Party may terminate this Agreement upon thirty days written notice to the other Party.

2) It is agreed that either Party may also terminate this Agreement with written notice to the other Party immediately for breach.

3) This Agreement may also be terminated by mutual agreement of the Parties.

4) In the event of any termination under this section, the Parties will work collaboratively to allow currently enrolled dual credit students to complete their courses for that semester. No new dual credit registrations would be permitted for the current or future terms.

5) This Agreement is expressly made subject to each Party's governmental immunity under the Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code and all applicable state and federal laws. The Parties hereto expressly agree that no provision of this Agreement is in any way intended to constitute a waiver of any immunities from suit, immunities from liability, defenses, or rights that each Party has by operation of law. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as consent to suit by either Party.

Q. Approval Signatures

Collin College and McKinney ISD have executed and deliver this Agreement to be effective as of the Effective Date listed above.

She Court Aug 30, 2023 Mr. Shawn Pratt, Superintendent Date McKinney Independent School District Aug 28, 2023 H. Neil Matkin, Ed.D., District President Date Collin County Community College District

# **APPENDIX A: Statewide Goals for Dual Credit**

Texas Education Code, Section 28.009 (b-1) and (b-2), requires the THECB and the TEA to collaboratively develop statewide goals for dual credit programs in Texas. These goals provide guidance to institutions of higher education and independent school districts on components that must be in place to ensure quality dual credit programs are provided to Texas high school students. These statewide goals address enrollment in and acceleration through postsecondary education, performance in college-level coursework, and strong academic advising.

**Goal 1:** ISDs and IHEs will implement purposeful and collaborative outreach efforts to inform all students and parents of the benefits and costs of dual credit, including enrollment and fee policies.

Collin College's dual credit website is regularly updated with enrollment guidelines, policies, and program details including:

- ISD registration and payment deadlines
- information session schedules
- FAQs
- forms
- links to student resources

Collin College provides dual credit information sessions each spring at all partnering high schools to potential students, parents, and school counselors before students enroll into dual credit classes for fall.

On an annual basis, Collin College provides two dual credit update sessions to all partnering high school counselors. These include updates on dual credit procedures, testing, ACCESS (student accommodations), as well as shared best practices from school districts. Collin College offers a yearly conference for all local high school counselors. Keynote speakers and breakout sessions are provided on relevant topics and current issues.

Collin College also provides College and Career Counselors at partnering high schools. The College and Career Counselors are part of an institutional initiative to support local school districts' college and career readiness goals. They provide dual credit academic advising, orientations, workshops, and other related services as appropriate.

ISD counselors at each high school will collaborate with Collin College dual credit staff to schedule dual credit information sessions to prospective students and parents each year.

Collin College also uses marketing materials to help inform students and parents regarding the benefits of dual credit.

**Goal 2:** Dual credit programs will assist high school students in the successful transition to and acceleration through postsecondary education.

Collin College has College and Career Counselors at partnering high schools. The College and Career Counselors are part of an institutional initiative to support local school districts' college and career readiness goals. They provide dual credit academic advising, orientations, workshops, and other related services

Collin College will share available data related to Collin College enrollment and persistence after high school graduation with ISD administration.

**Goal 3:** To bridge them successfully into college course completion, all dual credit students will receive academic and college readiness advising and will have access to student support services.

All dual credit students receive academic and/or college readiness advising provided by Special Admissions Coordinators (SACs) and College and Career Counselors. High school dual credit students have access to all college academic and student support services including, but not limited to, libraries, electronic library resources, writing centers, tutorial services, academic accommodations, assessment, admissions, and academic advisement. Collin College also partners with local ISDs to develop and provide courses in college preparatory mathematics and English language arts to prepare students for success in entry-level college courses without the need for remedial or developmental coursework.

**Goal 4:** Dual credit students' performance will meet or exceed the level of quality and rigor on subsequent courses.

Collin College ensures that a dual credit course and the corresponding course offered at the main campus of the College are equivalent with respect to the curriculum, materials, instruction, and method/rigor of student evaluation. These standards are upheld regardless of the student composition of the class.

Collin College faculty teaching dual credit courses are required to meet the same standards, reviews, and approval procedures used by Collin College. Faculty attend professional development opportunities provided by Collin College throughout the year.

# APPENDIX B: Courses Approved for McKinney ISD/Collin College Dual Credit

Collin College Course descriptions are available in the current Collin College Catalog: <u>collin.edu/academics/catalog.html</u> (Some Course Rubrics and/or Numbers are subject to change throughout the year).

		McKinney ISD Dual (	Credit Cross	swalk 2023-2026		
PEIMS			Possible HS Credit			College
Code	HS Endorsement	HS Dual Credit Course Title	0.5 = 1 sem 1.0 = 1 year	Collin College Course Title		Hours
		Acad	emic Courses			
Education						
03270100	Multi-Disciplinary Studies	Learning Framework	0.5	Learning Framework	EDUC 1300	3
English for	Dual Credit					
03220300		Composition I	- 1	Composition I	ENGL 1301	3
or 03220400	Multi-Disciplinary Studies	Composition II		Composition II	ENGL 1302	3
00000400		World Literature I	- 1	World Literature I	ENGL 2332	3
03220400		World Literature II		World Literature II	ENGL 2333	3
Mathematic	s for Dual Credit	·				
		College Algebra	0.5	College Algebra	MATH 1314	3
03102500	Multi-Disciplinary Studies	Calculus for Business and Social Sciences	0.5	Calculus for Business and Social Sciences	MATH 1325	3
03102530		Elementary Statistical Methods	0.5	Elementary Statistical Methods	MATH 1342	3
Science for	Dual Credit					
03060200	Multi-Disciplinary	Forth and Space Science	0.5	Stars and Galaxies	PHYS 1403	4
03000200	Studies	Earth and Space Science	0.5	Earth Science for Non-Science Majors I	GEOL 1401	4

Social Stud	ies for Dual Credit					
00040400				United States History I	HIST 1301	3
03340100		US History I	1	United States History II	HIST 1302	3
00040000	Multi-Disciplinary	Driveir las sélManas annasias	0.5	Principles of Macroeconomics	ECON 2301	3
03310300	Studies	Principles of Macroeconomics	0.5	Principles of Microeconomics	ECON 2302	3
03330100		American Government	0.5	Federal Government	GOVT 2305	3
3380001		Texas Government	0.5	Texas Government	GOVT 2306	3
Electives						
03500110	Multi-Disciplinary Studies	Art Appreciation	0.5	Art Appreciation	ARTS 1301	3
13009900		Business and Professional Communications	0.5	Business and Professional Communications	SPCH 1321	3
13009900		Introduction to Speech	0.5	Introduction to Speech	SPCH 1311	3
			0.5	Beginning American Sign Language*	SGNL 1401	4
			0.5	American Sign Language: Beginning II*	SGNL 1402	4
03980400		Advanced ASL	*Note	placement in the Collin ASL sequence is based on exam. If the student places higher than 1401 & 1402, Collin will consider a mon advanced course for the Advanced ASL high school credit.		
		Health	Science Course	25		
Patient Car	e Technician		1			
				Diagnostic Electrocardiography	DSAE 1340	3
13020500	Public Services	Practicum in Health Science (Patient	2	Phlebotomy	PLAB 1323	3
10020000		Care Technician)	2	Patient Care Tech/Assistant	NUPC 1320	3
				Clinical – Patient Care Assistant/Aide	NUPC 1160	1
Emergency	Medical Technician (I	EMT)				
				Basic Health Profession Skills II	HPRS 2310	3
13020500	Public Services	ces Practicum in Health Science (EMT)	2	Introduction to Emergency Medical Technician	EMSP 1371	3
-				Emergency Medical Technician	EMSP 1501	5
				Clinical - Emergency Medical Technician	EMSP 1160	1

Fire Scienc	e					
42020500	Dublic Convises	Practicum in Health Science (Fire		Fundamentals of Fire Protection	FIRT 1301	3
13020500	Public Services	Science)	2       Hazardous Materials       FIRT 1315         1       Hazardous Materials       FIRT 1315         1       Medical Terminology       HITT 1305         Pathophysiology       HPRS 2301         2       Nurse Aide for Health Care       NURA 1301         2       End of Life Issues       HPRS 1303         Clinical – Nursing Aide and Patient Care       NURA 1160         Workforce Courses         1       Prin. of Real Estate I       RELE 1301         1       Prin. of Real Estate II       RELE 1319         2       Real Estate Finance       RELE 1319         2       Law of Agency       RELE 1301         2       Easic Food Preparation       CHEF 1301         2       Sanitation and Safety       CHEF 1305         2       Basic Food Preparation       CHEF 1305         2       Basic Food Preparation       CHEF 1305         3       Sanitation and Safety       CHEF 1305         4       Fundamentals of Baking       PSTR 1301         Nutrition and Menu Planning       INFW 1310         Breads and Rolls       PSTR 1305	FIRT 1315	3	
Health Scie	nce					
12020200		Madical Terminology	1	Medical Terminology	HITT 1305	3
13020300		Wedical Terminology	I	Pathophysiology	FIRT 1315 FIRT 1315 FIRT 1315 FIRT 1315 FIRT 1305 HPRS 2301 NURA 1301 HPRS 1303 Care NURA 1301 HPRS 1303 Care RELE 1301 RELE 1301 RELE 1311 RELE 1311 RELE 1300 CHEF 1301 CHEF 1305 PSTR 1301	3
	Public Services			Nurse Aide for Health Care	FIRT 1315         FIRT 1315         HITT 1305         HPRS 2301         NURA 1301         HPRS 1303         NURA 1301         HPRS 1303         NURA 1160         NURA 1160         RELE 1301         RELE 1301         RELE 1319         RELE 1311         RELE 1311         RELE 1300         CHEF 1301         CHEF 1301         CHEF 1305         PSTR 1301         INFW 1310         PSTR 1305         PSTR 1306	3
13020300 13020410 Real Estate fr N1270153 13011700 N1301120 Culinary Arts		Health Science (CNA)	2	End of Life Issues	HPRS 1303	3
					NURA 1160	1
		Work	force Courses			
Real Estate	for Dual Credit					
N1270153		General Employability Skills	1	Prin. of Real Estate I	RELE 1301	3
13011700		Business Law	1	Prin. of Real Estate II	RELE 1338	3
Health Scienc         13020300         13020410         Real Estate for         N1270153         13011700         N1301120         Culinary Arts         13022600	Business and	Business and Industry Fundamentals of		Real Estate Finance	RELE 1319	3
	Industry		2	Law of Agency	RELE 2301	3
N1301120	Public Services     Science)       Ith Science     Medical Terminolog       20300     Public Services     Medical Terminolog       20410     Public Services     Health Science (CN       I Estate for Dual Credit     General Employability Skills       70153     Business and Industry     General Employability Skills       01120     Business and Industry     Fundamentals of Real Estate       22600     Business and Industry     Culinary Arts	Real Estate	2	Law of Contracts	RELE 1311	3
				Contract Forms and Addenda	RELE 1300	3
Culinary Ar	ts for Dual Credit					
				Basic Food Preparation	CHEF 1301	3
12022600		Culipany Arts	2	Sanitation and Safety	CHEF 1305	3
13020500       Health Science       13020300       13020410       Real Estate for       N1270153       13011700       N1301120		Culliary Arts	2	Fundamentals of Baking	PSTR 1301	3
	Business and			Nutrition and Menu Planning	INFW 1310	3
	Industry			Breads and Rolls	PSTR 1305	3
12022650		Advanced	2	Pies, Tarts, Teacakes & Cookies	PSTR 1310	3
13022030		Culinary Arts	2	Cake Decorating I	PSTR 1306	3
				Chocolates & Confections	PSTR 2301	3

IT Security						
13027300		IT Essentials	0.5	IT Essentials I: PC & Hardware	CPMT 1305	3
13027400		Network +	0.5	Network+	ITNW 1358	3
2500000		Independent Study Technology		Linux Installation and Configuration	ITSY 1316	3
3580900	STEM	Applications	1	OSINT and Introductory Security Analysis	ITNW 1358         ation       ITSY 1316         ty Analysis       ITSY 1371         of Emerging       ITSY 1372         ITSY 2300       ITSY 2300         ITSY 2301       ITSY 2301         metry       TECM 1343         CETT 1307       CETT 1425         HITT 1305       CETT 1409         BIOM 2311       BIOM 2315         BIOM 2315       BIOM 2315         ISION 2315       BIOM 2311         ation       BIOM 2311         BIOM 2315       BIOM 2315	3
				Cyber-Psychology and Effects of Emerging Technology	ITSY 1372	3
13028000		Practicum in Information Technology	2	Operating System Security	ITSY 2300	3
				Firewalls and Network Security	ITSY 2301	3
		ССТ	C Programs			
Biomedical	Equipment Technolog	gy for Dual Credit				
		Practicum in Health Science (Biomedical Equipment 1)	1 fall	Technical Algebra and Trigonometry	TECM 1343	3
13020500				Fundamentals of Electronics	CETT 1307	3
3580900 13028000 Biomedical E 13020500 13020500 13020510				Digital Fundamentals	CETT 1425	4
				Medical Terminology	ITNW 1358         ITSY 1316         ITSY 1371         ITSY 1371         ITSY 1371         ITSY 1371         ITSY 1371         ITSY 1372         ITSY 2300         ITSY 2301         ITSY 2301	3
		Practicum in Health Science (Biomedical Equipment 1)	1 spring	DC-AC Circuits	CETT 1409	4
13020500	Durain and an el			General Medical Equipment I	BIOM 2311	3
	Business and Industry			IT Essentials: PC Hardware and Software	CPMT 1305	3
	···· ,	Practicum in Health Science (Biomedical		Physiological Instruments I	BIOM 2315	3
13020510		Equipment 2)	1 fall	General Medical Equipment II	BIOL 2343	3
				Safety in Health Care Facilities	BIOM 2201	2
				Biomedical Clinical Instrumentation	ITSY 1316         ITSY 1371         ITSY 1372         ITSY 2300         ITSY 2301         ITSY 2301         TECM 1343         CETT 1307         CETT 1425         HITT 1305         CETT 1409         BIOM 2311         CPMT 1305         BIOM 2315         BIOM 2331         BIOM 2331         BIOM 2319	3
13020510		Practicum in Health Science (Biomedical Equipment 2)	1 spring	Fundamentals of X-Ray and Medical Imaging Systems	BIOM 2319	3
				Respiratory Equipment Maintenance	BIOM 2337	3

Electronic E	Engineering Technolo	gy for Dual Credit				
				Technical Algebra and Trigonometry	TECM 1343	3
13037400		Practicum in Health Science (Electronic Engineering 1)	1 fall	Fundamentals of Electronics	CETT 1307	3
13037400         13037400         13037400         13037410         13037410         13033000         13033000				Digital Fundamentals	CETT 1425	4
				DC-AC Circuits	CETT 1409	4
13037400       13037400       13037400       13037410       13037410       13033000       13033000       13033000		Practicum in Health Science (Electronic Engineering 1)	1 spring	Microprocessor	CETT 1445	4
	Business and			Robotic Fundamentals	RBTC 1405	4
	Industry			Instrumentation Test Equipment	INTC 1307	3
13037410		Practicum in Health Science (Electronic Engineering 2)	1 fall	Robot Application, Set-up, and Testing	RBTC 2345	3
				Emerging Topics in Engineering	CETT 2471	4
				Linear Integrated Circuits	CETT 1457	4
13037410		Practicum in Health Science (Electronic Engineering 2)	1 spring	Communications Circuits	EECT 2439	4
				Basic Fluid Power	ELMT 1305	3
Robotics an	d Automation Techno	plogy for Dual Credit				-
		Practicum in Information Technology	1 fall	Technical Algebra and Trigonometry	TECM 1343	3
13033000				Fundamentals of Electronics	CETT 1307	3
				Digital Fundamentals	CETT 1425	4
13037410 13037410 <b>Robotics and A</b> 13033000 13033010			1 spring	DC-AC Circuits	CETT 1409	4
		Practicum in Information Technology		Basic Fluid Power	ELMT 1305	3
				Robotic Fundamentals	RBTC 1405	4
	Business and Industry			Programmable Logic Controllers	ELMT 1301	3
12022010		Practicum in Manufacturing (Industrial	1 fall	AC/DC Motor Control	INTC 1357	3
13033010		Automation 2)	i idii	Robot Application, Set-up, and Testing	RBTC 2345	3
				Instrumentation Test Equipment	INTC 1307	3
				Distributed Control Systems	INTC 2359	3
13033010		Practicum in Manufacturing (Industrial Automation 2)	1 spring	Advanced Programmable Logic Controllers	ELMT 2339	3
		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Microprocessor	CETT 1307         CETT 1425         CETT 1409         CETT 1409         CETT 1445         RBTC 1405         INTC 1307         RBTC 2345         CETT 1457         EECT 2439         ELMT 1305         TECM 1343         CETT 1425         CETT 1409         ELMT 1305         RBTC 1409         ELMT 1307         CETT 1425         CETT 1425         CETT 1409         ELMT 1305         RBTC 1405         ELMT 1305         RBTC 1405         INTC 1357         RBTC 2345         INTC 1307         INTC 1307         INTC 2359	4

Computer N	letworking Program for	or Dual Credit				
13027300	Business and	IT Essentials: PC Hardware and Software	0.5 fall	IT Essentials I: PC Hardware and Software	CPMT 1305	3
13027400		Network+	0.5 fall	Network+	ITNW 1358	3
N1302803		CCNA I: Cisco	0.5 spring	CCNA 1: Introduction to Networks	ITCC 1314	3
N1302804		CCNA II: Cisco	0.5 spring	CCNA 2: Routing and Switching Essentials	ITCC 1344	3
13028000	Industry	Practicum in Information Technology	1 fall	CCNA 3: Enterprise Networking, Security, & Automation	ITCC 2320	3
				Fundamentals of Wireless LANs	ITNW 1351	3
				Shell Programming-Scripting	ITSC 1342	3
13028000		Practicum in Information Technology	1 spring	Configuring and Supporting Microsoft Windows	ITMT 1372	3
Computer A	ided Drafting and De	sign for Dual Credit				
13004800		Practicum in Architectural Design (CADD 1)	1 fall	Basic Computer-Aided Drafting - Commercial	DFTG 1309	3
13004800				Intro to Technical Animation & Rendering	DFTG 1302	3
		Practicum in Architectural Design (CADD 1)	1 spring	Architectural Blueprint Reading	DFTG 1315	3
40004000				Solidworks Essentials	DFTG 1372	3
13004600				Architectural Drafting - Commercial	DFTG 2328	3
13028000 Computer Aid				Intermediate Computer Aided Drafting	DFTG 2319	3
	Business and Industry			Mechanical Drafting	DFTG 1333	3
1000 1010		Practicum in Architectural Design (CADD		Architectural Drafting - Residential	DFTG 1317	3
13004810		2)	1 fall	Advanced Solidworks	DFTG 2373	3
				MEP Systems	ARCE 2352	3
				Geometric Dimensioning and Tolerancing	DFTG 2350	3
13004810		Practicum in Architectural Design (CADD 2)	1 spring	Civil Drafting	DFTG 1330	3
Computer Ai 13004800 13004800 13004810		-1		Advanced Computer-Aided Drafting	DFTG 2332	3

Constructio	on Management for Du	al Credit				
				Materials & Methods I	CNBT 1311	3
13004900 13004900 13005000 13005000 HVAC Certific		Construction Management 1	1 fall	Construction Management I	CNBT 2342	3
				OSHA Regulations	OSHT 1305	3
				Communications in Management	BMGT 1305	3
13004900		Construction Management 1	1 spring	Residential and Light Blueprint Reading	CNBT 1300	3
				Construction Methods & Materials II	CNBT 2304	3
	Business and Industry			Construction Estimating	CNBT 1346	3
13005000		Construction Monogement 2	1 fall	Project Scheduling	CNBT 1359	3
		Construction Management 2	1 Iali	Commercial/Industrial Blueprint Reading	CNBT 2310	3
				Building Codes & Inspections	CNBT 1342	3
		Construction Management 2	1 spring	Field Engineering	CNBT 1315	3
13005000				Mech, Elec & Plumbing Systems	CNBT 2340	3
				Construction Management II	CNBT 2344	3
HVAC Certi	ficate for Dual Credit					
		Electrical Technology	1 fall	Basic Electricity for HVAC	HART 1401	3
12005600				Refrigeration Principles	HART 1407	3
13003000				Residential Air Conditioning	CNBT 2342         OSHT 1305         BMGT 1305         CNBT 1300         CNBT 1300         CNBT 2304         CNBT 1346         CNBT 1359         CNBT 1342         CNBT 1315         CNBT 2340         CNBT 2344	4
				Gas and Electric Heating	HART 1445	4
				Advanced Electricity for HVAC	HART 2431	4
12005900		HVAC 1	1 opring	Air Conditioning Installation and Startup	HART 2438	4
13003600	Business and Industry		1 spring	Residential Air Conditioning	HART 2345	3
				Heat Pumps	HART 2349	3
				Commercial Air Conditioning	HART 2341	3
13005900		HVAC 2	1 fall	Commercial Refrigeration	HART 2342	3
12002800			1 1011	Advanced A/C Controls	HART 2334	3
				Industrial Air Conditioning	HART 2343	3
13005900		HVAC 2	1 spring	Test Adjust Balancing HVAC Sys	HART 2358	3

Welding Te	chnology for Dual Cre	dit				
				Intro to Multiple Process	WLDG 1407	4
13032300		Wolding 1	1 fall	Intro to SMAW	WLDG 1428	4
13032300		Welding 1	Tall	Intro to GMAW	WLDG 1430	4
				Intro to GTAW	WLDG 1434	4
				Intro to Blueprint Reading	WLDG 1313	3
40000000	Business and	Malding 4	1.000	Advanced GMAW	WLDG 2447	4
13032300	Industry	Welding 1	1 spring	Intro to Layout & Fabrication	WLDG 1317	3
				Advanced GTAW	WLDG 1428           WLDG 1430           WLDG 1434           WLDG 1313           WLDG 2447	4
				Advanced Layout & Fabrication	WLDG 2435	4
13032400		Welding 2	1 fall	Advanced SMAW	WLDG 2443	4
				Introduction to Pipe Welding	WLDG 1435	4
13032400		Welding 2	1 spring	Adv. Welding in Aerospace App	WLDG 2371	3
Automotive	Technology for Dual	Credit				
		Automotive Technology I	1 fall	Introduction to Automotive Technology	AUMT 1305	3
40000000				Electrical Systems	AUMT 1307	3
13039600		Automotive Technology I	Tall	Suspension and Steering	AUMT 1316	3
				Automotive Brake Systems	WLDG 1428         WLDG 1430         WLDG 1434         WLDG 1313         WLDG 2447         WLDG 2447         WLDG 2447         WLDG 2443         WLDG 2435         WLDG 1317         AUMT 3105         AUMT 1307         AUMT 1316         AUMT 1319         AUMT 1319         AUMT 2321         AUMT 2313         AUMT 2317         AUMT 2337         AUMT 2334	3
				Engine Repair	AUMT 1319	3
13039600		Automotive Technology I	1 spring	Automotive Electrical Diagnosis and Repair	AUMT 2321	3
	Business and			Automotive Climate Control Systems	WLDG 1430         WLDG 1434         WLDG 1313         WLDG 2447         WLDG 2447         WLDG 2447         WLDG 2447         WLDG 2451         WLDG 2435         WLDG 2443         WLDG 2443         WLDG 2435         WLDG 2435         WLDG 2371         Dology         AUMT 1305         AUMT 1307         AUMT 1310         AUMT 1310         AUMT 1319         and Repair       AUMT 2321         tems       AUMT 2313         Analysis I       AUMT 2317         sion &       AUMT 2337         Analysis III       AUMT 2334         y Electric       AUMT 2307	3
	Industry			Automotive drive Train and Axles	AUMT 2313	3
13039710		Automotive Technology II	1 fall	Automotive Engine Performance Analysis I	AUMT 2317	3
				Automotive Automatic Transmission & Transaxle	AUMT 2325	3
				Automotive Electronics	AUMT 2337	3
13039710		Automotive Technology II	1 spring	Automotive Engine Performance Analysis II (Capstone)	AUMT 2334	3
				Automotive Hybrid and/or Battery Electric Vehicle (BEV) Systems Diagnostics	AUMT 2307	3

Collision Re	epair for Dual Credit					
				Vehicle Trim and Hardware	ABDR 1315	3
				Non-Structural Metal Repair	ABDR 1455	4
Collision Repair           13039800           13039800           13039900           13039900		Collision Repair	1 fall	Basic Refinishing	ABDR 1331	3
	Business and Industry			Automotive Plastic and Sheet Molded Compound Repair	ABDR 1349	3
13039800				Current Trends in Collision Technology	ABDR 1291	2
			1 spring	Intermediate Refinishing	ABDR 1458	4
				Auto Body Mechanical and Electrical Service	ABDR 2402	4
			4.6-11	Collision Repair Estimating	ABDR 2255	2
12020000				Collision Repair Welding	ABDR 1307	3
13039900		Paint and Refinishing	1 fall	Advanced Collision Repair Welding	ABDR 2347	3
				Cooperative Education	ABDR 2280	2
				Structural Analysis and Damage Repair V	ABDR 2437	4
13039900		Paint and Refinishing	1 spring	Major Collision Repair and Panel Replacement	ABDR 2441	4
				Advanced Refinishing	ABDR 1455         ABDR 1331         ABDR 1349         ABDR 1291         ABDR 1458         ABDR 2402         ABDR 2255         ABDR 1307         ABDR 2347         ABDR 2402         ABDR 1307         ABDR 2347         ABDR 2437	4

# APPENDIX C: Programs for McKinney ISD/Collin College Dual Credit

Collin College Program Requirements are available in the current Collin College Catalog: <u>collin.edu/academics/catalog.html</u> (Some Course Rubrics and/or Numbers are subject to change throughout the year).

- A. <u>Associate of Arts (AA) Degree</u>
- B. Associate of Science (AS) Degree
- C. Associate of Applied Science (AAS) Degree
- D. Associate of Arts in Teaching (AAT) Degree
- E. <u>Certificate Level 2 Automotive Service Technician (AST)</u>
- F. Certificate Level 2 Collision Technology
- G. Certificate Level 2 Construction Manager
- H. <u>Certificate Level 2 HVAC Commercial Servicing Certification</u>
- I. <u>Certificate Level 2 Welding Technology Certification</u>
- J. <u>Certificate Level 1 Culinary Arts</u>
- K. <u>Certificate Level 1– Information Systems Cybersecurity</u>
- L. <u>Certificate Level 1 Real Estate Sales Agent</u>
- M. <u>Certificate Level 1- Robotics and Automation Technology</u>
- N. Certificate Level 1 Wireless Infrastructure Technician
- O. OSA Health Professions Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) Track
- P. OSA Health Professions Patient Care Technician (PCT)

### **APPENDIX D: Articulated Credits or Courses**

1) Conditions of articulated courses are formulated with representatives from the Independent School District and Collin College regarding student evaluation criteria, course content, and exit competencies. Collin College agrees to articulate college credit for the college level high school courses listed below provided the following requirements are met:

- College credit hours only shall be awarded once the student enrolls at Collin College and successfully completes 3 additional credit hours.
- Students enrolled in concurrent or dual credit courses may apply credit hours earned with a C or better towards the fulfillment of the 3-credit requirement.
- Remedial or developmental course hours taken at Collin College may not be included in the total credit hours.
- Students must satisfactorily complete an end-of-course exam covering student learning outcomes for the articulated course.
- The articulated course or courses appear in Collin College catalog.
- McKinney ISD agrees that for each student participating in an articulated course, McKinney ISD will denote the course with the letter "A" on the student transcript.
- Once the 3 credit hours are earned, students will submit the Petition for Articulated Credit form for the articulated credits to be added to their transcripts by the Academic Partnership Office. Petitions must be submitted to Collin College within 12 months of high school graduation.
- Successful completion of a high school course eligible for articulated credit does not guarantee that a student will receive college credit for the course.

McKinney ISD Course	Collin College Course	
Principles of Health Science	HPRS 1201	Introduction to Health Professions

Category	High School	College
Course Content	Content is determined by the TEKS (Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills).	Content is guided by THECB and the Collin College Academic Department guidelines.
		Focus is on meeting student learning outcomes through content AFB Policy that is chosen by the faculty member and approved by the Academic Department. The faculty member has high levels of control of the specific content that is covered.
		Collin College supports the idea that across every level of education, expectations for student learning should increase. As such, courses taught at the college level should require students to meet rigor and even higher standards than those same courses taught in high school.
are guided b	Standards and expectations are guided by the TEKS. Faculty must meet all standards.	There is a high degree of academic freedom in that there is more flexibility in what content is taught, and how it is taught in covering department and college- approved student learning outcomes.
	Freedom is in how you teach content.	For more information please refer to Collin College's Board Policy: <u>pol.tasb.org/PolicyOnline/PolicyDetails</u> <u>?key=304&amp;code=DGC#localTabConte</u> <u>nt</u>

## **APPENDIX E: Coursework Expectations**

Grading Policies	Determined by campus and/or ISD policies.	Guided by departmental requirements. Some departments have explicit requirements, others provide more flexibility in grading to the instructor.
	Policies may require reteach and retest.	Faculty may choose to, but are not required to allow multiple attempts on assignments or exams.
	Consequences for attendance are determined by State law and district policies.	Consequences for poor attendance and lack of adherence to course deadlines are determined by the instructor.
Student Learning Outcomes and Competencies	Must meet TEKS guidelines. Additional outcomes can be required by campus and/or district.	Must meet SACSCOC guidelines, THECB core curriculum requirements, Collin College general education competencies, course SLOs (student learning outcomes), and PSLOs (program-level student learning outcomes).
	See details here: tea.texas.gov/curriculum/teks /	
Regulations of	FERPA: parents and	FERPA: only student has access to
Privacy	guardians have access to student information.	information, regardless of their age. Students may choose to fill out a FERPA waiver to allow parents to have access.
		See further information here: www.collin.edu/gettingstarted/register/f erpa.html

Disability Services	ARD paperwork or 504 plans. All approved accommodations and modifications must be provided.	In the college setting, curriculum modifications are not required for students with disabilities. However, reasonable accommodations may be approved by the Collin College ACCESS Department on a course by course, case by case basis. Approved accommodations must be implemented by faculty. Students must provide a Course Accessibility Letter signed by an ACCESS Advisor to faculty before any accommodations can be provided. Accommodations may not be provided before faculty receive a Course Accessibility Letter. The provision of accommodations is not retroactive.
		Learn more here: www.collin.edu/studentresources/disa bilityservices/index.html

## **APPENDIX F: College and Career Counselors Initiative**

PURSUANT to the terms of the Partnership Agreement, both Parties agree to include the College and Career Counselors Initiative program between McKinney ISD and Collin College, as described therein. Both Parties desire to describe the terms and conditions set forth in the Services in this Exhibit that are added to or changed from the Partnership Agreement. The parties understand and agree that this Partnership Agreement is the controlling document which governs the relationship between the parties regarding the modified Services and the rights and obligations of the parties arising by virtue of the Partnership Agreement. This exhibit only applies to the College and Career Counselors Initiative program and these terms only apply to this program.

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties, intending legally to be bound, agree as follows:

A. Background

The following additions are hereby incorporated into the Collin County Community College District and Independent School District Partnership Agreement to support the College and Career Counselors Initiative.

B. Collin College will provide the following

A College and Career Counselor assigned to the high school on a daily full-day or partday basis in a part-time role (20 hours per week)

- C. McKinney ISD will provide the following
- 1. Designated office space for the College and Career Counselors to meet with students and or parents
- 2. Access to students for College and Career Advisement
  - D. Funding Provisions

All salaries, fringe benefits, professional development, local travel, supplies for the College and Career Counselor will be provided by Collin College.

# APPENDIX G: General Embedded Faculty FAQs and Review Process for all Secondary Schools

- A. Collin College Dual Credit Embedded Faculty FAQs
  - What are Embedded Faculty?

Embedded faculty are full-time high school teachers hired by Collin College as adjunct faculty to teach College courses at the high school during regular high school hours. During the college course time at the high school, embedded faculty are under the guidance of Collin College and must follow the guidelines and procedures of Collin College such as but not limited to, Collin College Core Values, curricula, FERPA, syllabi, schedule, etc.

• What are the necessary qualifications?

All faculty credentials are consistent with Collin College and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC) Guidelines for Faculty Credentials, the Texas Administrative Code Section 7.4(11) (Appendix A), and program-level accrediting agency requirements that apply. Faculty teaching transfer courses must meet the minimum credentialing requirements as stated in the Collin College Faculty Credentialing Manual which typically requires a Master's degree in the discipline or a Master's degree with 18 graduate hours in the discipline.

Faculty teaching in workforce programs must meet the requirements found in the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board Guidelines (www.thecb.state.tx.us /reports/pdf/3378.pdf#page=8)

Faculty in these programs may have a bachelor's degree in the teaching discipline, an associate's degree, a certificate, or professional work experience that demonstrates competencies in the teaching discipline as required by the specific program. Other demonstrated competencies and achievements that contribute to effective teaching and successful student learning outcomes are also considered during the hiring process. For all cases, Collin College provides justifying documentation of the qualifications of its faculty.

Collin College faculty credential requirements are the same, regardless of location, time of day, day of the week or modality of the course to be taught. Collin College does not distinguish, for the purpose of faculty qualifications, between full-time or adjunct (part-time) positions. After being hired, faculty who wish to teach online sections of a course are required to complete training in online teaching

determined by Collin's virtual campus, iCollin prior to receiving an assignment in that modality.

• What are the expectations for Embedded Faculty in the classroom?

As Collin College adjunct faculty, embedded faculty are responsible for fulfilling all regular duties and responsibilities of all college faculty, including, but not limited to: maintaining college-level rigor in all instructional practices, utilizing a Canvas shell for each course, developing a course syllabus and calendar of assignments, certifying rosters, following FERPA regulations, providing numeric progress grades to the Dual Credit Office, posting final numeric and alpha course grades in Collin College's student management system, and responding promptly to emails, request and due dates sent by the offices of academic affairs. www.collin.edu/hr/employment\_forms/Collin%20College%20Faculty%20Handbook.pdf

• How is the compensation dispersed?

Embedded faculty employed with the school district who teach a dual credit course as part of their regular duty hours with the school district will not receive additional compensation from Collin College. All dual credit faculty qualifications outlined in the agreed terms still apply. Collin College will pay the school district the equivalent of the current adjunct faculty rate of pay and dual credit stipend for each course taught by an embedded faculty member.

Embedded faculty will be compensated directly by Collin College for courses taught outside of their regular duty hours with the school district. They will be paid the current adjunct faculty rate of pay for services rendered under the agreed terms in accordance with College College's faculty compensation plan.

• How does scheduling work?

Embedded faculty will work with the appropriate Associate Dean/Director and their high school regarding class schedules during the high school day.

Embedded faculty are considered part-time adjuncts and are normally limited to nine (9) contact hours per week. (3 classes for a 48-hour contact hour class for 16 weeks). All assignments over nine contact hours are considered a temporary exception and require pre-approval from the Associate Dean/Director, Dean, appropriate Campus Provost, and Senior Vice President of Campus Operations. CourseVite Professor is an 'invitation to teach' application used by Collin College Associate Deans and Directors to aid in schedule adjunct faculty course assignments. The application can be accessed by logging into CougarWeb and

accessing it through OneLogin. The basic steps for using the application are as follows: 1) Log in and select the semester. 2) Set your preferred campus. 3) Set your preferred availability. 4) Check your profile for accuracy. 5) Review and respond to any course invitations within 24 hours. Note that notification of an 'invitation to teach' will be sent to your @collin.edu email. Instructors should contact the scheduling Associate Dean or Director with any questions.

• How does evaluation of Embedded Faculty work?

Collin College will select, supervise, and evaluate all faculty employed by Collin College, including embedded faculty. Embedded faculty teaching dual credit courses will be evaluated through the Adjunct Faculty Appraisal Process each year.

• What if an Embedded Faculty member must be absent from class and wants a substitute to meet the class?

The embedded faculty member should follow the high school's absence procedure, but must also contact their Collin College supervisor (Associate Dean/Director) to inform them that they will be absent and would like a substitute. In a class period where the college curriculum is covered, a credentialed and ISD fingerprinted Collin College employee can meet the class and provide instructional coverage when available. This must be arranged in advance of the absence.

• What happens if the teacher leaves the district in the middle of the semester?

Collin College will work to find a qualified faculty to teach the remainder of the course in the same medium as originally agreed. If this is not an option, Collin will work with the district to find another reasonable solution.

• How does Collin College work with ADA student accommodations?

Students who receive accommodations from the ISD may be eligible for accommodations from Collin College. Students must follow Collin College's application process for all dual credit courses. Students are required to contact Collin College's ACCESS Department, be evaluated by a case officer, and present their instructor with an approved accommodation letter from Collin College. Embedded faculty may only honor the college's approved accommodation(s) for the student.

If determined eligible for academic accommodations at Collin College, students must request accommodations through Collin College's ACCESS Department each semester. The dual credit course location will determine who facilitates the academic accommodation approved by Collin College's ACCESS Department. Dual credit course accommodations offered on the high school campus are provided by high school personnel. Dual credit course accommodations offered on a Collin College campus will be provided by Collin College personnel.

• What is the protocol if there are issues/concerns/questions with the assigned Embedded Faculty during the college course?

The high school Principal or Assistant Principal will collaborate with the appropriate Collin College Associate Dean or Director and the P-12 Partnerships office to develop an equitable solution that supports the needs of both educational entities and the best interests of the student.

B. Potential Embedded Faculty Review Process

ISD will provide Collin College with a roster of faculty interested in embedded faculty assignments for the next academic year by February 1. The roster should include candidates' unofficial transcripts as well as resumes of work experience.

- The authorized personnel from the partner ISD sends Raul Martinez, AVP P-12 Partnerships, an email recommending a specific ISD faculty as a potential embedded faculty member.
- Raul Martinez, in cooperation with the prospective hiring manager (Associate Dean or Director), facilitates screening of the unofficial graduate transcripts to determine whether the ISD faculty meets minimum qualifications to be considered for an adjunct position at Collin College.
- Following the transcript review, individuals meeting the minimum qualifications will be invited to apply for employment at the Collin College web site.
- Raul Martinez notifies the appropriate hiring manager (Associate Dean or Director) of the ISD faculty's completed application.
- Hiring manager (Associate Dean or Director) reviews the application, and, if appropriate makes contact to establish an initial on-site or virtual interview.
- If hiring manager determines that an ISD faculty should be moved on to a second on-site or virtual interview, one is conducted – to include teaching demonstration and interview with the prospective hiring manager (Associate Dean or Director) and 1-3 content experts in the discipline.\*

• Potential hiring manager (Associate Dean or Director) notifies ISD faculty directly of the hiring decision.\*\*

\*Completion of the on-site interview does not guarantee an offer of employment by Collin College.

\*\*Embedded faculty are considered part-time adjuncts and are normally limited to nine (9) contact hours per week. (3 classes for a 48-hour contact hour class for 16 weeks). Term course load (amount of Collin College courses assigned) is at the discretion of the hiring manager (Associate Dean or Director).

For questions, please contact Raul Martinez, Jr. at rimartinez@collin.edu

## **APPENDIX H: Workforce Programs**

#### A. Purpose

1) Collin College and McKinney ISD agree to the following terms to offer dual credit workforce programs (Workforce Programs) to McKinney ISD students These workforce programs and courses have been developed to address labor market needs using a model that connects business and industry leaders directly with the curriculum development process. Stackable programs will ensure employment opportunities for high school graduates possessing entry level certifications as well as for students earning certificates or associate degrees.

B. Eligible Dual Credit Courses

1) Eligible dual credit courses under this Appendix are identified as a college-level workforce education course required for an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree or certificate program and approved in the current edition of the Workforce Education Course Manual (WECM). Approved courses for Collin College workforce programs are included in <u>Appendix B.</u>

C. General Provisions for Workforce Program Participation

- Collin College Workforce Programs provide high school students with an opportunity to earn entry-level certificates or an AAS through completion of workforce dual credit courses.
- If the Workforce Program is located at a McKinney ISD High School, the McKinney ISD High School must be approved by Collin College as a dual credit site through SACSCOC. Additional approval of facilities may be required by the Collin College Workforce Program Director.
- If the Workforce Program is located at a Collin College campus, McKinney ISD may decide to transport students to a Collin College Campus, which hosts the selected Workforce Program.
- Some Workforce Programs may require demonstration of college readiness in order to continue in the program.
- D. Student Eligibility
  - Some Workforce Programs may require students to meet TSIA College Readiness standards as defined in Section III.A. <u>"Student Eligibility"</u>.
  - Workforce Program students may be required to complete a program specific application to be eligible for acceptance into their Workforce Program.

#### E. Location and Student Composition of Classes

1) Workforce Program classes will be taught on a Collin College campus, a Collin College approved site or online, if applicable. Courses taught on a Collin College campus may be composed of dual credit and regular Collin College students.

2) McKinney ISD may agree to transport students to a Collin College campus (campus location subject to change based on course availability) which hosts the approved workforce programs as outlined in <u>Appendix C:</u>

#### F. Faculty Selection, Supervision, and Evaluation

- All instructors must meet the minimum faculty requirements as specified by Collin College in accordance with the guidelines of the SACSCOC.
- Collin College shall select, supervise, and evaluate instructors for courses that result in the award of credit, regardless of whether the course is delivered on a Collin College campus or high school campus.
- McKinney ISD may identify and recommend candidates for embedded faculty, subject to Collin College hiring the embedded faculty (see Section III.C.a. "Joining the Collin College Faculty").
- Instructors, even if employed by and paid by an Independent School District, must be supervised in dual credit related instructional matters by the Collin College Program Director and must meet all administrative and evaluation requirements and attend required faculty training.
- Official college transcripts of instructors must be kept on file at Collin College.
- G. Course Curriculum, Instruction, and Grading
  - The same standards of curriculum shall apply for all courses taught by Collin College, regardless of whether the course is delivered on a Collin College campus or high school campus.
  - Instruction of college courses that may be used for dual credit shall be held to the same departmental and curricular standards as all other courses in that discipline.
  - The same standards of grading shall apply for all courses taught by Collin College, regardless of whether the course is delivered on a Collin College campus or high school campus.
- H. Academic Policies and Student Support Services

1) Regular academic policies and procedures applicable to regular college courses and students will also apply to dual credit courses. Students in dual credit courses are eligible to utilize the same or comparable college support services as all other Collin College students. Collin College will provide student support through registration and academic advising, early alert system, and other support services to ensure student success.

I. Transcription of Credit

1) College credits will be transcribed immediately upon a student's completion of course(s) each semester.

J. Funding

1) These provisions supersede Section III.I. "<u>Funding</u>" of the Agreement.

2) State funding for dual credit courses will be available to both McKinney ISD and Collin College as indicated by the Commissioner of Education and Commissioner of Higher Education.

3) Tuition and fees will be collected from the high school student unless evidence is presented documenting the high school student's participation in the federal free and reduced lunch program in McKinney ISD, or if McKinney ISD is covering the student's charges through third party billing. If McKinney ISD participates in third party billing, the ISD agrees to abide by the policies set forth by the Bursar's Office. McKinney ISD will provide a verification list of dual credit students participating in the federal free and reduced lunch program to Collin College each semester. All dual credit students are responsible for purchasing their own textbooks and other required course materials unless otherwise purchased on their behalf.

K. McKinney ISD and Collin College Responsibilities:

- 1) Program Support and Implementation:
  - McKinney ISD and Collin College agree to support the recruitment of students into the Workforce Programs each year, provide retention services, and make every effort to assist students in the completion of the program.
  - McKinney ISD's administrative support for the Collin College Workforce Program will be the Principal or designee of the high school.
  - In accordance with Section "<u>Conflict Resolution</u>" of the Agreement, McKinney ISD designee and Collin College Associate Vice President of P-12 Partnerships will serve as the designated central administrative liaison and primary contacts for this partnership and will participate in the development and implementation of

processes to facilitate the Workforce Programs, and to enhance communication among the partners regarding all aspects of the partnership.

- 2) To the extent possible, Collin College will ensure:
  - The degree plan which leads to the entry level certificate is also a pathway to an associate degree.
  - Courses for the Workforce Programs are available on a continual basis to ensure successful credential completion of the entry level certificate.