

KAMEHAMEHA SCHOOLS - KAPĀLAMA HS

DUAL CREDIT

WHAT IS DUAL CREDIT?

The opportunity to earn high school AND college credit at the same time.

HIGHLIGHTS OF DC AT KS

- On campus at KSK
- Same KSK Kumu
- Same classmates
- Same coursework, exams, projects, etc.

WHY WOULD I WANT TO TAKE DC COURSES?

- Earn college credits while in high school
- Potential for shortened time to earn Bachelor's Degree
- Graduate and enter the job market ahead of college classmates
- It's Free!

AA DEGREE OPPORTUNITY

KSK will be offering students the opportunity to earn an Associate of Arts Degree (60 credits) through HPU while also completing their HS requirements.

CREDIT TRANSFERABILITY

Credits earned through HPU may be transferred to other colleges. Each college and university will handle course transferability differently.



PLANNING AHEAD FOR YOUR AA

Those planning to earn an AA will need to:

- Develop a 4-year plan that meets KHS diploma & HPU AA degree requirements
- Consider summer school IF you plan to have any 4-year elective commitments
- Take placement exams to "place" into the higher level courses HPU requires
- Successfully complete Pre-Calculus, at minimum
- Adhere to deadlines and policies set by both institutions
- Complete all programmatic requirements, including mandatory meetings, applications, paperwork, etc.
- Maintain a minimum GPA

DUAL CREDIT CAUTIONS

- Your college transcript begins with the first dual credit course taken
- Academic dishonesty consequences may be leveled at BOTH institutions
- Courses are free BUT families must repay KS if course is not completed, or an "F" is earned
- College Financial Aid eligibility can be impacted by failing even one dual credit course