# **Policy 2510: Embedded Credit Guidance**



In accordance with West Virginia Board of Education (WVBE) Policy 2510, county boards of education are encouraged to establish policies that allow students to receive credit for both a credit-bearing high school course and a second course, provided the student demonstrates mastery of the approved content standards embedded within the second course. Each county board is responsible for maintaining documentation that demonstrates an 80% alignment of the standards between the host course and the original course. All current alignment documentation must be kept on file.

The implementation of embedded credit offers students the opportunity to pursue both rigorous academic and career technical education courses and concentrations, providing high-quality instruction that supports mastery of all content standards. Counties/schools, with certified math and English teachers, may also include the mini-virtual courses to support math and English language arts (ELA) instruction. The goal of embedded credit is not to shorten the high school experience but to offer flexible opportunities for students to engage in advanced academic and career technical education courses.

Effective with the 2025-26 school year, Career Technical Education (CTE) completers enrolled in West Virginia Department of Education (WVDE) approved CTE programs of study, as outlined in Policy 2520.13, may receive embedded credit for Transition ELA for Seniors, Transition Mathematics for Seniors, and, in some cases, Advanced Mathematical Modeling or Computer Science and Mathematics.

The certified math or ELA teacher of record is responsible for delivering high-quality instruction that enables students to achieve mastery of 100% of the content standards for all embedded credit math and ELA courses approved by the Division of PK-12 Adult Instruction and Career Engagement.

## Approved List of Career Technical Education (CTE) Programs of Study

### Transition English Language Arts for Seniors (ELA)-4013:

- » Allied Health Sciences (HE0715)
- » Biomedical Science (HE0780)
- » Early Childhood Classroom Assistant Teacher (ED1320)
- » Law and Public Safety (LA1020)
- » Marketing Management (MK0420)
- » Pre-Cosmetology (HU2311)
- » ProStart Restaurant Management (HO1010)
- » Therapeutic Services (HE0723)

#### **Transition Mathematics for Seniors-3052:**

- » Automotive Technology (TR1620)
- » Building Maintenance and Operations (AR1800)
- » Carpentry (AR1820)
- » Collision Repair Technology (TR1670)
- » Computer Aided Drafting and Design (AR1720)
- » Electrical Technician (AR1760)
- » Emergency and Firefighting Management Services (LA2200)

- » Energy, Power and Engineered Systems (Advanced Careers) (ST2175)
- » HVAC Technician (AR1600)
- » Industrial Equipment Maintenance (MA1870)
- » Integrated Production Technologies (MA2235) -Expires SY26-27
- » Machine Tool Technology (MA1900)
- » Manufacturing Production and Design (MA1910)
- » Masonry (AR1910)
- » Plumbing (AR2140)
- » Power Equipment Systems (TR1960)
- » Robotics (MA1630)
- » Welding (MA1980)

### **Computer Science and Mathematics-3161:**

Coding, App, and Game Design (IT1442) - Expires SY26-27

### **Advanced Mathematical Modeling-3025:**

» Pre-Engineering (ST2460)

For a list of approved CTE fulfillment credits, please refer to the second page.

## **Approved List of CTE Fulfillment Credits**

### **CTE Courses - Fulfills 3rd Science Credit:**

- » Allied Health Sciences (Courses I, II, and III)
- » AC Energy and Power (Courses I-IV)
- » CASE Animal and Plant Biotechnology
- » CASE Principles of Agriculture Science-Plant
- » Principles of Engineering
- » Human Body Systems
- » Natural Resources Management
- » Therapeutic Services (Courses I, II, and III)
- » CASE Food Science and Safety

### CTE Courses - Fulfills 1 Personalized Social Studies Credit:

» JROTC (Courses I-IV)

Note: Students who take U.S. Studies must utilize Contemporary Studies as their Personalized Credit unless they are utilizing JROTC Courses I-IV.

### CTE Courses - Fulfills 1 Physical Education Credit:

» JROTC (Courses I and II)

### **CTE Courses - Fulfills 1 Art Credit:**

- » Fundamentals of Illustration (1851)
- » Fundamentals of Graphic Design (1857)
- » Illustration (1861)
- » Graphic Design Applications (1859)
- » Ornamental Metal Work (1982)
- » Digital Imaging/Multimedia I (1431)
- » Drafting Techniques (1727)
- » Floriculture (0213)
- » Digital Photography (1515)
- » Millwork or Cabinet Making (2126 or 2127 or 2128 or 2129)