



# WELCOME!

AND CONGRATULATIONS!





# College Credits in High School

What are they and how do students earn them?



# Four Types of College Credit

# 1. Advanced Placement

- Specific courses are offered as Advanced Placement (AP) at the student's home school.
- Credit may be offered by a post-secondary institution based upon the score on the qualifying AP exam.
- A score of "3" or higher on an AP test, the student is guaranteed to receive college credit, mainly in general education areas, upon entrance to any of Ohio's public institutions of higher education.

## 2. College Credit Plus (CCP)

- Students earn college credit and high school credit at the same time.
- Students take college courses either at the college or in a dual enrollment at the high school.
- Eligibility must be met.
- College courses delivered to high school students by college-credentialed instructors.

### 3. Career-Technical Credit Transfer (CT)<sup>2</sup>

- Specific career technical courses have been aligned to CTAGs (Career-Technical Assurance Guides).
- These assurance guides are used to be sure the curriculum at the high school is aligned to the curriculum in the post-secondary courses.
- Students are guaranteed the transfer of applicable credits to public colleges and universities across Ohio that offer aligned curriculum.
- Students must meet all requirements in order to be eligible (WebXam scores and/or certifications, application and college enrollment).

# How does a student earn & claim the CT2 credits?

- Student completes the course in their CTE program.
- Student completes the WebXam for that course and scores a qualifying score.
- Student completes and signs Part I of the CT2 Verification Form
- Program teacher completes Part II, verifying the student has successfully completed the course and qualifying WebXam scores and attaches the official scores to the form.

# How does a student earn the CT2 credits?(Cont'd)

Program teacher sends the Verification Form to the CTE office for completion of Part III.

The completed Verification Form is mailed directly by the CTE office to the college/university.

The student is responsible for assuring the Guidance Department of their home school mails an official FINAL transcript to the college/university.

IF the student has earned an industry credential they will need to present that to the admissions office of the college/university.

***\*\* Notify your college that you have tech prep credits!***



## 4. Bilateral Articulation Agreement

An agreement between Lake Shore Compact and individual colleges/universities. We currently have agreements with Cuyahoga Community College, Hocking College, Kent State University, Lake Erie College, Lakeland Community College.

A student may only receive credits from ONE college/university according to the bilateral articulation agreement.

There are GPA and/or math requirements to claim the credits.

These credits will appear on a college transcript from the awarding college/university.

**It's up to the receiving college whether they accept these credits. It is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to notify the college and check acceptance.**

# How does a student claim articulated credits?

Student completes the course in their CTE program and all requirements.

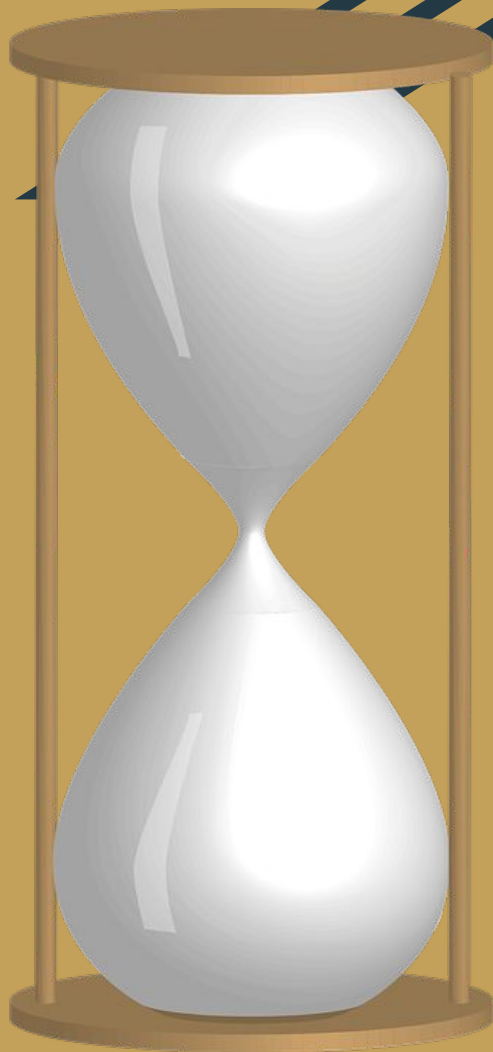
Student completes a college application.

Student signs the articulation agreement and assures he/she has completed all requirements.

Teacher signs the articulation agreement.

Student must be sure the home school guidance department submits a FINAL high school transcript to the appropriate college.

If you will be attending a four-year college, be sure to request a transcript from Lakeland or Tri-C be sent to that college or university.



All credits are time sensitive -  
Don't Delay

# How long does a student have to claim the credits?

Career Tech Credit Transfer (CT2): Students must claim within 3 years of program completion

Lakeland Community College: Students must claim within 2 years of graduation

Cuyahoga Community College: Students must claim within 1 year of graduation

So why is this  
important?

Time and Money



The value of one CT2 credit is the equivalent of \$244 based on the average tuition cost of a public college/university in Ohio

Lakeland Community College credits are valued at \$127.80 each for Lake County residents

Cuyahoga Community College credits are valued at \$114.54 each for Cuyahoga County residents

# How do I know if my credits will transfer?

1. Make sure you speak with your receiving college to tell them you have tech credits and ask **IF** and **HOW** they will transfer.
2. Refer to **Transferology.com** to find course equivalencies



## So how do we do all this?

I met with students to walk them through the application process for Lakeland and Tri-C.

I met with students to assist with the articulation agreements and the verification form for CT2 credits.

I am available to help.

Representatives from Cuyahoga Community College and Lakeland Community College are here to help.



# We're here to help

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# Thank you!

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