



## Postsecondary Enrollment Options

Wabasha-Kellogg seeks to increase varied educational opportunities and provide assistance to students interested in non-traditional settings or curriculum. In addition to the courses listed by department in the registration booklet, students may explore the alternatives outlined below, to fulfill their academic needs and interests.

### How does PSEO work?

- PSEO is available to students in grades 10 - 12 to earn both high school and college credit while still in high school through enrollment and successful completion of college nonsectarian courses at eligible participating postsecondary institutions.
  - 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students may take PSEO courses on a full or part-time basis, while 10<sup>th</sup> grade students are eligible to enroll in PSEO on a more limited basis.
- Most PSEO courses are offered on the campus of the postsecondary institution while some are offered online.
- Each participating college or university sets its own admissions requirements for enrollment into PSEO courses.
- Students must meet the PSEO residency and eligibility requirements and abide by participation limits specified in Minnesota Statutes, section 124D.09. If a school district determines a pupil is not on track to graduate, she/he may continue to participate in PSEO on a term-by-term basis.

By **March 1** of each year, or three weeks prior to the date a student registers for courses for the following school year (whichever is earlier), schools must provide PSEO information to all students in grades 8-11 and their families. To assist the district in planning, a student must inform the district by **May 30** of each year of their intent to enroll in postsecondary courses during the following school year.

There is no charge for PSEO students for tuition, books, or fees for items that are required to participate in a course; however, students may incur fees for equipment that becomes their property when a course or program is completed, textbooks not returned to the postsecondary institution according to their policies or for tuition costs, if they do not notify the district by **May 30** and the district does not waive this requirement.



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## PSEO Continued

Funds are available to help pay transportation expenses for qualifying students to participate in PSEO courses on college campuses.

### [Mileage Reimbursement Program](#)

Students enrolled in PSEO courses are still allowed to participate in activities sponsored by Wabasha-Kellogg Public Schools.

Students still have reasonable access to Wabasha-Kellogg Public Schools buildings, computers, and other technology during regular school hours to participate in PSEO courses whether online or on campus.

All courses taken through the PSEO program must meet graduation requirements. Districts must transcript credits earned in PSEO by a ration prescribed in statute. The Wabasha-Kellogg School District has the authority to determine which subject area and standards the PSEO course meets.

Postsecondary institutions are required to allow PSEO students to enroll in online courses consistent with the institution's policy regarding postsecondary student enrollment in online courses.

## 10th Grade Students

### [Minnesota Department of Education PSEO Information](#)

Tenth grade students may initially enroll in one Career and Technical Education (CTE) PSEO course if they receive a reading proficiency score of “meets” or “exceeds” on the 8<sup>th</sup> grade MCA.

If 10<sup>th</sup> graders taking a CTE PSEO course earn at least a C in that class, they may take additional postsecondary courses. If the student did not take the MCA in 8<sup>th</sup> grade, another reading assessment accepted by the enrolling postsecondary institution can be substituted. For students with disabilities, there is an alternative option to demonstrate reading proficiency.